

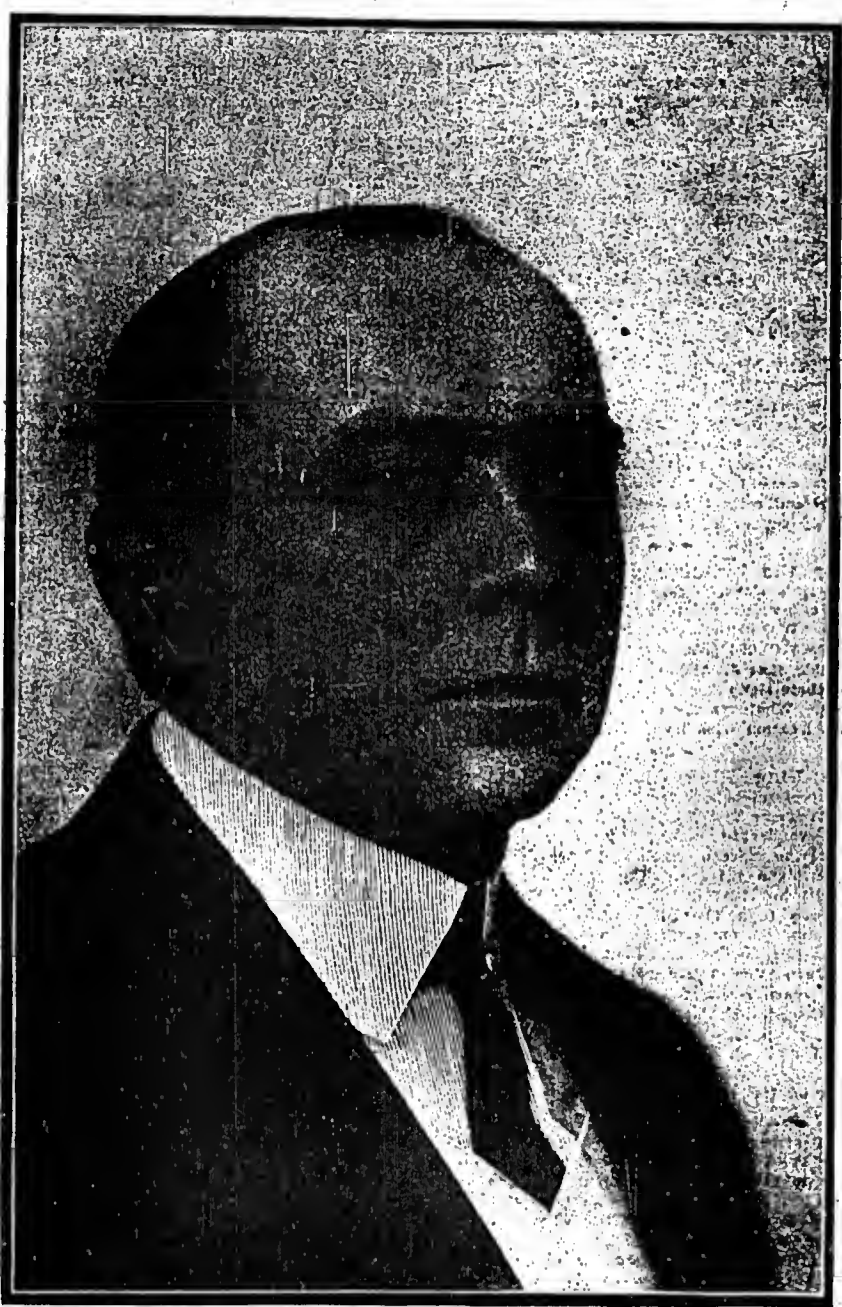
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DRAMATIC VAUDEVILLE MUSIC THEATRICAL MINSTREL BURLESQUE OPERA

BROADWAY GOSSIP

Personal News, Views and Items of General Interest Gleaned in the Great Metropolis

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The waning season is producing little of vital interest to the theatrical world. The chief activities are along summer stock lines for the dramatic people and the scramble for summer park bookings among the vaudeville fraternity. Decoration Day will, of course, mark the beginning of the real activities in summer amusements and then things are apt to happen fast and furiously. Just at this writing, however, matters are in the doldrums.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holcombs, of Holcomb, Curtis & Webb, gave a delightful musicale and supper to a number of friends at their home in Elmhurst, last week, in honor of the Three Diamonds, who sailed for Europe last Wednesday. There was an abundance of eat, everything imaginable to drink, and an entertainment better than any theatre ever gave. Daylight was just being turned on when the guests bethought themselves of home. They included Mr. and Mrs. John T. Kelly, Mrs. Joe Miron, Major Johnson and wife, John Russell and wife, and Nate Leipzig.

Chas. Merrit and beautiful May Rosella left town Saturday night to go to Gloverville where they begin several weeks of summer park bookings. They are working upon a new sketch in which they will appear at the beginning of the next vaudeville season.

Jolly Zeb has just ended a successful season as the feature of the Irwin Show, an organization which holds a creditable record for business on the burlesque wheel this season. Next season he will again be featured with the same show, presenting a singing and talking act without the aid of a bicycle.

Evelyn Fonner and Grace Mantell have become associated in a singing act which promises to be one of the most attractive specialties in vaudeville. They played their first date together last week at Fort George Trocadero. They were originally booked there for Sunday only, but their success was so pronounced that they were retained for the ensuing week. This speaks well for a new act.

Gaston Ball has succeeded William Courtenay as Little Billie in the revival of Trilby at the Amsterdam Theatre. Courtenay left the company to take up his customary summer occupation at the head of his own stock company in Albany.

The great success attained by The County Fair and the hundreds of thousands of dollars which it earned during its many years before the public, resulted in its author and star, Nell Burgess, becoming hopelessly involved in debt, and he was discharged in bankruptcy in Trenton, May 22. Like scores of others who have earned enough money in stage life to be millionaires, Mr. Burgess is now in line for a testimonial benefit.

Robert J. Mercer, Frank M. Call, Chas. Munnell and Jack Manser, formerly of the Boer War's advance brigade, are summering in New York and making The Billboard office their headquarters.

The professional Women's League held its annual reception and installation of officers at the League House in West Forty-fifth street, May 22. The officers of the League for the ensuing year will be Mrs. Edwin Arden, president; Rosa Band, vice-president; Minnie W. Delbridge, treasurer; Ida Wells, secretary; Inez Crabtree, chairman of music committee; Almee Abbott, chairman of the reception committee, and Mrs. Louis Stern, chairman of the refreshment committee. During the festivities "Aunt Louisa" Eldridge was presented with a gold locket by the League as an evidence of their affectionate regard for their first vice-president, "Aunt Louisa" having just completed a twelve years' term of office.

Paul McAllister has been engaged as leading man of a summer stock company which

is to hold forth at Springfield, Mass., starting in a fortnight.

Anna Blancke closed her season with A Little Outcast Co. at the Star Theatre last week. Miss Blancke has played the part of Boh for the past three years, each season consisting of not less than forty-five weeks, and during that time has never missed a performance. A Little Outcast has had a very successful career. Miss Blancke will be starred next year by George E. Gill & Co. in a new melodrama, entitled Fighting Fate, by Edward Locke. There will be nine big scenes by Physloc, of New York; twenty-three people in the cast, and the production is booked solid on the Stair & Havlin Circuit.

The motion picture industry has become so vast that it is keeping the best brain matter of Europe and America in a state of strenuous activity to supply the demand for new subjects. These film manufacturers must lay awake nights to think up some of the subjects and I am sure that others are reproductions of their nightmares, once they do sink to sleep. Motion, and lively motion, seems to be in demand, and the "chase" film is now having its best day. One of the newest ideas in "chase" films has been brought out by Paley & Sliner, the well-known originators of motion picture ideas. It is called The Bigamist, and it is one of the best films I ever saw. There is a domestic tragedy in every yard of the film and a laugh in every foot thereof. The Travels of a Trunk is another recent development of the Paley & Sliner idea in motion pictures and it is giving that firm a lively chase to keep the demand supplied.

William Morris, who is fast becoming a vaudeville booking trust on his own account, is arranging a mighty good program of novelties for the Winnipeg Fair and Exposition to be held this summer in the Manitoba capital. Just where Morris finds time to book summer parks is more than I know, but I have it on the best authority that he is a leader in that branch of vaudeville bookings.

Atop the building wherein is situated Keith's Union Square Theatre there is displayed a monster painted sign, reading, "Proctor's." When the contract was made for Proctor's \$100,000 painted sign appropriation, it is possible that J. Austin Fynes stipulated that one of these signs should be located over Keith's Theatre. Whatever the cause may be, the sign and its location wins many a smile.

The Bing Bing Club supervised a most successful benefit for Mike Bernard at the Hotel Vendome last Sunday night. There were several vaudeville numbers presented in addition to the extra attraction of Mike Bernard's superior piano playing. The Bing Bing Club makes its headquarters at Martin's Restaurant, just across from The Billboard office, and has been organized for the purpose of "boosting" the new songs which come out daily on music row. Jules Von Tilzer is the chief shooter; Phroso, sharp shooter; Dick Con, bad shooter; Harry Cooper, principal shooter, and Mike Bernard, ragtime shooter. Nat Clifford, Joe Edmondson and Al Fields are charter members and provide the percussion caps and other essentials of the order.

By virtue of my association with the Chicago Press Club, I am in receipt of an invitation to attend the press night reception at White City, May 26. When this issue of The Billboard is off the press, White City will be in active operation and Chicagoans will have a real place for their out-of-door summer entertainment. Paul W. Howse, the general manager of that vast enterprise, is the right man in the right place, and if White City is not a thriving mint it will be because the weather man don't take kindly to Chicago this summer.

There was a fine bill at Proctor's Twenty-third Street last week in which Jacob Adler was the headliner. He appeared as Shylock, with Alberta Gallatin as Portia, in the chief scene in The Merchant of Venice. There seems to be a great demand for Mr. Adler in New York just now, as he has contracts to appear at the Fifty-eighth Street Theatre and with Percy Williams in the next few weeks. The Twenty-third Street audiences were not much influenced by his presence in the bill, and his drawing powers were not noticeably evident.

W. H. Murphy, Blanche Nichols and company scored the laughing hit of the Twenty-

third Street bill with their ridiculous sketch. From Zaza to Uncle Tom. It is a screamingly funny conglomeration of mirth and broad burlesque, and the audience was kept in convulsions of laughter. Another especially meritorious offering was presented by Mary Norman, who has a new idea in monologue work, along the lines she originated some seasons ago.

Walter C. Kelley's original monologues proved one of the rarest treats vaudeville has to offer. His wit is of a superior order and he presents a monologue of surprising excellence. Proctor's audiences laughed every moment he was on the stage in appreciation of his cleverness.

Newell and Niblo, who open their summer season at Fontaine Ferry Park, Louisville, June 4, booked for twelve weeks, have just closed forty weeks of vaudeville dates in the leading houses. Their route extended from the Atlantic to the Pacific and back again and their next vaudeville season is already booked almost solid.

WALTER K. HILL.

PARIS OPERA STAR DEAD.

Mme. Caroline Rosati, a former star in the ballet of the Paris Opera, died May 18, in her villa on the gulf of San Juan, at the age of eighty-two years. Rosati was one of the most celebrated dancers of the nineteenth century. She was born in Bologna and made her first appearance in Florence at the age of ten. Her first great success was achieved in Venice, and at the age of fifteen, in London, she created the principal role in Coralle, a ballet specially written for her by Paul Taglion.

The appearances of Rosati at the Paris Opera were a series of triumphs. She created the principal parts in Jovita Sainte Claire in 1855, Corsaire in 1856, and Maria Spada in 1857.

Her portrait in the Foyer de Danse at the Paris Opera is one of the finest works of Paul Baudry. Mme. Rosati retired forty years ago.

LILLIAN'S SUMMER RETREAT

Lillian Russell has rented the Thomas H. Thomas property on Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, N. Y., for the summer, taking possession June 1. The property is one of the largest private estates in Brooklyn and is valued at \$200,000. The house is large and stands on the brow of a hill overlooking the bay. It is surrounded by a square of beautiful lawns, shaded by large trees.

FRANC. R. E. WOODWARD.

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White City is a great success. Of course the merits of this remarkable wonderland of amusements entitle it to first place, but there is a definite reason for the practically recognition by the people and for the practically spontaneous manner in which everybody in Chicago acknowledged that it is the correct thing to do, to go there.

And this reason is the unprecedented publicity which White City received as the result of the unusual campaign carried out under the direction of Franc R. E. Woodward, the manager of the Publicity Department.

The unique spectacle of crowds standing in line on State street in busy Chicago, waiting their turn to secure some of the remarkably clever advertising matter prepared by Mr. Woodward, has been seen time and time again, and it would appear that the business men, folded one of their strictest rules in accepting and carefully perusing copies of the White City Magazine.

This method of advertising White City is undoubtedly the most effective and comprehensive plan ever introduced. Mr. Woodward has published four issues and each number has been handsomely illustrated with half-tone pictures, showing the progress of the work at the new resort and aptly describing the features to be introduced. Before the date of the opening practically every man, woman and child in all Chicago and suburbs, knew all about the new enterprise. Groups of men on the board of trade, and on the street corners discussed the new resort and were familiar with the policy of the management. That it would be a high-class place of amusement everybody conceded, and it was a generally accepted fact that it was just what Chicago had always needed.

But the work of publicizing White City was not confined to this one method. The magazine was only one spoke in the well constructed wheel. Attractive hangers were printed and distributed in the hotels and offices where people congregated. Every barbershop in Chicago had one hanging on the wall, every restaurant, every saloon, every boarding house, etc. Press notices were mailed to every paper within a radius of two hundred miles of Chicago; small lithographed cards were mailed out of Chicago by a number of the large business houses and one of these was placed in the mail box of every home in Chicago.

Joe Howard wrote a catchy song entitled Meet Me at White City, and thousands of copies were distributed until every miss with a so-called "voice" was merrily chirping it. Orchestration was prepared and presented to the orchestra leaders in the various theatres. In fact the song became so well known that the audience frequently applauded when they found it among the numbers played in some of the best theatres.

EVELEEN DUNMORE



She was a member of the original Chinese Honeymoon Co., which opened in New York City three years ago under the direction of the Messrs. Shubert, and she has been with that company ever since. Miss Dunmore is possessed of a remarkable singing voice which she inherited from her mother, Madame Flanell. Last summer she played in the Shubert Opera Co. at Manhattan Beach, taking the role of Helen Redmond in Winsome Winkle, Christie McDonald's part in the Toreador and Miss Stone's part in The Runaways. Miss Dunmore is possessed of rare beauty. She is regarded as one of the most charming and promising of the Shubert contingent.

It would be futile to try and enumerate the various ways in which Mr. Woodward acquainted the people with the fact that White City was being prepared for their entertainment. Nobody but Mr. Woodward himself knows just how he did it.

The Chicago dailies seemed to accept the stories which he turned in about the new enterprise with eagerness, and Mr. Woodward has the proud distinction of being able to say that he obtained more notices for White City than any other enterprise or show of any kind ever received.

Before the date of the opening Mr. Woodward's scrap books made as good a showing as many of the big New York shows can make in an entire season. The newspapers which gave him notices and printed pictures of White City number into the thousands, and it is an actual fact that he obtained more publicity in some of the Missouri newspapers than the recent St. Louis Exposition obtained.

In the Publicity Department of White City a perfect system is maintained. After glancing at a card in his convenient files Mr. Woodward can cordially thank a visiting editor for the notices which he gave him on a certain date, and before he departs supply him with more ammunition in the way of write-ups or cuts.

The industrious advertisers in Chicago, and they are not among the least, are wondering how he did it. No end of compliments are passed to and fro and wherever advertisers gather they discuss the remarkable campaign so successfully made by this new man in the field. Mr. Woodward is a young man well seasoned with experience. Of course White City is the biggest thing he ever handled because White City is the biggest thing in America today. General Manager Paul D. Howse rescued him from the grind of work incident to conducting the mail order department and catalogues for a Chicago wholesale house; knowing his capacity for good work from their former associations as fellow reporters. Before coming to Chicago Mr. Woodward was assistant advertising manager for the Siegel-Cooper Co. in New York, where he resigned in order to remove to Chicago because the future Mrs. Woodward lived there. In this campaign, as in others, he was successful and he now provides for two.

As a boy he had his experience with a tent show, one of the peripatetic kind and found himself with a broken collar bone in a farm house among strangers; deserted. As a reporter he went to Cuba as special war correspondent for the New York World in the year 1905, when the Cubans were fighting the Spaniards. He carried secret dispatches to General Antonio Maceo, the principal Cuban leader at that time, joined his staff as lieutenant and was given two promotions so that he is entitled to call himself "El Capitan." He organized Maceo's cavalry escort and fought through the campaign with him, receiving three wounds.

As an advertiser he has demonstrated his versatility, being successful in every campaign which he has undertaken. As a worker his labors are incessant because he does not realize that there is a time for rest until his work is finished.

Probably one of the most extraordinary tributes which can be paid him is the statement that he handled the publicity department for White City in such a capable way that it was found unnecessary to use the entire appropriation set aside for the preliminary work. He saved a very large portion of it, and got the very best results; all that could be asked by critical business men.

Of course a magnificent affair like White City could not fail to be a success. Yet, if the people of Chicago had not been told all about it, if their impressions had not been carefully moulded by the clever wording of Mr. Woodward's writings, if he had not developed plans which were wholly new and which were exactly what was needed to interest the people in White City, it would have taken weeks or perhaps months to get the enormous attendance which has been a constant feature since the very day of opening.

PAT CHATS

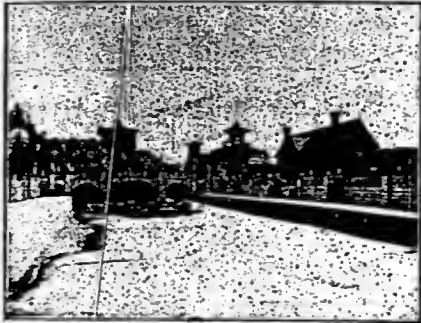
Things Theatrical North and West from a Chicago Point of View.

CHICAGO OFFICE OF THE BILLBOARD,
Suite 61 Grand Opera House Bldg.,
87 S. Clark St.

Chicago now has an amusement center that ranks with any of London, New York or Paris. In White City, dedicated to mirth and enjoyment, the managers have made good all their promises, and now nothing remains but the sanction and appreciation of the public.

If the Sunday visitors be a criterion, an old fashioned World Fair attendance is looked for. White City has been a revelation to those who have studied and watched its growth. Its steel structures, broad walks, mammoth plaza, the attractive sunken gardens, the bumps, the chutes with a huge lake at the base, its white columns, its hundreds of vines with growing things, and

CHUTES LAGOON.



White City, Chicago.

its innumerable opportunities for delight and recreation, all combine to bring about a verdict of approval and amazement.

The success of this venture is due to Joseph Belfield, Paul D. Howse and A. J. Jones. Mr. Belfield is a man of strong personality, determined in everything he undertakes. The trio went to New York and resolved to give Chicago better fun than the crowds were offered in the eastern metropolis.

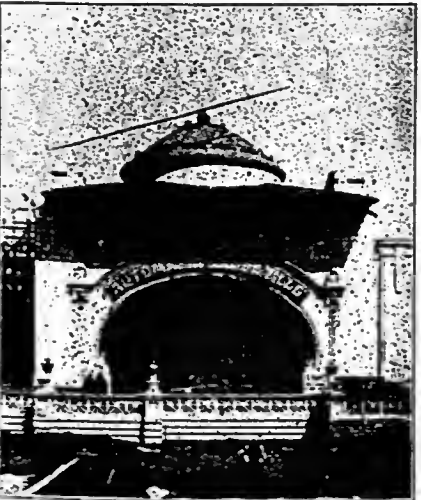
"One million dollars is none too much to spend on this thing," said Mr. Belfield. "White City has to be the best there is in the country or anywhere else."

Both Mr. Howse and Mr. Jones are clever Chicago promoters of national reputation, and by their constant and harmonious work with Mr. Belfield, they have made the dream of White City a reality.

Months ago there was a corn field on the site at 63rd street and South Park avenue, where now you see an electric tower nearly 300 feet high, solid white walls, broad arches and big columns, that in outline and design suggest the beauty and grandeur of the World's Fair. Edward C. Boyce, of international reputation, designed White City.

It is a place of recreation for all sorts of people. The romantic find the lights twinkling for them, or they can sit down near the flowers and listen to Banda Rosa's secrets. The practical can guess at the amount of steel used in the structure of the building and the electric power necessary to keep things moving in White City.

AUTOMATIC VAUDEVILLE.



White City, Chicago.

Families find benches waiting for them; the hungry may spend as little or as much as they please, and go over to Venice and ride around in a gondola while the food is digesting. The

College Inn is destined to be the most popular place for dinner parties in Chicago this summer. It is big and airy and furnished in green shades. It adjoins the ball room where there is a polished floor that can accommodate one thousand dancers. This hall room is one hundred and sixty-seven feet long, and one hundred feet wide. A master of ceremonies is in charge, who, with his trained assistants, prevents the dancers from lapsing into any kind of careless conduct. There is a high-class orchestra of twenty pieces, as well as a superb orchestra bought by the management for \$20,000 at the St. Louis Fair.

The College Inn is elevated above the board walk so as to give space for a German Bath-keller and a dairy lunch room below. There is also a refectory called "Terrace Tavern in the grounds especially arranged for women and children where tea, cakes and soft drinks are served.

There are all sorts of attractive things going on along the board walk, the only one of the kind, by the way, west of Atlantic City. There is a scenic railway, carrying one three-fourths of a mile into the black forest of Germany, across the Alps and around Siberia. There are flying airships, and there are humps, and Hereafter and Shoot-the-Chutes, with a 500 foot escalator which carries passengers to the pavilion, and a lake at the base which contains 1,385,000 gallons of water. The Johnstown Flood is reproduced and presented on a gigantic scale and there is an automatic vanderbilt, containing all the latest mechanical novelties, a fun factory where a laugh is guaranteed with every admission. There are circus rings where out-of-door performances are given every little while, mechanical wax works where a collection of life-like figures slide about and mix with the visitors, a photograph gallery, a gypsy camp with real Spanish gypsies, a dog, pony and monkey circus, a toboggan, Jim Key, a palmistry kiosk, Utopia, where one sees unexpected things under and over the sea, a miniature railway with a model railroad system of track, switches, signals and a half mile right of way through tunnels and marvellously improved grottoes. And, too, there is a Temple

SCENIC RAILWAY STATION.



White City, Chicago.

of Music where a piano is played by wireless telegraphy, the electricity passing through the body of a woman. There is a Chinese theatre where actual Chinese artists, men and women, perform.

The fire show is getting a large amount of attention. It covers an area of 300 feet long by 200 feet wide. There are busy streets, streaming with life and interest. The pavements are of concrete, the streets are paved, there are gas lamps that flicker, restaurants in which people are eating, and shops in which purchases are being made. There are the regulation fire alarm boxes, fire hydrants and big buildings equipped with fire escapes. There are over two hundred and fifty people who take part in the fire show. Three complete fire companies, a sixty-six foot extension truck, chief's buggy, coal wagon, ambulance, patrol wagon, and red shirted firemen, trolley cars filled with passengers moving about the doomed city. Cabs and delivery wagons act the way they do in State street, and men are seen gossiping in club windows. Then comes the alarm of fire, and the fire fighters do the rest, under the charge of Chief William West. There are pyrotechnic displays from time to time of the kind known as ground fire works or set figures. Some are given on floats in the chutes' lagoon and some in flying machines.

The Cummin's Indian Congress is what makes the trains late these days on the elevated roads. From the tracks one may look directly into the Indian Camp. These Indians enact the Fort Dearborn massacre. Another feature of the Cummin's show is Monte Zuma the tall Indian who stands nine feet high and who amuses himself by playing leap frog over full grown horses.

The aim of the management has been to produce only clean, new and enjoyable amusements. The buildings are all of permanent character, and it is the present intention to continue this style of attractive entertainment for many years to come.

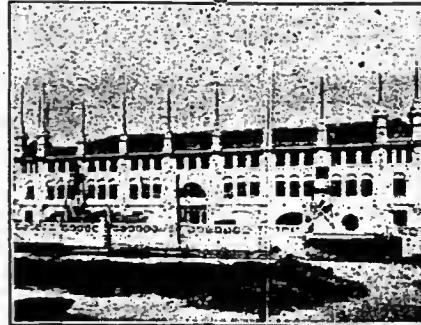
One of the most artistic places in all White

City is Venice with its scores of gondolas, its little canals, its old palaces, reproduced on canvas, showing the picturesqueness of Venetian life. There is the Bridge of Sighs, the Doge's Palace, St. Marks dome, and it is always twilight there. Venice is 250 feet long and 100 feet deep, and cost as it is at White City, \$75,000.

Perhaps the greatest source of interest in White City is the incubator babies, who have been so well provided for that it will be their own fault if they do not grow. They have a house all to themselves, professional nurses to attend them, and the best physicians available to see that everything is done properly.

In short, an adequate idea of the way the space is used at White City will be found in the following table: Ball Room, 167x100 feet; College Inn, 208x100; Automatic Arcade, 60x100; Hereafter, 40x80; Monkey, Dog and Pony Circus, 40x100; Temple of Music, 35x100; Johnstown Flood, 40x100; Photograph Gallery, 20x50; Palmistry Kiosk, 20x50; Midway, 150x100; Fire Show, 225x180; Chutes, 250x50; Donkie

BALL ROOM.



White City, Chicago.

Circle, 202x85; Scenic Railway, (a) Scene Palace, 100x100, (b) Railway Track, 700x25, (c) Loading Station, 100x60; Infant Incubators, 90x75; Venice, 250x100; Electric Theatre, 20x75; Fun Factory, 20x75; Band Room, 20x50; Jim Key, 40x100; Flying Airships, 120x100; Bumps, 40x100; Electric Tower (258 ft. high), 40x40; Wax Works, 50x120.

The main entrance is 80 feet wide and 85 feet deep. The Chutes Lagoon is 50 feet wide by 325 feet long. Over 1,000 men have been employed at one time, constantly, in the erection of White City, and over 100,000 electric lights flash a greeting to the visitors.

Thus White City is a reality, a marvellous enchanting and substantial fact. It has come to stay and is anxious to show what a good host it can be. Much of the success and assurance with which it makes its initial bow is due to Mr. Franc E. Woodward, manager of the publicity department, who showed the aims and claims of the movement in a convincing and dignified way.

WARREN A. PATRICK.

INFANT INCUBATORS.



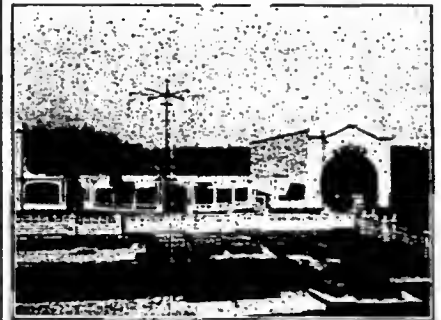
White City, Chicago.

PROCTOR ENLARGES CIRCUIT

E. F. Proctor, the well-known manager, has decided to erect a theatre in Troy, N. Y. The report that Mr. Proctor intended buying the Rand Opera House or the Royal Theatre at Troy has been refuted by his representatives, and it develops that the manager is negotiating for the purchase of a site for the erection of a completely new theatre. His intentions are to build a house similar to the new Proctor Theatre in Newark, N. J., and it is planned to make it thoroughly metropolitan by adding a roof garden, an entirely new feature for the Trojans.

The fact that Mr. Proctor is already booking attractions for his Troy house is considered sufficient evidence of his good faith in the matter. The success of his Albany theatre has evidently prompted Mr. Proctor in his new undertaking.

AIRSHIP AND BUMPS.



White City, Chicago.

ITS FAREWELL TOUR

The famous German Marine Band, which numbers forty master musicians and is directed by Herr Louis Kindermann, will shortly start upon its farewell tour of the principal cities of this country. The summer bookings now being arranged are devoted to parks, expositions and big outdoor affairs. This organization is the same that proved so popular at the World's Fair and on the brief tour which followed its engagement at that place, except that it is being improved, numerically and artistically, being elaborately costumed, and having a more extensive repertoire. Five soloists have also been especially engaged by cable. They sail from Hamburg May 27, arriving in New York in time for the initial concert which is scheduled for the first week in June. Mr. W. H. Isham, manager of the band, is assisted by Mr. Frank E. Tracy, formerly in advance of Brooke's Chicago Marine Band.

FIRE SHOW.

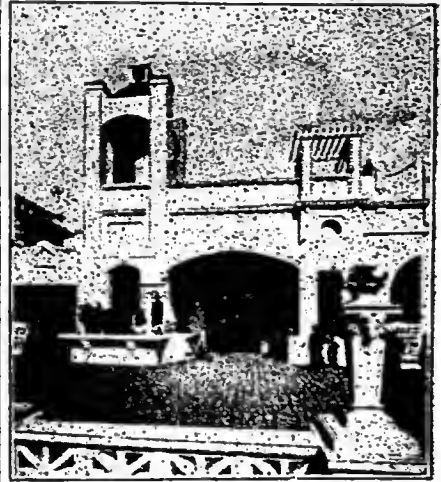


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OFF FOR AUSTRALIA

Nance O'Neill and McKee Rankin and company sailed from San Francisco, May 18, for Australia, whither they go for a six months' tour. The company includes John Glendenning, Andrew Robson, George Friend, Mrs. Henry Bracy, Ricci Allen, Jane Marbury and Madge Bloodgood. The Australian tour will begin at Her Majesty's Theatre, Sydney, the initial production being The Fires of St. John. At the conclusion of her foreign engagement Miss O'Neill returns to San Francisco, where

ANIMAL CIRCUS.



White City, Chicago.

she opens an engagement at the Grand Opera House. Albert Sheehan accompanies Miss O'Neill as business manager.

EULOGY ON JEFFERSON

Rev. G. L. Morrill, Minneapolis, Pays Tributes to Departed Actor

Rev. G. L. Morrill, chaplain of the Actors' Church Alliance in Minneapolis, Minn., recently delivered a eulogy upon the late Joseph Jefferson at the Unique Theatre, the house being crowded by citizens of the twin cities and by a large number of the profession. The theatre was richly decorated by floral offerings and appropriate orchestral and vocal music added interest to the occasion, for it had been previously announced that Rev. Morrill would speak upon the life of the well known actor.

Rev. Morrill spoke in part as follows:

"Joseph Jefferson has left us. Last Sunday while the Easter bells were ringing the joy of the resurrection he looked out upon the ocean he loved, then saying 'Farewell' to his family about him, his soul crossed the sea which flows between time and eternity, and he dropped anchor in heaven's harbor.

"The grand old man of the stage is mourned by three generations of men, women and children in England and America, who loved him for the smiles and tears he brought into their life. Some of that sorrowing number are here this morning, and it is fitting we pause long enough to express our feelings of love and loss, and to place for-get-me-nots upon his new-made grave.

"The elements were so fixed in him that nature might stand up and say to all the world, ancestry, and destined to the stage, he nevertheless 'This was a man.' Descended from an actor's less enjoyed outdoor sports and indoor books. Club life with its men and school life with its children were dear to his heart. He loved the country with its quiet, and the ocean with its roar. To nature he added a love of human nature, at once gentle, good and generous.

"Jefferson's genius was versatile. He could paint a landscape, give a lecture, write a charming autobiography, and act on the American stage as no other actor did. As Caleb Plummer in 'The Cricket on the Hearth,' Bob Acres in 'The Rivals,' and Mr. Golightly in 'Lead Me Five Shillings,' he achieved a success and honor which no rival divides with him. When it came to Rip Van Winkle there was a simple, subtle, spontaneous something about it which made it the most perfect creation of the American stage. He did not act Rip. He was Rip, with an art of humor and humanity inimitable. He made his own place, and no man lives to fill it.

"But he was more than a popular actor. There are some men we admire, but we love him. The old and young felt his magic, pathetic humor and winning way.

"Mr. Jefferson was great because he was good. His body, mind and heart were in harmony. He loved God and man. He was charitable and conscientious. Because he was broad-minded, of personal worth, and clean character in private and public, he occupies the highest place in the heart of theatregoers, and is by them deeply mourned.

"His career was in the relation of cause and effect. Evolution equals involution. No actor can be a drunkard, debauchee, and moral outlaw and attain Mr. Jefferson's fortune, fame and name.

"Grand critics place Jefferson foremost in the list of representative players. After more than three score years on the stage, he gave the reasons for his phenomenal success. The rule of professional life he placed most emphasis on was this: 'No lasting success can be gained if anything of vulgarity or impurity is permitted to tarnish a performance.'

"Jefferson never compromised the high ideal of his nature or art. What he grandly did was rooted and grounded in what he virtuously was. His godly genius redeemed and adorned his profession, and made him a household word among the children he loved, and who loved him because he was so much of a child in heart himself.

"Mr. Jefferson did much to bridge the chasm between the church and theatre. He sought to lift the stage to the plane of pure pleasure, and innocent instruction, from which it had fallen. They of the profession who admire the dead actor should follow in his upward influence—lest on account of its increasing carnality and commercialism the theatre continues to be regarded by the church as high treason against the mental and moral welfare of humanity.

"Personally, Mr. Jefferson was of noble character, true to himself and others. Privately, he had a tender love for wife and child which was sacredly sweet. Publicly, he was the ornament and honor of the American stage and the exponent of its best dramatic art.

"Not long ago Mr. Jefferson said, 'I don't mind dying. It is the thought of quitting all these dear faces that hurts.' Dear old Joe! Today he is glad and we are sad. He is gone but not to be forgotten as old Rip was by the villagers in the play. From the time he made the first theatrical impression on our childish hearts, his name has been a household word. We can never enter a theatre without associating it with Joe Jefferson and Irving's immortal Rip Van Winkle. Though dead, he still speaks and we shall see and hear him again in immortal youth. It remains for us all to cherish the part he played on life's private and public stage until death rings down the curtain, and above the applause of earth we hear the Master say: 'Well done, good and faithful servant.'

NEW USE FOR MOVING PICTURE MACHINE

Mr. Chas. Frohman has decided that in the future the moving picture machine will play an important part in the equipment of his productions. Mr. Frohman returned to London last week from Bath, whither he had taken an artist and his stage manager for the purpose of obtaining material for the staging of a play. A biograph, or pic-

ture machine, was taken along and used to catch bits of life at the famous resort. The throng outside the ancient pumproom, with the invalids in their chairs, the bazaars, and the different features of life in the ancient city, were snapped continuously by the artist. In speaking of the venture, Mr. Frohman said: "My trip to Bath is only a part of the scheme I have had in mind for some time. I do not believe that from ordinary photographs it is always possible to gather a correct impression of life in some strange place. I believe that the moving picture will be able to convey a correct idea as to the characterization of the people to be portrayed in the drama. If ever the question of localities should arise there would be a record of inestimable value. I am going over to Ireland later to get moving pictures of the real Irish, then I shall biograph the real Scotch, the French and the Germans, and so on. I shall keep the records on file in my office and shall be able to bring up the life of any country by pulling down a record."

THE STROLLER

The stroller paid a visit recently to the Chinese Theatre in New York. He had made a previous attempt, but, though his desire to look the unique enterprise over was very intense, it had, like an aching tooth with proximity to the dentist's chair, been neutralized by the revolting appearance of the throng in front of the door.

This time he made sure there would be no turning back. A party of professional friends were invited to take dinner with him at a Chinese restaurant; after which all were to attend the theatre together. The banquet had been prepared by a well-known Celestial caterer, who promised a swell spread made up of all the celebrated Chinese dishes, and served in native fashion. The party started in with brave stomachs, fortified by a day of

ZINGARELLA



She plays Parks and Her Spiral Globe Act is considered one of the very Best of its kind.

fasting; but they ended in complete and ignominious rout. Unable to manipulate the chop-sticks, they called for knives and forks, which lay unused beside their plates as one course after another was alternately placed before them and removed untouched. With the exception of one member of the party who said his stomach was invulnerable and his digestive organs

proof against anything he might swallow, they all contented themselves with recourse to American fruit. The valiant gormant ate an egg that had surely been buried seven years, and started on a bird's nest pudding, but at this point his long suffering stomach sensibly rebelled—and, incidentally broke up the feast.

Then the little party, after an interesting stroll through the narrow tortuosities of Mott and Pell streets, repaired to the theatre, where the prospective audience was pressing about the ticket office. Chinese in native costumes, from flowing greased cues to short soled sandals! One might easily fancy their having fed upon such fare as was displayed in the neighboring shops, with pressed, dried chicken and exhumed eggs as rare delicacies. A further stretch of imagination would picture them in the morphia laden atmosphere of the squalid dens to which they would retire for solree and debauch after the "play."

It was a taciturn and an obnoxiously odoriferous crowd. In the struggle for admission no quarter was given and none was asked. There was no semblance of conventional courtesy; further than this, every man obviously mistrusted his fellows. Even the ticket seller was screened from view. Only his hands being visible through the little slot before which a purchaser would thrust down his money and cover it with both hands, as protection against any possible attempt on the part of his neighbors to summarily appropriate it to themselves.

The Stroller was debating with himself as to whether he should lead his friends into this struggling rabble of stinking Chinamanity, when two native representatives of the gentler sex approached, and, it being his nature, he followed them. They secured their pasteboards and he, being likewise accommodated, found upon entering the house proper that ten cents in addition to the price of each ticket would entitle himself and his friends to seats in the solitary box in the rear of the orchestra floor.

The auditorium was reeking with tobacco smoke and other odors not individually distinguishable. The performance was in progress on a little triangular stage in the corner of the room; but as the party had been informed that the play had really been running several months and would continue indefinitely without the repetition of a situation, no one seemed disconcerted because he had not arrived earlier. Of course, it was done in Chinese, and though the American visitors could not understand one word of the dialogue, it must have been well calculated to excite the risibilities of the audience, which was frequently thrown into paroxysms of mirth, and applauded enthusiastically from time to time. There were no entries or exits. The entire company occupied the stage at all times, the actors coming forward upon occasion to follow up their cues. Musical instruments were introduced—typical Chinese instruments, the manipulation of which seemed to be a secondary consideration, the quality of the music falling somewhat below that ordinarily produced by the Igorrotes of the Philippines in celebration of a dog feast. Songs were also interpolated, croning, drolling effects without the slightest regard of harmony, cadence or rhythm.

There was not, as far as could be discerned without a knowledge of the language, the least sequence to action, business, or dialogue, but it pleased the class for which it was made up, and as the Stroller and his friends were curiosity seekers and not critics, they left it to the audience to pass judgment upon the merits of the production, while they sought the fresh air and a much needed supper on the good old Bowery.

The Stroller has, for some years, had under observation the relations of two brothers which make up a rather pretty little story. Charles, the younger, was a delicate, sentimental chap, who, by a stroke of good fortune, secured a position as press agent in the office of one of the Broadway managers. The boys were alone in the world, and through the indulgence and fraternal love of John, the elder, Charles had enjoyed the opportunity of a very fair education, which advantage John, as head of the small family of two,

J. F. HEAD



Above is reproduced an excellent likeness of Mr. J. F. Head, manager of the new Auditorium Theatre and Grand Opera House at Hot Springs, Ark. Mr. Head is recognized as one of the most popular managers, and his affable and extremely polite manner in treating with agents and managers has won for him a warm spot in the hearts of a majority of the traveling profession. He is perfectly fair and candid in all his business dealings, and his administration of affairs at the theatre above mentioned has been a most successful one.

had necessarily forfeited. In the early days when both were youngsters, John had gone to work in a department store to earn means of support for the lad in whose education he took so much pride. With succeeding years he advanced by diligence and strict attention to duty as far as the position of salesman, where, through his lack of education, it seemed he was destined to remain. But in Charles' success he took the greatest pride. His love for the lad was very remarkable indeed, especially as Charles seemed hardly to have the proper appreciation for what his brother had done for him or even to return the various manifestations of love and admiration with the consideration and respect they called for. It was evident he was ashamed of John's position. His illiteracy he openly deplored.

But for all this, Charles was a good press agent and as his employers appreciated his efficient efforts, his prospects seemed very bright. One thing was against him. He had not the physical resources to withstand the ravages of the Bohemian life into which he was thrown. His ambition carried him far, but it was not sufficient. His ultimate purpose was to write a great play, and having thus obtained the means of subsistence he would retire to a little farm on the banks of a river, where, among his books, he would turn out an occasional play just to gratify his artistic temperament and to show that he could—and incidentally to replenish his finances. He would have horses, an automobile, a houseboat where he would dream and write, a launch, and a thousand and one other things to make life paradisiacally enjoyable.

But his health broke irreparably before the play was started; before, as he expressed it, he had even qualified himself to write. The projects of his fancy fell like a house of cards. Once more he was thrown helpless upon his brother's support, and again John was not found wanting in that charity which is greater than all other things.

The play has never been written but Charles is enjoying the peaceful quiet of the farm in the river valley while John has given up many comforts in order to reduce his expenses so that he may make what remains of his brother's life as nearly like those halcyon days of his dreams as possible.

Very few, even of the professional people who have visited Coney Island this season, are familiar with the pathetic story of one of the spellers, who, by his well directed energy, has succeeded in getting as good results as any other man in like capacity on the grounds.

A few years ago this speller was one of the most successful managers in New York. But affairs went badly

with him. The results of a life's work were swept away in a few hours. He had to go to work again for somebody else. His old efficiency was gone; conditions had changed and the field in which his early efforts had brought success was closed against him. There was a family dependent upon him, and though the struggle with his pride was a bitter one, he accepted the first opportunity that offered. It was the position of spieler at the Buffalo Exposition. From that time on he has talked on the front of carnival shows or circus side shows, and now he is at Coney Island.

It is not because he is too good to be a spieler that he is to be pitied. Perhaps he is only to be admired. There are hundreds as good as he in the same business, but very often when men are reduced to the necessity of physical toil they are inclined to advertise their stress of mind abroad and to deplore their misfortunes far and wide. It is distressing to hear them.

What a relief it is then to observe the fortitude of our friend, the spieler! He does not excuse his position to the old acquaintances who happen upon him. He is as proud as he was in the old days when their cards were sent in to his private office. He does not feel that the world is treating him badly. Maybe he is not happy, but the world does not see it. He has not lost his self respect. He is proud of his past success, but he is not ashamed of his failure.

His smile is bright and hopeful. Who knows what a world he may have within himself?

DRAMATIC.

The Little Cherub is the title of a new piece by Owen Hall.

Harrison J. Wolfe is at his home in Youngstown, Ohio, suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

The Missouri Girl played the annual benefit of Local 83 of the Stage Employees of North Adams, Mass., May 20.

When the Sothern-Marlowe tour closes this month, these well-known actors shall have appeared in sixty-nine different cities.

Elsie DeWolf sailed for Paris May 20. It is said that she has decided to quit the stage and will devote her time to other lines.

Malcolm Williams, formerly of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is now at the head of the Malcolm Williams Stock Co., playing New England.

Ollie Cooper, one of the cleverest of child actors and a member of the Florence Roberts Co., is very ill at her home in San Francisco.

Report has it that Kid McCoy, the well-known prize fighter, is desirous of securing a play to serve as a vehicle for his appearance upon the stage.

Maxine Elliott will appear next September in My Girl Joe, written by Clyde Fitch. Herbert Standing will play a part especially written for him.

The Peruchi Co. is playing to good business at the Chilhowee Park Theatre, despite cold and rainy weather. The orchestra is a feature of the performance.

Will T. Hodge will produce his new piece, entitled Eighteen Miles From Home, at the Lyceum Theatre, Rochester, N. Y., June 7. Mr. Hodge is author of the book.

J. W. Cope, who has scored a success in Arizona, will be associated with the

HARRY G. WALTERS



Of The Beauty Doctor Co.

Belasco forces next season, having signed to create a new part in a new production.

The Country Judge, a rural comedy by Alice E. Ives and Jerome H. Eddy, is booked for production next season. A well-known actor is promised for the stellar role.

The ministers of Cedar Rapids, Ia., have joined in a crusade against Sunday performances. An ordinance to that effect has passed its third reading in the council chamber.

Howard Scott recently closed a very successful season at the New Belasco Theatre in Los Angeles, Cal., and opened at the Alcazar Theatre, San Francisco, where he is very popular.

The Frank Wallace Co. closed its season at Stanh's Theatre, Knoxville, Tenn., May 15. They opened at Roanoke for a four weeks' engagement over the Wells-Dunne-Harlan Circuit.

When Miss Eleanor Robson goes to London next Easter she will make her appearance in a new play at the Haymarket Theatre, supported by her American company under the management of George Tyler.

Frank Allen, the old time actor-manager, has been spending several months at his home in Pulaski, N. Y., on account of the illness of Mrs. Allen, who is fast regaining her health. They expect to soon resume work.

A trifling incident between M. Ibels, an author, and M. Gemler, an actor, during a rehearsal at the Odeon, Paris, has led to three duels and three more in perspective.

number of friends in the profession who wish him success in his new venture.

The Forepaugh Stock Co. opened a four weeks' engagement at the Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, beginning May 29. Members of the company as well as Mr. Geo. Fish, manager, have a large number of friends in Philadelphia, and the theatregoing people will evidently give them a hearty reception.

Mr. Hugh J. Eltinger has decided to again enter the business in Stillwater, Minn. He has erected a large tent on North Main street, and will engage a stock company for the presentation of popular comedies and drama. His wife, who appeared the past season as Salome in The Holy City, will play leading parts.

Miss Ellis Jeffries, playing in London Assurance, has been forced to close her season in Washington, D. C., it being claimed that the National Theatre, at which place the company was performing, was unsafe. Miss Jeffries will soon return to England for the summer, while the members of her company will rest in this country.

In a duel scene at the Lyceum Theatre, Minneapolis, Minn., May 12, Ernest Fisher was injured by the point of a dagger in the hands of his opponent, Richard Cotton. The dagger penetrated Mr. Fisher's side, striking a floating rib. The blame was laid on the property man for having given Cotton a sharp pointed sword.

Notes from the Huntley Entertianers: We have been playing to continuous per-

J. N. BIXMAN



Owner of Bixman's New Theatre, Clinton, Ia.

Ashwell at the New Theatre, and William Collier in The Dictator at the Comedy. It is a case of sell out nightly at all of these houses.

George Ade has completed the scenario of his new comedy, entitled The Bad Samaritan. The idea is a novel one. A young man of somewhat wild proclivities has his wealthy father confined to a sanitarium, hoping by this means to get a better chance to enjoy life in his own fashion. The old man, however, emerges from the institution entirely rejuvenated and carries the son a pace that the younger man had never dreamed of. An undercurrent of love interest permeates the story.

An enthusiastic meeting of the stockholders has put an end to the rumors that the German Theatre in Davenport, Ia., would not produce plays next season. All the stockholders are in earnest support of continuing the productions, and will lend their financial support to that end. Season tickets, admitting two persons to the theatre, are being sold for \$50 each, and an effort is being made to have these people subscribe for three years in order to insure the productions for that length of time.

Fred. A. J. Dunwick, a professional hypnotist who has managed several hypnotic road attractions, is conducting a press bureau at Pulaski, N. Y., where he has been located since leaving the road a few years ago and is actively engaged in pushing the pencil for a large list of city dailies in his section. Mr. Dunwick recently retired from the management of Bets Opera House. In a letter to The Billboard he states that professionals will find a warm welcome at his office, where this paper is on file.

Philip Carr is trying out a curious experiment in London at the Great Queen Street Theatre, where the Mermaid Repertory Co. is playing under his direction. The first production was a revival of Sheridan's Critic. Performances are given every evening and on Saturday afternoons. Among the plays to be presented are The Duchess of Malfi, The City Madam by Massinger, and Beaumont & Fletcher's Scornful Lady. Besides there are to be one or two new pieces by living playwrights of note. The critics are watching this experiment with much interest.

Notes from the E. R. Hogate Dramatic and Vaudeville Co.: We opened under canvass May 1 at Desplains, Ill., to S. R. O. Owing to misrepresentation we were compelled to hold over at Fort Atkinson four days to reorganize. We are now moving along nicely, each member of the company being well adapted to his role. The Cat Family of Boston are a box office winner. Our general manager, H. R. Moore, is making friends in every town, and we are flooded with requests for return dates. Mr. Walter Sanford, our leading man, and his wife are making new admirers all along. The Wilsons, expert gun manipulators, are our vaudeville feature.

The next Charles B. Dillingham star to play in London is Frank Daniels. When George Edwards was in America last season he witnessed a performance of The Office Boy and thought it the real thing for London, and to that end contracted with Mr. Dillingham for Daniels' appearance there next May; the contract is not for one season, but for three, so all the Daniel successes will doubtless be seen in the British capital. Maxine Elliott, another Dillingham star has caught on and is playing to capacity of the Lyric Theatre at every performance. It is only a question of securing time and theatres as to how long Miss Elliott can remain in London.

Notes from the Della Pringle Stock Co.: Miss Pringle was called from Portland, Ore., to her mother's home in Knoxville, Ia., recently, on account of her illness. Miss Pringle writes that, although a trained nurse and two physicians are giving her mother every attention there is little chance for her recovery, as she is suffering from a complication of diseases. Miss Pringle has sold her private car to her brother, J. E. Van Winkle, who will use the same this summer as a tourist car from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Portland, Ore. Miss Pringle will not carry a band and orchestra next season, but will have a strong acting company, including Bill, Boh and Brownie, the bag punching dogs. Her tour opens next August under her husband's management.

THE EARL SISTERS



The above is an excellent likeness of the Earl Sisters, Clare, Zella and Dede, who will tour the principal parks in this country this season. They are under the management of their mother, Lola Lea Earl. Their sisters, Hazel and Mande, are well known in both vaudeville and circus fields.

The first was between the above named parties.

John Drew, Margaret Anglin and the members of her company appeared at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, Cal., in an entertainment for the benefit of charity. The affair was under the auspices of the society folk of that city.

Mrs. Jennie Bowman, seventy years of age, and once an actress of ability, was recently taken from Marion, Ind., to the county infirmary. Mrs. Bowman was supporting an invalid daughter who is fifty years old. The daughter was taken with the mother.

The work of Mr. S. S. Shubert will be carried out by his surviving brothers, Lee and J. J. Shubert. Mr. J. W. Jacobs, who has been connected with the firm in a managerial capacity, will in all probability be taken into partnership with the above gentlemen.

The Florence Roberts Co. enjoyed a week's rest before opening its engagement at the California Theatre, San Francisco. Mr. Herschel Mayall will be Miss Roberts' leading man instead of Melbourne MacDowell. It is her last engagement under the management of Mr. Fred. Belasco.

Singer's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. opened its summer season under canvass at Syracuse, Ill., May 10, with 2,000 paid admissions. Mr. J. M. Singer was formerly manager of The Missouri Girl Co., and has a vast

formances of gentle spring rain. Nine nights of rain out of twelve. Small shows suffer, but our ghost walks regularly. Manager Huntley has the show booked solid in Iowa. Opera house managers are beginning to realize that the Huntley show is out with the goods to stay.

The Spooner Stock Co. put on at the Bijou Theatre, Brooklyn, week of May 15, a play, entitled Polly of the Circus, specially written for Miss Cecil Spooner by Margaret Mayo. Ben. F. Wilson, Harold Kennedy, Augustus Phillips, W. L. West, Hal. Clarendon, Olive Grove, Cora E. Moran, Jessie McAllister, Pearl Hony, James H. Montgomery, Chas. O'ferman and Edwin H. Curtis appeared in support of Miss Spooner.

W. C. Ware's In Old Virginia Co. will have as leading man next season Edwin R. Stanton, and as leading lady Miss Beattie E. Lee. The season opens Sept. 8, and the tour will embrace Missouri, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois and Kentucky. A full line of splendid paper is being prepared and twelve big drops to be used in the production next season are being looked after by Mr. Frank R. Field. Time is being rapidly filled.

Chas. Frohman has at the present time four big successes running in London. These are The Catch of the Season, with Seymour Hicks and Ellaline Terriss at the Vaudeville Theatre, Alice Sit-by-the-Fire, with Ellen Terry at the Duke of York's Theatre, Leah Kleschna with Charles Warner and Lena

ZIEGFELD'S ENTERPRISES

Florenz Ziegfeld has been a busy man since going abroad. He has arranged for an appearance in London of Anna Held in a revival of her American successes. The engagement will last three months. Mr. Ziegfeld is negotiating with the management of the Moulin Rouge, Paris, which he will run on American lines. On May 20 he signed papers for the appearance of Grace Van Studdiford in England, France and Germany for the season of 1906-07. Miss Van Studdiford will be supported by an American company and The Red Feather will be her vehicle. It is probable that she will also appear in a new opera. There are also reports about a visit which Mr. Ziegfeld took to Monte Carlo, recently, and over which he is very joyous. His press agent doesn't claim that Flo broke the bank, but he asserts that he made a big dent in it to the tune of about \$120,000.

PLAYHOUSES.

The Elks of Danville, Ky., are planning the erection of a new \$13,000 opera house. Mr. Harry Gerson has taken the management of the opera house at Titusville, Pa.

Manager J. Frank Head of Hot Springs, Ark., spent a few days in Newport, Ark., last week.

Fred. Martin, treasurer of Staub's Theatre, Knoxville, Tenn., has gone to Montgomery, Ala., to manage a summer park.

Mr. Butterworth, formerly of the Buster Brown Co., will book the attractions for the new theatre to be erected at Cumberland, Md.

The Opera House and the Park Theatre at Youngstown, Ohio, will be improved this summer to meet the requirements of the law.

Ira Joseph is fast making friends in the box office of the Central Theatre, San Francisco, where he is the able assistant of Mr. Home.

Manager Ellsworth of Iowa Falls, Ia., has been chosen secretary and treasurer of the Ellsworth Hotel Co., which will build a new \$40,000 hostelry at Iowa Falls.

A stock company is to be organized at Hedrick, Ia., for the purpose of buying the Methodist church at that place and remodeling it into an opera house.

The Grand Opera House at Augusta, Ga., has been leased by J. C. Tuggle, who will open the resort June 5 with vaudeville. It is a new venture, but prospects are bright for a prosperous season.

Work on the Lyric Theatre, Philadelphia, Pa., which has been stopped for some time, is now being pushed with vigor. It looks now as if the house would be ready for the opening early next season.

The Grand Opera House at Winfield, Kan., has been purchased by Messrs. Williams Newton and W. J. Nunn from the Eastern Loan Co. for \$12,000. Mr. E. R. Byers will continue as manager of the house.

Contracts have been let for the construction of a new theatre in Altoona, Pa. The house will have a balcony and gallery and will seat 1,800 people when completed. I. C. Miehler is financing the enterprise.

The Academy of Music at Cumberland, Md., will probably be improved during the summer season. The theatre is owned by the city, and it is understood the new council will give the matter considerable attention.

Betta's Opera House at Pulaski, N. Y., has been leased by the Amity Club for a year. Dr. M. J. Terry is acting as manager. Last season the house was under the management of the Pulaski Social Club.

The Family Theatre at Anaconda, Mont., has been added to the Star Circuit, having been leased by the Montana Amusement Co., composed of C. Morton Cohn as president and H. M. Feckham as secretary and treasurer.

Henry Cahen, secretary and business manager of Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco, Cal., is on a trip east. He stops over at Salt Lake City to take in a theatre for the Affiliated. He will also arrange for a house at Kansas City.

Mr. Geo. H. Davis, manager of the Central Theatre, San Francisco, attended the opening of Mr. Belasco's new playhouse in Portland, Ore., May 27. During his absence Mr. Jas. W. Horne, the treasurer of the Central, had charge of the house.

The Blinn Theatre, Frankfort, Ind., will not close its doors for the summer, but will remain open, a list of attractions having been booked by Managers Langebrake & Hufford. The season just closed has been the most successful in the history of the house.

While on his way from Toledo to New York, Mr. Frank Burt stopped at Youngstown, Ohio, to discuss with Manager E. E. Johnson and W. H. Park matters relating to the Park Theatre. They are considering the proposition of putting on summer opera at the Park.

The Empire Theatrical Corporation was incorporated recently by Edward Acornman, Wm. A. Weston, I. H. Wise, Hal A. Curtis and W. Q. Tiffany. The object of the new incorporation is to enlarge the Empire Circuit, which is now booking seventeen theatres.

The Marlborough (Mich.) Opera House was formally opened May 17. The house is well equipped and its stage appointments are

said to be as complete as that of any theatre in the state. After a dramatic production the villagers were entertained with an informal dance.

Wallie Mack will manage three theatres this summer, presenting vaudeville and burlesque. They are the New Gayety Theatre, Revere Beach, Mass.; New Gayety Theatre, Nantasket Beach, Boston, Mass., and the Gayety Theatre at Nantasket Beach, Mass. They open June 10.

It is reported that the Davis Opera House at Bourbon, Ind., will be torn down. Several weeks ago an alley wall collapsed, leaving only the frame work inside the veneer. A committee was appointed to investigate the conditions and they reported that the house was unsafe. It is comparatively a new building.

Samuel Loverich, president of the Affiliated Western Vaudeville Circuit, was recently presented with a gold watch by Tony Lubelski, Henry Caben and Paul Friedman, all of Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco, Cal., as a testimonial of the esteem in which he is held, and his excellent management of Fischer's Theatre.

Mr. L. M. Luchs, manager of the Auditorium at Marietta, Ohio, has leased the Camden Theatre at Parkersburg, W. Va., and taken possession of the same. Manager Lucas has had the Auditorium Theatre for nine years and has conducted it very successfully. His many friends are sanguine over his obtaining the Camden, and predict for that house a successful future.

EASTERN WHEEL ADDS ANOTHER

The Eastern Burlesque Association has secured another house. L. M. Crawford's Fourteenth Street Theatre in St. Louis is the latest acquisition. George J. Kraus, president of the Eastern Association, writes that the organization of which he is at the head now controls thirty first-class burlesque theatres playing standard attractions and that it has the option on several more western houses, the contracts for which will be signed within ten days.

MINSTREL.

The Larimore Greater Minstrels will close its season June 17 at Denver, Col. The company opens again in September.

Curry Howard's Minstrels under canvas opened their season May 15, at Dubuque, Ia. Messrs. E. S. Baker and Will F. Gardiner, the well-known showman, are associated with Curry in the venture.

BURLESQUE.

Miss Frisky of Fresno is the name of a burlesque presented at the Weber Mude Hall in San Francisco, Cal., week of May 20, with a large cast of well-known people.

Art C. Boshell, advertising agent of the Star Theatre, Minneapolis, Minn., who made himself a general favorite the past season, has left that city for New York where he will make his home.

It is reported that John W. Isham's King Rastus Co. closed suddenly at Springfield, Miss., after a week's engagement of good business at the Nelson Theatre. The manager is said to have disappeared without leave, evidently well equipped for a long summer vacation, having failed to part with any of the week's receipts.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Clem Bevius and wife, Edith Hart, have signed with The Errand Boy Co. for next season.

Frank R. Field writes that he has been engaged for advance next season of the W. C. Ware in Old Virginia Co.

The following people have been engaged by the Al. Fresno Players Co. for the summer production of As You Like It: May Stewart for Rosalind, Archibald Hotchkiss for Orlando, Joseph Lehmann for Touchstone, Ralph Marthy for Silvius, William F. Pharr for the Duke and Lemuel B. C. Josephs for Jacques. Mr. Josephs will also act as stage director. The performances will be in the open air.

COMPANIES CLOSING.

The Davis-Driscoll Stock Co. closed its season at Newbern, N. C., May 13.

The Chester DeVonde Stock Co. closes its season at South Norwalk, Conn., June 3.

The Whittlesay Co. recently closed its season in Oakland, Cal. Mr. Whittlesay has gone to San Francisco.

E. J. Carpenter's A Little Outcast Co. closed a very successful season of fifteen Co. closed a very successful season of forty-five

The J. S. Garside Big Stock Co. closed a season of one hundred and fifty-six weeks at Clearfield, Pa., May 15. Mr. Garside and wife, Emma Warren, are at their home in Ohio, taking a much needed rest. Their next season opens in September at New Castle, Pa.

The Miller Brothers' Co. closed recently in Cedar Rapids, Ia. The season lasted forty-three weeks, the last ten being over the Chamberlain & Harrington Circuit. The roster was as follows: J. M. Miller, manager; Leonard A. Emmert, stage director; F. M. Cogshall, stage manager; Geo. Vale, advance agent; Geo. C. Hill, musical director; Monte W. Lewis, Harry Edwards, Master Drew LaBeau, Ella Miller, Burdell Bardrum, Phrona LaBeau and Mina Griffin, who has successfully played leads all season.

SHUBERT'S LONDON THEATRE

The new Waldorf Theatre which has just been completed for the Messrs. Shubert was opened, May 22, with every sign of success. Owing to the illness of Mme. Calve, that well known personage was unable to appear in Cavalleria Rusticana, the much announced opening bill, but Fernando de Lucia appeared as the star in I Pagliacci. De Lucia made an excellent impression and the opera was beautifully presented. The house was filled, every one of the 1,700 seats being occupied.

There was considerable curiosity attending the opening of the Waldorf owing to many American innovations introduced. The seating arrangements are upon American lines. There is no pit on the lower floor, but all the seats are stalls and sell at a guinea (\$2.50) each. There are only four boxes and the front row of seats in the balcony sell at fifteen shillings (\$3.75) each. The advantages of the new arrangement and the beauty and convenience of the house is admitted by Londoners who, as a rule, are adverse to such innovations. The decorations are in rose du Barry and the house is lighted beautifully.

VAUDEVILLE.

The Maple Leaf Trio are still in the west playing to good business.

Laura Burt is to enter vaudeville in a comedy sketch, entitled Stop Thief, written for her by Edmund Day.

Fred. K. Schale, buck dancer, is now with the Lewis Vaudeville Co., being one of the features of that organization.

The Flying Dunbars have been engaged as a special feature for the opening of Paragon Park, Boston, Mass., June 10.

The Sloanes, sketch artists and vocalists, write that they were a big bit week of May 22 at the Phillips Theatre, Richmond, Ind.

Torcat and D'Aliza, after playing nineteen weeks on the Affiliated Western Circuit, are booked over the Sullivan & Considine circuits.

The Marvelous Shields, comedy wire artist and hoop roller, writes that he has signed with the Mason & Dixon U. T. C. Co. for the summer season.

Elmore, mimic character artist, has finished his engagement over the Lang Circuit and is now playing the Empire Circuit, California, with success.

Godforth and Doyle write that they are meeting with phenomenal success in the middle west presenting their new comedy act, entitled The Military Maid.

Rawls and Von Kaufman have closed with the Freeman Fiske Co. to play parks. They will appear in their sketch, entitled Mush, and have some good time booked.

Kardel and Zhardna, "Original Spectacular Creators," report that they are in their tenth consecutive week on the Lang Circuit and are meeting with success.

The Great Kinsners opened upon the Lang Circuit at East St. Louis, Ill., May 22. They go to Australia for Harry Richard, Nov. 15, for a fifteen weeks' engagement.

The Angelus Theatre, Los Angeles, Cal., opened May 8 with the following bill: Gus Leonard, Willis and Collins, The Three Masquerades Sisters, Angelus Quartet, Ralph Wray and Billy Onslow.

Manager Grauman of the Unique Theatre at San Francisco, Cal., has organized a vaudeville company playing the circuit including Vallejo, Napa, Benicia, Santa Rosa, Petaluma and Healdsburg.

C. Cuvier Dury and Miss Margaret Ackerman, who have been in Cincinnati the past winter, leave for New York shortly. They will appear next fall in their new sketch, entitled The Folly of a Friend.

Edwin R. Gillett, of Milwaukee, Wis., has recently joined the vaudeville ranks. He is doing a song and dance specialty in a black-face makeup. He is booked for an eighteen weeks' tour of the western states.

A. W. Furst, formerly of the Cineograph, San Francisco, has sent out a vaudeville company which will play a circuit of coast towns, including Auburn, Grass Valley, Venada City, Carson, Virginia City and East.

Arthur Godkin, manager of the theatre at Mistissinns Park, Marion, Ind., reports capacity business for his resort. Among the performers there week of May 14 were Churchill and Simons, Clifford and Stevens, Hatch Brothers and the Godkin Trio.

Harry Burns opened his summer season at Ebner's Park, Burlington, Ia., May 29. Harry writes that his summer time is nearly all filled, as well as some dates for next season. He contemplates a European tour, beginning September, 1906.

Claude Ranf, wire performer, has about recovered from his injury recently received at the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., where a heavy jack fell upon his head. Several stitches were taken in the scalp. He is now playing the Crystal Circuit.

Billy and Tillie DeWitt played the Odeon Theatre, Dayton, Ohio, week of May 15 with Lima, Ohio; Richmond, Ind.; Springfield, Columbus and Norwalk, Ohio, to follow. This team joins the Swallow and Markie Floating

Palace at Parkersburg, W. Va., the latter part of June.

During the performance of Howard Thurston at Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco, Cal., his assistant, Ione, who is hypnotized, collapsed while eight feet above the stage and was precipitated to the hard floor. She sustained several scratches and bruises, though no permanent injuries.

Lewis and Herr have played twenty-six weeks in California. They go north, thence to Chicago, where they have a year's solid booking. Mr. D. J. Grauman, the well-known vaudeville manager of Frisco, says that Lewis and Herr are the greatest colored musical act that ever played the coast.

Milton J. Crandall, of Fulton, N. Y., who is making a summer tour with a vaudeville show, was recently presented with a gold life membership card by the lodge of Elks in that city in recognition of his valuable services in arranging a minstrel performance for the benefit of the lodge of which he is an enthusiastic member.

Fields and Hanson, comedy musical team, write that they have been headliners the last twelve weeks on the Considine Circuit, and are meeting with success at every stand. The Fields and Hanson management has always been right up to the minute. Their name has become a trade mark for all that is bright, worthy and amusing in modern minstrelsy.

TOO REALISTIC FOR MAYALL

Mr. Herschel Mayall, leading man for Miss Florence Roberts' company at the Central Theatre, San Francisco, Cal., was injured by too severe a blow on the head inflicted by the villain in A Human Slave who uses the butt of a revolver to accomplish his purpose. The actor staggered, but regained his consciousness in time to save himself from a complete knockout. An ambulance was called, but upon its arrival, the victim of realism had sufficiently recovered to proceed with the play.

MUSICAL.

James Quinn, of the musicians' union at Youngstown, Ohio, attended the Detroit convention.

To Henry W. Savage belongs the record of having produced eighty-two operas in English.

Adams' Humpty Dumpty Co., under canvas, drew big crowds for three performances at North Adams, Mass.

Miss Anna McLaughlin, long identified with The Wizard of Oz Co., will not be a member of the cast next season.

After a very successful season in the orchestra of the Miss Bob White Co., Albert Barber is spending his vacation in Hagerstown, Md.

Cosima Wagner's suit against Heinrich Conradi, growing out of the American production of Parsifal, has been discontinued by mutual consent.

Ysaye made a profound hit in San Francisco where he played to crowded houses. The people of San Francisco became very enthusiastic over the singer.

Miss Elizabeth Voelker, daughter of a prominent business man of Dubuque, Ia., is the composer of a new two-step, entitled Spring Is Calling. It is becoming very popular in the west.

Miss Nellie Lynch, who has been so successful in The Tenderfoot this season in the role of Sally, goes to San Francisco where that piece has a summer run. She will appear in her old role.

Pauline Hall returns from her trip abroad early this month to begin rehearsals of the new comic opera, entitled Frazzled Frenzied Fancies, which Mr. Geo. W. Lederer will produce in July.

Janet Priest, of the Maid and The Mummy Co., has gone to Maine to spend her vacation. Her mother and sister, Gordon, a recent recruit to the profession, will join her in the northeastern state.

Joe Cawthorne, whose season in Mother Goose recently closed, has gone to Asbury Park, N. J., in company with his wife, Queenie Vassar. They will remain in that summering place ten weeks.

Peter J. Smith writes that he has just closed a very successful season of twenty-eight weeks at the Main Street Theatre, Peoria, Ill., singing illustrated songs, and that he has been re-engaged for a season of thirty-five weeks.

Mme. Lillian Blauvelt has signed a six years' engagement with Manager Fred. C. Whitney. Next season she will appear in a comic opera by Charles Emerson Cook and Lucius Hanser, entitled The Rose of The Alhambra.

Prof. Thomas, leader of the orchestra at the Grand Opera House at Dubuque, Ia., will be given a benefit concert June 5 at the Grand. Owing to failing eyesight it is feared that Prof. Thomas will be forced to give up the leadership of the orchestra.

Klaw & Erlanger will next spring produce in London The Pearl and The Pumpkin, which opens at the Broadway Theatre, New York, next September. The spectacular production will be taken intact to the Drury Lane Theatre after its New York run.

Misses Effie and Anna Conley of the Tenderfoot Co. are visiting Herbert Burns at his home in Hagerstown, Md. After their sojourn Mr. Burns will accompany the Misses Conleys to Boston, thence to Chicago to rejoin one of Mr. Carle's forthcoming productions next season.

CORRESPONDENCE

ALABAMA.

BIRMINGHAM.—Bijou Theatre (M. L. Semon, mgr.) Billie (S.) Clifford in How He Won Her week 22; large houses. This engagement closes the season.

East Lake Casino opens the summer season June 8, the Olympic Musical Comedy Co. being the attraction. Said Paha and The Girl From Paris constitute the bills for the opening week. Pain's Pyrotechnic Display, introducing the latest war spectacle, The Fall of Port Arthur, is billed here for week 29.

MONTGOMERY.—Pickett Springs Casino (A. O. Neal, mgr.) The Peruch-Gypsen Co. is still playing to good houses, putting on some clever pieces. The engagement closes week 22, and will be followed by The Payton Sisters, who will remain for two weeks.

MOBILE.—Mobile Park Theatre (M. A. McDermott, mgr.) Jackson's Comedians opened the third week of their engagement 22 to excellent business and are giving good satisfaction.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Columbia Theatre (Gottlob & Marx, mgrs.) Chauncey Olcott opened in Terence, Sunday, 14, to a very large house. Mr. Olcott's reappearance in San Francisco was well received and the people seem very enthusiastic over him. He had to respond to general curtain calls as well as make a telling little speech. Next week he will present A Romance of Athlete.

Orpheum (John Morrissey, mgr.) The new bill at the Orpheum last Sunday, 14, was very well received. They presented six new acts, which were as follows: Charles H. Burke, Grace LaRue and their Inky Boys, presenting The Silver Moon; Henri French, European novelty entertainer; Chas. Barry and Hulda Halvers; John Birch, The Man With The Hots; Emmett Corrigan & Co. in The Card Party; Lavender and Tomson in A Touchdown; Les Dahllas, Parisian novelty dancers, and Mme. Sliapoffski, presenting Are You a Mason. The advance sale for the troupe from Mignon.

Alcazar (Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.) Presented Vivian's Pappas Monday, 15, to a large house. The comedy is by Leo. Ditrchstein, author of Are You a Mason. The advance sale for the week is very large and it promises to be a laughing success. Next week this versatile stock company will present A Fool and His Money.

Central (Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.) Presented A Human Slave Monday, 15, to a very large house, and a big week is predicted.

Tivoli (W. H. Leahy, mgr.) Opened Monday, 13, with The Mikado, a very pretty Japanese play, which was well received. The acting, music, chorus and costumes were very artistic and beautiful. Next: The Tenderfoot.

Grand Opera House (S. L. Askerman, mgr.) The Creole, or L'Article 47, Clara Morris' greatest success, was presented at the Grand Opera House last night by the Ferris Stock Co. It is an emotional drama in four acts and was well received. Next: Way Out West.

Majestic (Harry Bishop, mgr.) Opened last night with Ivan, The Terrible, by Alexis Tolstoy. It is a Russian play in five acts and seems to have caught on very well. Mr. J. H. Gilmore made a big hit in the title role, with Adele Block in the role of Princess Terika.

Alhambra. Ysaye, the great violinist, is coming to the Alhambra and will give six concerts. Ysaye has not been heard in San Francisco for several years and his reappearance will be welcomed by all lovers of good music.

Chutes. Give a splendid show every afternoon and evening. Among the novelties are The Johnstown Flood, Charles Bigney, the world's champion high diver; Wm. J. Kurdis and his little dog wonders, Guess and Bunch, and Fanny Donovan in her original parodies. Items—Mr. E. L. Sackett, former manager of the White Whittlessey Co., left for Portland, Ore., last night to take charge of the Belasco Theatre in that city. * * Mr. Herschell Mayall, leading man of the Central Stock Co., will leave that company to play leads with Miss Florence Roberts at the California, in place of Melbourne MacDowell. * * Mr. Theodore Gamble and Grace Hopkins are the new leading people for the Central Stock Co. They will open next week. * * George Johnson was in town ahead of the Meyer's Carnival Show, which is showing this week in Silver City, coming through New Mexico and Arizona. * * The air here is full of airships, hot air and balloons. Prof. Montgomery, of Santa Clara College, Santa Clara, has invented an airship which seems to be a great success. It has made several trial trips and the professor hopes to have it perfected before long. There is a man here by the name of W. Musselman who claims to have sailed in the air from Los Angeles to Oakland, but there is not much faith in his story. His ship is called the Angelus, and belongs to the Baldwin Co. * * All is in readiness for the big baseball game between the talent now performing at the Orpheum and a team that will be captained by Eddie Hanlon, who isatcher to box Young Corbett next month. Manager Morrissey has offered a silk flag to the team winning the game, which will be umpired by Morris Levy and be played at Croll's Gardens, Alameda. A. W. THOMPSON.

SAN DIEGO.—Isis Theatre (Wyatt & Dodge, mgrs.) The Bates Stock Co. have occupied the theatre the past five nights to good business, and pleased audiences. Margaret Anglin, Monday night, 22, will present Zira, and Tuesday, The Second Mrs. Tanqueray. Advance sales are large. Mr. Barney Bernard will appear in The Financier 26. Of the three vaudeville houses the Pickett seems to take the lead, both in attractions and the amount of business.

CONNECTICUT.

HARTFORD.—Parsons' Theatre (H. C. Parsons, mgr.) Charles Hawtree in A Message From Mars 17; delighted capacity audience. Mrs. LeMoyné gave an artistic production of A Blot on The Scutcheon 20, only fair house. This performance concluded the regular season. The Hunter-Bradford Players will open their summer season of stock 29, with Christopher, jr.

Hartford Opera House (Jennings & Graves, mgrs.) The Queen of The Jungles 18-20; only fair house. Queen of The Jungles 18-20; fair house. Hazel Kirke 27.

Poll's Theatre (L. C. Kilby, mgr.) The Colby Family were the top liners week 15. Clayton and Jenkins and Sam Elton also had acts which were very pleasing. Next: Navajo Girls, Coronas, Edwin Keough & Co., A. O. Duncan, World Comedy Four, Carita Day, and Dudley and Cheslyn.

Unity Hall. The Rose O' Plymouth Town was given an excellent presentation by the Emerson College Club to capacity audience. Miss F. Elizabeth Mack as Rose made a big hit. Item—The opening performance of the Hunter-Bradford Players, at Parsons' Theatre, 29, will be given for the benefit of the Hartford hospital. F. G. BLAKESLEE.

WATERBURY.—Jacques Opera House (Jean Jacques, mgr.) Poll's Own Co. opened the season of summer stock with The Wife, week 15, to S. R. O. Week 22, A Stranger in a Strange Land.

Poll's Theatre (Jean Jacques, mgr.) Chas. Hawtree in A Message From Mars 16; pleased good house. Waterbury Symphony Orchestra 23; Viola Allen in As You Like It June 2. Vaudeville for benefit of Jacques and Poll's stage hands, June 7. Item—The theatrical colony of this city has been increased by the arrival of Chas. A. Hollman, and Leo and Adolph Race of the Ben Hur Co., Al. Darling of The Girl From Kay's, and Ben Rolan of The Sign of The Cross.

BRIDGEPORT.—Smith Theatre (E. C. Smith, mgr.) Queen of The Jungles 15-16; pleased fair audiences. R. M. Sperry's Cross Lots 17-20; delighted capacity business, and marked close of season.

Poll's (Jos. Criddle, mgr.) An excellent stock company opened the season 15 in The Christian to a packed house, and bids fair to duplicate the success of last season.

Steepchase Island, under the management of Geo. Tilson, will open and inaugurate a vaudeville season 23. Circus—Ringling Brothers' Advance Car No. 1 was in town 18, billing for June 8.

SOUTH NORWALK.—Hoyt's Theatre (I. M. Hoyt, mgr.) American Vitagraph 22; Chester DeVonde Stock Co. 29-June 3; The Telephone Girl June 23. Circus—Frank A. Robbins' Circus played to packed house in the afternoon, and hundreds were turned away at night. They gave a clean performance, and their record speaks for itself.

ILLINOIS.

SPRINGFIELD.—The Chatterton (Geo. W. Chatterton, res, mgr.) Rip Van Winkle, Al. S. Evans in the title role, 17, pleased only fair house. Finegan's Alley, presented by the Lyceum Stock Co., 18, to only fair business. Richard Mansfield in Bean Brummel 19; greeted by representative house. Danger of a great city 21; good business. Lost in London 22; only fair house. Hi Meny's Minstrels 23; well received by medium house.

The Gaiety (Smith & Burton, res. mgrs.) Three matinees each week will be given at this house during the summer months. Business continues good. Week 22 gives Coser's Grand Circus, Cameron and Toledo, selections from grand opera; William Gross, talking comedian; Sinclair and Carlisle, slack wire experts; Silenert and Thomas, wooden shoe dance, and Edison's motion machine.

The Empire (John Connors, prop. and mgr.) Very good attendance continues, and plans are progressing to keep open during the entire summer. The offering week 22 are Bessie Crawford, illustrated songs; Anna Hall, serio-comic; Ads Orlando, character change artist; Della Odell, operatic selections; Leo and Slinky, comedy boxing act; Anns Lind, vocalist; N. Parker Dixon, comedian, and the projectoscope.

The Olympic (Jno. Berriman, mgr.) Attendance is increasing here and Al offerings continue. Week 22 brings us Vesta Mottross, illustrated songs; Pauline Lester, soubrette; Woodford and Maribora, comedy playlet; Vivian Hall, character sketches; LaBelle Star, serio-comic; Christy and Willis, tramp juggling act; Nina Stram, up-to-date musician, and the projectoscope.

DANVILLE.—Grand Opera House (W. L. Kelley, mgr.) The Midnight Flyer 19; good business, audience well pleased. This closes the season at the Grand.

Bijou (Walter Endall, res. mgr.) Business is first class at this popular house. New faces this week are Asbland and Tekla, Geo. W. Stewart, Bonsilyn and Ward, Beale Taylor, and Clement Johnsons.

Wonderland Park opened the season to an immense business 20. Among the features are Roller Coaster, Paris Moving Pictures, Laughing Gallery, Old Mill, Daucing Pavilion, Pool Hall, Ball Park and others. The theatre is packed afternoon and night. People for this week are Weber Family, acrobats; The Three LaMolnes, Dubeck and his dogs, Nero, wire walker; Smith and Ardo, and Belle Belmont.

JOLIET.—Opera House (Wm. H. Hulalinger, mgr.) The Flints week 14; pleased good houses. Grand Theatre (Louis Goldberg, mgr.) Week 15: Annie Abbott, the Georgia magnet, was one of the best drawing cards of the season. Others were Allen and Bright, Harry Clinton Sawyer, The Musical Harts, Hibbert and Warren, and the projectoscope. Week 22: Three Graces, Bissanette and Newman, J. Howard Maxwell, Williams and Melburn, Tilman and Ball, Royer and French, and the projectoscope; good business.

INDIANA.

EVANSVILLE.—Cook's Park (Felix Seiffert, prop.) Clayton and Dale, Raymond Zel, Howley and Leslie, Waldron Brothers, Murray and Clayton, Miss Clayton, and the kinetoscope, followed by band concerts in the Colliseum by Straube Band. The Giant Swing is now in operation and proving a great drawing card.

Oak Summit Park (W. B. Merrill, mgr.) Extensive improvements are being made here. Over two hundred new reserved seats are being installed in the theatre, and a ninety-foot roof is being built to protect patrons. This park will open June 4 with high-class vaudeville, and nothing but the best will be seen on the boards this season.

The Wright Amusement Co. will furnish the attractions for the Firemen's Street Fair week 29. Prospects are good for big business as carnivals are popular here and the Wright Co. has the confidence of the people, having always put up clean and moral shows in the past.

Barnum & Bailey's Circus is billed for an exhibition here June 13, its first appearance here in eleven years. EDW. SCHUELLER.

KOKOMO.—The Park Summer Theatre opened Monday night, 22, with Dickson & Mustard's

Humpy Dumpty Co. In spite of chilly weather the big pavilion was crowded, and business shows no signs of diminishing. The May Carnival, which is being looked after by Harry Sanger and Milt. Mitchell, opens for a week 29. The summer theatre will be run on the combination plan, and Maaager Helmuck had some very good attractions booked, and practically all time until Sept. 1 is filled.

MARION.—Grand Theatre (J. H. Sommers, mgr.) Week 22: Whalen and Searle, Snie Goodwin, Constantine and Lawrence, Andy Rice, Count DeButz, and moving pictures.

Crystal Theatre (J. H. Ammons, mgr.) Week 22: DePontas, Bewslid, Reno and Murray, Irene White, and the kinodrome to good business. Carnival—Eagles' Carnival, with the Ferrari Brothers as the attraction week 29.

LA FAYETTE.—Carl Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show bill the town for exhibition June 2. Barnum & Bailey's Show have advertised their appearance in Danville, Ill., June 18, and special excursion will run via Wabash R. R. on that date.

FRANKFORT.—Blinn Theatre (Langhebrake & Hufford, mgrs.) Dark week 15. Howe's Pictures 23; Railroad Jack June 2; Berry Stock Co. week June 5. This house will remain open all summer.

FERRI.—Boyd Park opens 28, with C. Erin as manager. Creator and his Italian Band are the attraction at the theatre 28-30.

IOWA.

DUBUQUE.—Bijou Opera House (J. Rosenthal, mgr.) Crowded houses continue at every performance. Manager Rosenthal expects to keep the Bijou open until about June 10, when he will open the summer season at Schutzen Park with high-class vaudeville nightly. Bill week 21; Travels and Landers, shadowists and pastel artists; Sully and Phillips, comedy team. In The Irish Orator; Powers and Freed, musical duo; Will E. Gross, monologue star; Miss Marie Lawrens, formerly of The Bostonians, and the kinodrome.

Grand Opera House (Wm. T. Roehl, mgr.) Mrs. Fiske and the Manhattan Co. 15; large and appreciative audience, despite rainy night. An Aristocratic Tramp 20; good business. Howe's Pictures 23-26; Richard Mansfield in The Merchant of Venice 31.

CEDAR RAPIDS.—Greene's Opera House (J. B. Henderson, mgr.; W. S. Collier, bus. mgr.) Miller Brothers' Stock Co. closed the season here 15-21, playing to good houses. Mrs. Fiske in Leab Kleschna 22; Henderson Stock Co. 23-28; Richard Mansfield in Bean Brummel 29; Howard-Dorset Repertoire Co. 30-June 4.

People's Theatre (Edw. Curran, mgr.) Good bill drew good business. Week 22: Ring and Williams, Ray W. Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Keimme, Coggshalle and Lewis, and the polyscope.

WATERLOO.—Brown's Opera House (O. F. Brown, mgr.) Frank E. Long week 15; pleased good house. Dora Thorne 27.

Electric Theatre (E. H. Johnson, mgr.) Week 15: M. Samuels, impersonator; James Ruvane, Jennings and Jewell, illustrated songs and moving pictures; good business. Week 22: Dayton Sisters, James Ruvane, Clem McGee and others. Circus—Gentry Brothers 24.

OSCALOOSA.—Masonic Opera House. Wm. Owen in Othello 18; big house and excellent satisfaction. Bioscope Co. 22-23. Items—W. P. Hall's Circus 16; pleased good business. The horses are well trained and are the feature of the show. * * Great Parker Amusement Co. June 19-24.

IOWA FALLS.—Metropolitan Opera House (E. O. Ellsworth, mgr.) William Owen in Othello 23. The International Bioscope closes the season at this house 27. Circus—Gentry Brothers 25; Forepangh-Sells Brothers June 9.

MASON CITY.—Wilson Theatre (O. F. Pederson, mgr.) Dark week 19. Wm. Owen in Othello 26; will practically close the house for this season.

KANSAS.

SMITH CENTER.—Opera House (Ed. Miller, mgr.) Was She To Blame 25-26. Under canvas—Beecher & Stanley's Ten Nights in a Barroom 11; fair business. Campbell Brothers' Circus 18; pleased capacity business.

HUTCHINSON.—Home Theatre (W. A. Loe, mgr.) The Wrights, supported by a strong company playing a summer engagement, opened 8. Carnival—Parker Amusement Co. week June 5.

PARSONS.—Electric Park Theatre (H. C. Moorhead, mgr.) Opened 19 to good business with A Soldier of Fortune.

KENTUCKY.

LOUISVILLE.—Hopkins' Fontaine Ferry Park (Wm. Reichman, mgr.) Good crowds in attendance week 21, and in the vaudeville theatre are to be seen McMahon's Minstrel Maids, Murphy and Willard, vaudeville vagaries, McFahon and Chappelle, E. singers and dancers, Three Musical Keltons, Billy Link, monologue, and Gallardo, clay modeler. Week 23: Smith and Cook, Dorothy Sisters, Dog and Thompson, Schack Brothers, Imperial Comedy Four, and Al. Carleton.

Macaney's Theatre (John T. Macaney, mgr.) The Goodbye Stock Co. 23-27 in Henry Miller's powerful play, The Lost Paradise. Clever work is done by Emmet King, Frank Peters, Miss Adeline Dunlap and Miss Corinne Cantwell. Next: An American Lansen.

Riverview Park (Lum Simons, mgr.) Eschhorn's Band to good crowds week 21. Ninaweb Park (Summer Brothers, mgrs.) Morbach's Military Band in nightly concerts to good business week 21.

Hammer's Park (Casper Hammer, mgr.) Andy Siebert's Concert Band for week 21; fair business.

Senning's Park (Carl Senning, mgr.) Will open about June 1 with local band concerts.

Jockey Club Park (Matt Wann, mgr.) Will open June 11 with Duss Concert Band of New York.

Hopkins' Theatre (Wm. Reichman, mgr.) Closed. Will open Sept. 1.

Avenue Theatre (O. A. Shaw, mgr.) Closed. Will open in August.

Masonic Theatre (O. A. Shaw, mgr.) Closed. Will open in September.

Buckingham Theatre (Whallen Bros., mgrs.) Closed. Will open in August. Items—Charles Rice's Dog Show will open the season week 28, at Glenwood Park, New Albany, Ind. * * Billie Robinson has about completed his shows and will take the road in July. * * Chas. Strassburg, an old-time actor, is very ill at his home

in this city. * * The Mysterious Willard Bohman was in town this week, but only stayed a few hours. * * Pain's fireworks have put out some fine paper for week June 12, when they will present The Fall of Port Arthur. * * Harry Conlin and wife joined Ringling Brothers' Circus last week. ORVILLE B. TAYLOR.

LEXINGTON.—Opera House (Chas. Scott, mgr.) Local talent in Virginia Sweethearts 19-20; capacity business. Elks' Minstrels 22; capacity. Carnival—Maccabees' Street Fair and Carnival, with the Robinson Amusement Co. as the attraction, will open 29 for six days.

MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE.—Academy of Music (Nixon & Zimmerman, mgrs.) Miss Maida Snyder, the youngest star in the comic opera field, made her appearance. Less than a year ago she was an unknown quantity. Today she occupies a position which is envied by many an older professional, with her rapid rise in due to the innate talent with which she is gifted. Her tone in The Strollers was phenomenal. Now she comes to play the leading role in The Girl From Paris, which adds greater laurels to her success. There is a bright future for this brilliant little star.

Ford's Opera House (Chas. E. Ford, mgr.) She Stoops to Conquer was presented 24, with Eleanor Robson, Isabel Irving, Kyle Bellew, Louis James, J. E. Dodson, Sidney Drew, Frank Mills and others. Owing to the heavy advance sale an extra performance was demanded and granted.

Maryland Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) Miss Jennie Winston, the famous comic opera favorite whose name was almost a household word, returned to play in her role which she made famous in Fra Diavolo. Mr. Kernan engaged her specially for this production with the Maryland Opera Co.

Auditorium Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) The Fays, with their mystic act of Thanmaturgy, entertained large audiences and in addition presented an excellent vaudeville program.

Lyric Theatre (Bernhard Ulrich, mgr.) The Popa concerts continue with unabated success, and Chianferrali's Band is very pleasing.

Blaney's Theatre (O. M. Ballauf, mgr.) Just Before Dawn, with its pathetic and thrilling scenes, was well enacted by a clever company.

Holiday St. Theatre (Kernan, Rife & Houck, mgrs.) The Span of Life, with The Donzettas, was cleverly presented by a competent company.

Monumental Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) The Trans-Atlantic Burlesques, affording the appearance of many excellent entertainers, were on the boards.

Great show! Great show! were the verbal expressions of delight of the many thousands of persons who were fortunate to gain admission to the big tents of the Ringling Brothers' Circus last week. Everybody seemed to be satisfied with the performance. The magnificent spectacle, The Field of The Cloth of Gold, was the greatest feature ever seen. The gorgeous costumes made a brilliant scene. The whole feature was awe-inspiring. The graceful motions of the dancing girls in this spectacle was wonderful and was highly pleasing to the great crowds. The numerous acts that make up the great show were also much enjoyed.

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CUMBERLAND.—Academy of Music (Mellinger Bros., mgrs.) When Johnny Comes Marching Home 30. Mellinger Brothers will shortly present to the mayor and city council a petition signed by many of the leading taxpayers, praying for needed repairs to the city opera house. Item—Diat. Kennedy, comedian, is spending his vacation at his home here. He has signed for next season with Geo. Sidney in Busy Laxy.

HAGERSTOWN.—The park season opens here very shortly. Items—Miss Kille and Annie Conley, of The Tenderfoot Co., are visiting Mr. Herbert Burns, of the same company, at his home here. * * Albert Barber, of The Miss Bob White Co., is home after a very successful season. She expects to be with one of the Nixon & Zimmerman productions again next season.

MASSACHUSETTS.

SPRINGFIELD.—Poll's Theatre. Week 22: Tamer and Gilbert, H. G. Fitzgerald, Josie and Willie Barrows, Henry E. Dixey & Co., Stuart Barnes, The Colby Family, Caron and Farnum, and the electrograph. Capacity business continues the rule at this popular house, and is what the show deserves, every act being of exceptional merit.

Court Square Theatre. Daniel Ryan Stock Co. week 22; fair business. D. M. FROCTOR.

FALL RIVER.—Academy of Music (Cahn & Grant, mgrs.) Mande Adams in The Little Minister 16; delighted good audience. Kellar magician, 27.

Sheedy's New Bijou. The Buffington Stock Co. presenting The Fossilized Marriage week 22; delighted good business. Next: Woman Against Woman.

Nickelodeon (M. F. O'Brien, mgr.) Good business and bill.

NORTH ADAMS.—Empire Theatre. Liberty Belles 13; pleased good business. Kellar 20; good business. Viola Allen 24; good advance sale. Under canvas—Geo. Adams' Humpy Dumpty drew big at three performances 16-17, and pleased everyone.

GLOUCESTER.—Union Hill Theatre (Lothrop & Tolman, mgrs.) Busy Laxy 18; enthusiastically received by large audience. Hunting for Hawkins 25.

MICHIGAN.

DETROIT.—Temple Theatre (J. H. Moore, mgr.) Bill week 21 includes Joseph F. Sheehan, grand opera tenor; Billy Van, comedian; Murtion and Brooks, The Gorgone Woodland Nymphs, VanSiclen and West, Treator and Tempest, Chas. T. Aldrich, Conture and Gillette, and the kinetograph. The bill is a very good one and has drawn crowded houses. Week 23: Claude Gillingwater & Co. and others.

Detroit Opera House (H. Parent, mgr.) Closed. Lyceum Theatre (A. Warner, mgr.) Vaughan-Glaser Stock Co. in When We Were Twenty-one, week 21, is very good and drew good business. Next: Old Heidelberg.

Lafayette Theatre (Dr. Campbell, mgr.) Lafayette Stock Co. in The Charity Ball week 22; fair houses. Under Two Flags week 23.

Whitney Theatre (O. Altman, mgr.) Week 21: Five and ten-cent vaudeville. The Mermaid and six other acts.

Avenue Theatre (F. Drew, mgr.) The Brigadiers week 21; pleased good houses.

BAGINAW.—Academy (J. M. Ward, mgr.) Verna May Co. in Nobody's Claim 14-17; good business. The Garrick Dramatic Co. in Lord Chumley 18-21; May Festival 22-23; Marquette Stock Co. 24-27.

Jeffers Theatre (Bamford & Marks, mgrs.) Henrietta DeSerris & Co. and Carter and Waters Co. 14-20; full houses. Hunt Stock Co. 21; crowded houses. Garrick Stock Co. 22-23.

BAY CITY.—Washington Theatre (W. J. Dant, mgr.) Garrick Theatre Co. 16-17; presented The Charity Ball to fair houses. The Verna May Co. in The Queen of Hearts 18-20; good houses. Tennessee's Partner 21-22; fair business. The Verna May Co. will hold the boards for same time.

Wenona Beach Park opens the season June 4.

KALAMAZOO.—Academy of Music (B. A. Bush, mgr.) Dark week 21.

Casino (Dakin & Baird, mgrs.) Opens 23, with Millard Brothers, Emma Stewart, Youngs and Brooks, The Bowes, Walter Sanford, and the kinetoscope.

GLADSTONE.—Opera House (W. B. Long, mgr.) Ole Olson 18; fair business. Rolla Fox Vandeville Circus 19-20; largest business of the season. Little Outcast 23. Circus—Rolla Fox E. R. Shows is billing the town heavily for June 12.

LUDINGTON.—Opera House (U. S. Grant, mgr.) Old Arkansas 16; fair house. Joseph Shipman's Twelfth Night 22; capacity house. Empire-Stock Co. 25-27.

FLINT.—Stone's Theatre (Albert C. Pegg, mgr.) Droah & Davidson Stock Co. week 15; good business. Circus—Barham & Bailey's Circus June 21.

SAULT STE. MARIE.—Soo Opera House (W. H. Seach, mgr.) Summers Stock Co. in repertoire 15-20; good business. Vaudeville 22-27.

MINNESOTA

ST. PAUL.—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Ferris Stock Co. presented When Knightswood was in flower week 21; most acceptable presentation. Miss Eva Taylor is already a favorite. Next: The Holy City.

Grand Opera House (Theo. L. Hayes, mgr.) Vivian's Pappas week 21; one of the best of the season's offerings, pleased good houses; clever company. Next: Dora Thorne.

Star Theatre (J. C. VanBoo, mgr.) Jolly Grass Widows, with capable principals and chorus and a good olio week 21; gave good satisfaction.

Orpheum Music Hall (Chas. Frerick, mgr.) Vaudeville will continue throughout the summer.

JAMES J. McMAHON.

MINNEAPOLIS.—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Closed for three weeks, except 27, when the senior class of the University of Minnesota present their annual play.

Bijou Opera House (Theo. L. Hayes, mgr.) The James Boys in Missouri week 21.

Lycium Theatre (Dick Ferris, mgr.) Closed three weeks for repairs.

Unique Theatre (M. Gallagher, mgr.) Week 21; Heclow and Wheeler, John B. Murtha, Leonso, Hines-Kimball Troupe, Irene Mason, and motion pictures.

Dewey Theatre. Weber's Dainty Duchess Co. week 21.

A. M. WALKER.

ST. CLOUD.—Davidson Opera House (E. T. Davidson, mgr.) Milwaukee German Theatre Co. 14-15; pleased packed houses. Statson's U. T. Co. 16; good business. The Moonshiners 21; fair business.

MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY.—The Willis Wood (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) Packed houses greeted Richard Mansfield during his stay 22-24, when he presented King Richard III, The Merchant of Venice and Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. As in former seasons the Mansfield productions were in every detail, most artistic and finished. Sothen-Marlowe combinations 29-31.

The Grand (Hudson & Judah, mgrs.) Season came to a close 21, when an extra performance of His Last Dollar was the offering. House will be open week June 11, when the Pollard Juvenile Opera Co. is due.

The Gillies (E. S. Brigham, mgr.) Deadwood Dick was the thriller week 21, and excellent business was the rule. George Klimt in the title role was good, while the people enacting of the other parts in the drama displayed talents of a high order. Next: The Scout's Revenge.

The Auditorium (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) The Woodward Stock Co. put on The Man From The West week 21, and business was fair. Next: A big revival of Ten Nights in a Barroom.

The Orpheum (Martin Lehman, mgr.) Closed. The Century (Joa. J. Barrett, mgr.) Closed. The Majestic (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) Closed. Yale's Theatre (Lloyd Brown, mgr.) Closed. The National (Walter T. Perry, mgr.) The season at this house was brought to a close 21 with a big amateur carnival.

Forest Park (John D. Hopkins, les.; A. G. Peterson, res. mgr.) Business on the increase and week 21 witnessed crowds of fair proportions who enjoyed a good vaudeville bill headed by The Pekin Zouaves in their clever drills and marches, and which further included Crawford and Manning, comedy eccentrics; Fred and Annie Pelot, jugglers; Phyllis Allen, contralto; Apollo, bounding wire act, and the biograph. Meritorious features announced for week 23.

Electric Park (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) The sixth season at this popular resort will be opened 23, and from all indications a most prosperous summer seems assured. Among the new attractions are Mystic Chutes, Myth City, Tours and Scenes of The World, House of too Much Trouble, Mikado's Rickasha, Russian Temple, and others of lesser importance. The German Village has been enlarged and the size of the stage increased in anticipation of the great crowds which will surely be in evidence here upon the advent of hot weather.

Fairmount Park (Ben Rosenthal, mgr.) After having remained closed for the past four years, this beautiful suburban retreat will again be operated as a breathing spot for the masses. Ben Rosenthal, whose long and successful connection with the Grand Opera House here has made him well known to the profession, will have charge, and May 23 is set as the opening date. Many novel concessions are announced and from all reports Manager Rosenthal's intention of making his place the Coney Island of

The West, seems to have been realized. The first headline, out-door attraction is Kilpatrick's daring automobile flight. The theatre has been remodeled and will be managed by Walter Terry of the National, and a good vaudeville bill is announced for the coming week. C. H. S.

ST. JOSEPH.—Lycium Theatre (C. U. Phillely, mgr.) The Fulton Brothers' Stock Co. opened their second week at this theatre with LaBelle Marie, the first half, and Kathleen Mavourneen the balance of week. Jess B. Fulton and Edna Jackson assumed the leading roles and prove themselves decidedly popular by their earnest work. Business continues big. Next: Man and Master. The stock company will give way to a one-night engagement of T. Daniel Frayley in Hanswa's Folly 25.

Lyric Theatre (H. Walter VanDyke, mgr.) Fair patronage has been witnessing the melodramatic production of A Desperate Chance as presented by the VanDyke Co. week 21.

Crystal Theatre (Fred Cosman, mgr.) The bill this week includes McNutt Trio, Mario, Bragg and Ashton; Geo. Delmas, Olson Brothers, and Cosman's moving pictures, and continues to please big crowds at all performances. Manager Cosman announces June 4 as the opening date of Crystal Park.

Casino Theatre, Lake Contry Park (Palmer L. Clark, mgr.) The Slayton Jubilee Singers opened a three-weeks' engagement at this theatre 21 to only fair business. Items—The tents of Century Brothers' Dog and Pony Show were considerably damaged by a terrible storm during their stay at Chillicothe, Mo., 15; however they arrived in this city on time and the usual performances were given 16-18 to customary good business. * * * Philip H. Alexander, in advance of the Gaskill Carnival Co., is in the city doing considerable billing for their date of week 20. Mr. Alexander will remain here until the arrival of the company, which comes direct from Memphis, Tenn., a distance of five hundred and fifty miles, after which he will leave for Leadville, Col., to attend to the same duties in that city.

JOPLIN.—New Club Theatre (L. F. Ballard, mgr.) Hoyt's Comedy Co. week 14; fair business. Manager Ballard has arranged with Charles Lamb, the well-known theatrical manager, to organize a company of players to be known as The Club Theatre Stock Co., which will open 26 with Just Plain Folks.

Lyric Theatre (Chas. E. Hodkins, mgr.) Bill week 14 drew large houses at every performance.

WEBB CITY.—Blake Theatre (A. E. Brigham, mgr.) Bentou's Comedians 15-21; good performances, fair business. Chase-Lister Co. 23. Orpheum Theatre (W. H. VanEtten, prop. and mgr.) Opened 14 with vaudeville, giving two shows nightly. Business has been only fair owing to inclement weather.

Lakeside Park (S. W. Mo. Elect. Ry. Co., props.) Band concerts and moving pictures to fair business.

NEW JERSEY

ATLANTIC CITY.—Continued good business, and with the bathing season opening June 1, and with over twenty conventions booked for June, prospects are exceedingly bright. The past week has witnessed beautiful weather, and all the amusements have done well. The coming week will bring a big increase in the crowds here.

Young's Pier, Mme. Awkins, with Amy Lee and a chorus of fifty, and also the Royal Italian Band, opened to big business week 22.

Savoy Theatre. Orpheum Vaudeville Co. week 22; opened to S. E. O. and prospects are bright for continued big business.

Tilyou's Steeplechase Pier. The vitagraph and many other novelties are pleasing immense crowds. Manager Clements has many big attractions booked.

Heinz Pier. Large crowds are always in attendance at this popular pier.

Garrick Theatre. The Stock Co. presents a change of bill weekly and business is O. K.

Battle of Gettysburg is making a big impression and is doing a big business.

Johnstown Flood. Business is immense, and at times extra performances are given to accommodate the large crowds.

Dentzel's Galloping Horses and Amusement Palace is packed and crowded at all times.

Free Arcade is doing a nice business. All the newest and latest novelties in the amusement line are to be found at this ever-popular place.

Steel Pier. Band concerts, socials, hops, cake walks, and basket ball to S. E. O.

Fighting The Flames is doing a tremendous business.

The Baby Incubator, Old Mill, Scenic Railroad, Loop The Loop, Figure Eight, Roller Coaster, Palace of Illusions, three big Carousels, and Miniature Railway are all doing fine business.

Five penny machine parlors are now located here and there is still room for more. Each parlor contains from one hundred to two hundred and fifty machines, all doing big business. It is certainly a novelty and money maker. A Ferris Wheel is now in course of construction.

Manager Ingersoll, the well-known park man, was here 15, looking after his amusement interests.

The famous Boardwalk is being widened and extended twenty feet oceanward, making it six miles long and sixty feet wide.

FRANK B. HUBIN.

NEWARK.—With the exception of Proctor's Theatre, which will remain open again this summer, the local playhouses have all closed. The park season opened last Saturday under favorable conditions. The Olympic Park has vaudeville and the usual open-air attractions and is under the management of Hans Wevers of the Colosseum. Hillside Pleasure Park is featuring the G. P. Kemp Hippodrome, Wild West and Indian Congress, with Pike amusements, and is being managed by William E. Thaller. General Manager C. A. Dunlap, of electric fountain fame, has made extensive alterations and improvements at Greater Electric Park where the new attractions are a Japanese Tea Garden, Mexican Village and a monster circle swing. The electric fountain display promises to eclipse that of former years and a strong feature is the vaudeville show in the German Village. The opening week bill includes Wood and Barry, Charles Duncan, Martin and Quigg, May Trade, Zimmer, Golden and Hughes, Toledo and Price, The Bottomley Troupe, and the cinematograph.

The S. B. O. sign was out 22 at the annual benefit of the athletes of the Empire Theatre. The attraction was The Pipe of Peace, with Robert Connes as the star.

The food exhibit is open to good business in the Newark Theatre. Ada Landon Hand's orchestra is being featured in the entertainment.

Waldmann's Opera House closes this week with the Black Crook Burlesquers. The executive staff's benefit is June 3.

The Ringling Brothers' Show received a hearty reception here 24, and played to capacity. The parade was a welcome and pleasing feature.

Proctor's (J. Austin Fynes, gen. mgr.) Joe Welch's return to vaudeville was the headline attraction last week. Cole and Johnson was another welcome number of the bill. Current: Bert Leslie and Robert Dalley, Cheridah Simpson, Coin's Pantomime Dogs, Colby and Way, Cooke and Clifton, Kelly and Violette, Miss Martha-Gillette Sisters, and the motion pictures.

HARRY BONNELL, Greater Electric Park.

TRENTON.—Taylor Opera House (Montgomery Moses, mgr.) Running for Office 20; good business. With this performance the house closed for the season. Business has been good for the musical comedies, but the drama has not fared so well.

State Street Theatre (F. B. Shalters, mgr.) Irene Myers in repertoire week 15; good business. House closed with this attraction. Business generally has been good.

Trent Theatre (Edward Renton, mgr.) Trent Stock Co. in My Friend From India 17-20; big business. DuBarry 23-27; All The Comforts of Home 29-31.

Mercer Pleasure Park. Opened auspiciously 22 with a good vaudeville bill of eight acts. Circus—Ringling Brothers gave what is considered one of the best performances ever given here 22. The street parade was clean and showy. Capacity attendance at both performances.

ASBURY PARK.—Casino (Beach Comm., mgrs.) H. A. Walton's Moving Pictures 17, 20, 24 and 27; fair business. Frank L. Wade's moving pictures and illustrated songs 22; vaudeville 29-30.

Park Opera House (H. J. Garrity, mgr.) Dark week 20.

NEW YORK

BROOKLYN.—Warm weather has come and all amusements at the beaches are looking forward to big business. The Boer War opens Saturday, 27, and Brighton Beach Park promises to be one of the leading resorts this season. Dreamland is getting improved and many high-class shows are seen there. Luna Park has many new novelties and is drawing big crowds. Manhattan Beach will open soon and in a few weeks all the nearby amusement resorts will be in full blast. A few of the Brooklyn theatres remain open and are doing very good business.

Orpheum Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) This week's was the last vaudeville bill of the season, and was as follows: Miss Louise Gunning, Ye Colonial Sextet, Chevalier DeLaris, Cooper and Robinson, Frans Ebert & Co., LeRoy and Woodford, Gillett's Dogs, Patter and Hartwell, Clayton White and Marie Stuart. Next week the comic opera season begins. The Little Duchesse will be the opening bill.

Broadway Theatre. The Broadway Dramatic Co., under the management of Frank Belcher, will be seen here for a summer season. This week Barbara Fritchie was produced. Business was very satisfactory opening week.

Bijou Theatre (Mary G. Spooner, mgr.) The Spooner Stock Co., supporting Edna May and Cecil Spooner, presented 17-20. There is no let up to business here and the season will run into June. Next week The Shaughran.

Payton's Lee Avenue Theatre (S. S. Allen, mgr.) The Lee Avenue Stock Co., supporting Etta Reed Payton, presented Camille this week. The production drew packed houses. The Payton Stock Co. has had a very successful season here. Next: The Three Guardsmen.

Star Theatre (A. H. Schenberg, mgr.) Rice & Barton's Rose Hill English Folly Co. presented Knights of The Red Garter and A Sensation for an Hour; business continues very good here. Mr. A. H. Schenberg is very busy getting ready for the opening of the season at Manhattan Beach, where he is manager of Pain's Fireworks. Next: Miner's Americans.

Gaiety Theatre (James Clark, mgr.) Phil Sheridan's Favorite City Sports had a big week here. Next: Rose Hill Co.

Phillips' Lyceum (Louis Phillips, mgr.) The Lyceum Stock Co. presented The Little Church Around The Corner this week to good houses.

Dreamland, Coney Island (Wm. H. Reynolds, mgr.) This week many of the new attractions at Dreamland were opened and everything here is ready for a big season's business. All of last season's attractions such as Bostock's, The Midget City, Fighting The Flames, The Canals of Venice, The Baby Incubator and many others remain as popular as ever. A few of the big new attractions this season are Creation, which was so much talked about at the St. Louis Fair, and Touring Europe in an Automobile and Hell Gate, which should do well here. The Flea Circus which is located adjoining The Midget City is attracting big crowds and the flea that flies off a small canvas is the hero of the clan. The big Hippodrome race course is a strong drawing card, chariot and other races being held here every afternoon and evening.

Bostock's (Frank C. Bostock, mgr.) This attraction is the leading one at Dreamland, Coney Island, this season, and from the business done the opening week, the attraction will be a record breaker. Capt. Jack Bonavita, the one-arm lion trainer, and his lions, is the feature here and a big drawing card. A few of the other big acts are Mme. Morelli and her jaguars; Charles Miller and his elephants; Mlle. Aurora and the Polar bears; Rey and his burlesque wild animals; Brandt and the snakes; also several others. A large entrance to Bostock's has been made on Surf avenue, and a twenty-five-cent ticket also includes admission to Dreamland.

Johnstown Flood (H. A. Bradwell, mgr.) The big reproduction of the Johnstown Flood proves to be more popular than ever and so far this season's business has been much greater than ever before.

Luna Park (Thompson & Dundy, mgrs.) The warm weather brings big crowds to this wonderful Luna Park. Most of the big attractions are open here and in a week or two all of the attractions will be ready for business. The big Fire and Flames Show is as popular as ever and draws well; also The Trip to The Moon is drawing big crowds. The Fall of Port Arthur will be one of the greatest features of Coney Island and The Igorrote Village will soon open. The big three ring, open-air circus is the leading drawing attraction. L. A. Thompson's big

seaside railroad, The Dragon's eGorge, promises to be the greatest of scenic railway devices, and will be opened this week. Luna Park this season is more beautiful than ever and all the attractions are clean and first class. There is nothing objectionable allowed here and ladies and children can visit Luna Park with safety.

Brighton Beach Park (Wm. A. Brady, mgr.) This beautiful new park will open 27, with Wm. A. Brady's big spectacle, The Great Boer War, with General Piet Cronje and one thousand Boer and British heroes of the Transvaal. Capt. A. W. Lewis is the originator and manager of the production. A performance will be given every afternoon at three o'clock and every evening at half past eight; the prices will be twenty-five, fifty and seventy-five cents, and box seats one dollar. The grand stand seats 23,000 people. The attraction is handsomely billed and the daily papers are full of clever reading notices and half-page advertisements. The Boer War will be the leading out-door attraction for New Yorkers this season.

From New York to The North Pole (E. J. Austin, mgr.) This attraction is located on Surf avenue, Coney Island. It is one of the biggest and best scenic productions ever seen here. Last season it did big business at the St. Louis Fair.

Morrison's Theatre, Rockaway Beach. This handsome theatre will soon open. High-class vaudeville will be the bill here. Wm. Morris furnishes acts and attractions for Manager Morrison.

Manhattan Beach Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) A change in policy has been made here and instead of comic opera and light summer shows Manager Williams will present high-class vaudeville opening June 19. The performances will begin at 8:30 p. m. instead of after the Pain's Fireworks Show at 9:15 p. m. Mr. Williams is sure to make a big success of the new theatre as his name connected with a theatre means always a good show.

Pain's Manhattan Beach Fireworks will open about June 17, with the best spectacle ever produced here entitled Fort Arthur.

Bergen Beach. This ever-popular amusement resort, located on Jamaica Bay, is open and a very prosperous season is looked forward to. Many new attractions have been added and several valuable concessions have already been taken, and a few are still left and live ones can no doubt make big money here.

Galveston Flood (James McKane, mgr.) This attraction is doing big business at Coney Island. Many new and startling effects have been added this year and the scenic production is perfect.

Tilyou's Steeplechase Park (Geo. Tilyou, mgr.) The Steeplechase has many new attractions and many novelties. No visit to Coney Island is complete without a visit to the Steeplechase Park.

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TROY.—Griswold Opera House (M. Bels, mgr.; H. R. Hayden, res. mgr.) Francis Wilson 20; capacity houses.

Lycium Theatre (Burns Gilliam, mgr.) The Mortimer Snow Stock Co. for week 15, presented My Partner to big houses all week. The Wife 22-27, with Mr. Snow and Miss Crawford in the leading roles. Miss Crawford returns to the cast of the local company after scoring a great success with the Scranton Co. Miss Crawford's many friends will accord her a hearty welcome back to Troy. The Girl I Left Behind Me week 29.

C. F. MAHONEY.

GLOVERSVILLE.—Darling Theatre (Will E. Gant, mgr.) May Irwin in Mrs. Black Is Back 19; pleased capacity business. Howes' Moving Pictures 20; pleased well filled houses. May Hillman Co. 22-27.

Family Theatre (E. D. Hyde, res. mgr.) Bill week 22: Ora Cecil's Leopards, Mason and Francis, Dawson and Whitefield, Will Dockray, Hathaway and Walton, Ira Kessner, and the vitagraph; business continues big.

ELMIRA.—Bialto Theatre (F. W. McConnell, mgr.) Martin and Ridgeway, Mrs. and Mrs. John B. Wright, May Nelson, Nellie Ridgeway, James D. Froidlove, and the biograph drew good houses 15-20.

Bowick's Theatre (Herbert Salinger, mgr.) Matthew's Minstrels 22-June 3. Manhattan Opera Co. June 5-Sept. 16. J. M. BEERS.

NORTH CAROLINA

NEWBERN.—New Masonic Theatre (F. F. Matthews, mgr.) Davis-Driscoll Stock Co. 8-12; fair business, closing here 13. Osman Stock Co. 15-20; played Blue Grass, Woman Against Woman, The Strategist, and Resurrection to good business. Season closes 31. Circus—Miles Orton Tent Show 15; good show, well pleased audience.

GREENSBORO.—Grand Opera House (Chas. T. Fuller, res. mgr.) House closed for season. Under canvas—Stebel's Dog and Pony Show 10; good attendance, good show. The Rabbit's Foot Co. 24.

OHIO

COLUMBUS.—Veni, Vidi, Vici are the three immortal words that have been done in scarlet and gold and swung to the topmost flag staffs at both the Great Southern Theatre and the Empire. Two more popular companies never played in Columbus than the ones now claiming the spot light. It was thought at first that, owing to the novelty of having two companies running here at the same time, both doing stock, the attendance at the start might not be considered a criterion of what would follow. Some of the wise ones have again made a mistake, however, and the attendance has kept up through rain and shine until the management has good reason to be patting themselves on their respective heads.

Houses at both the Empire and the Southern could not have been better. At the Empire, in particular, the S. E. O. sign has been in use almost constantly and the playhouse at the other end of the avenue has also been stacking them up. The Belle of New York went good. The French Maid went better, and goodness knows where they will stop. John Young is the funniest comedian that has hit the town in many a moon, and the truthful Mr. Weisman says that the longer he is here the funnier he will get. It would be well nigh impossible for any one to be better than he was as Pumpernickel in The Belle and as the sailor this week; he is great. The whole Musical Comedy Co. is excellent—a good word on some occasions, but a little weak now. Josephine Newman, Charles Giblyn, George Ebner and Tom Ince are just as clever as they can be. The good ones are really too numerous to mention; suffice it to say, that they are making the hit of their lives.

An American Citizen is drawing big pleased houses this week at the Southern. Two new members, that have not been seen in local connection with the stock company, are Miss Churchill and Mable Pennock, both of whom are beautiful women and clerer. The play this week gives Mr. Bergin, leading man, a better chance to shine than was accorded him last week, and he takes advantage of the possibilities of the old Goodwin part too. Miss Hall is excelling herself, which expression means much. Louis Albion is again installed in the affections of local theatregoers, and from work done evidently appreciates the honor.

Oleantangy gave us the first touch of vander-ville this week and the offering was good, though one of the big numbers disappointed Manager Prosser, who was forced to sign an unknown quantity, but which latter act made good. The Rosinos, Herald Square Comedy Four, The Three Nudes, Gladys Van, Dally and Kello, Harris and DeLosa, and Ben Omar constitute this week's offering.

Tom Miner's Bohemian Burlesquers was the offering at the High Street the first three days this week, and the attraction is doing well. New York Day By Day comes the last half of the week, which performance, on Saturday, closes the theatre for the season. Items—May 23 is the date set for the opening of The Zoo, and large crowds are expected by the management. •• Hagenbeck's Show paid a visit here 22 and 23, and took away quite a large slice of good Columbus money. The show pleased. •• Gentry Brothers are here for a day, 29. •• The stock syndicate that was formed in New York last week includes the Empire Theatre here, in the general make-up. It is not to be seen from this distance whether the idea will make good or otherwise, but there is hope.

J. R. HAGUE.

CINCINNATI.—Mr. Charles Hawtrev closed the theatrical season in Cincinnati with a week's engagement in A Message From Mars, ending May 27. Financially considered, the season has been eminently successful. From an aesthetic standpoint we do not hesitate to assert that few past seasons have equalled it. We have had a number of the best attractions, though not all of them. None have scored failures, and a majority of them have afforded the highest class of entertainment. It is evident that more people have visited our theatres this season than ever before. Cincinnati is fast succeeding in demonstrating that she is a good show town. Though by no means a stranger to the Cincinnati theatregoers, Chas. Hawtrev scored his first big success in this city in The Message From Mars. Mr. Hawtrev proved himself to be a comedian of rare gifts and he easily succeeded in capturing his audiences. His personal magnetism, his subtle wit and his superb delivery add much to his work as an artist which is natural and convincing. The Cincinnati engagement was a most pleasant one, and the closing week was attended by large crowds of the bon ton set of the Queen City. The Grand will remain closed for the summer, according to the present plans, and will open up again next September promising its patrons even a more artistic series of entertainments for the season of 1905-06.

The closing bill at People's this week was Ed. Rush's Bon Tons, which showed to excellent business throughout their engagement. A couple of catchy burlesques, with a good olio between, made a most pleasing bill. Good comedians and a lively chorus of females were seen to an advantage. The show is quite up to the standard. The management of this house report an excellent season.

Chester Park, under the management of Col. I. M. Martin, is renewing its old time crowds. The second week's business marked a material increase over that of the opening week. The attractions are all making money. Weber's Band has been a big attraction at the Chester Opera House, and a good bill on the vaudeville stage has been witnessed by thousands. The performers were as follows: Ameta, Sam Du Vries, Marco Twins, Robbie Sims and Fred Hilton.

Creator had farewell to the Zoo, where he has been filling a two weeks' engagement, ending May 26. The Ellery Band opened Saturday at the Zoo. Business is increasing continually at this resort.

Coney Island and the Lagoon open May 23 for the season. Both resorts are under excellent management, and a successful season is in store for each of them. Good vaudeville hills have been booked at both resorts.

Arrangements have been made whereby Mr. Ben Greer's Company of Players will appear in a series of open-air performances beginning June 23 in Burnett Woods for the benefit of the Cincinnati University.

Max Rosenberg is back in Cincinnati, looking well and as happy as ever.

Manager and Mrs. Hainforth leave Monday, May 29, for the east for the summer. They will take up their residence in their new summer home on Long Island, and will not return until September.

CLEVELAND.—Although the weather is not quite suitable for outdoor amusements, the parks that are open have no reason to complain in regard to attendance. There were upwards of a hundred thousand people that enjoyed an outing last Sunday at the various places of amusement. The remarkable condition of the weather, and the persistency with which gentle spring lingers in the lap of winter, have given the theatres a new lease of life. The playhouses are drawing unusually large crowds for this time of the year. Miss Nell played by Miss Henrietta Crossman at the Opera House Monday night, 22. Crossman was written by George Hazelton, who gained some points over Sweet Nell of Old Drury. In this version, as in the other, the central figure is Nell Gwyn and her interesting story deals with her association with Charles II. Miss Crossman has rare facilities for brightness and gaiety, and it would be a difficult matter to find a play more closely fitted to the player than Miss Nell. She makes of the Irish actress an impulsive, roguish, mischief-loving creature, whose audacity and recklessness have an underlying strain of loyalty and affection. Disguised as Beau Adair she goes unbidden to a masked ball to put the king's affections to a test, and as a consequence, is drawn into a sword combat with his majesty, after which, escaping through the window, she is followed to her house, where she is denounced by the Duke of Buckingham and the Duchess of Portsmouth for concealing Adair. Nell then steps forth in boy costume, making clear that the youth was none other than herself.

On Tuesday night Miss Crossman appeared in

a double bill, the one-act play Nance Oldfield and the two-act play Madeline, which showed her in strongly contrasted roles and revealed her power as an emotional actress and as a comedienne. Miss Crossman was excellently supported by H. Beaver Smith, Addison Pitt, Wm. Herbert, Edwin Fowler, J. B. Turlogh, Alfred Cahill, John Stepling, Dorothy Bosmore, Victoria Addison, and Fanchon Campbell. The stage settings and costumes were adequate.

The Colonial Stock Co. presented Dorothy Vernon at Haddon Hall for the first time in this city at the Colonial Monday night, and gave Ida Adair her first real opportunity to show Cleveland audiences what she can do. She appeared in the title part, and gave an excellent performance. The rest of the company was well paced, and won favor by their clever work. The play was well staged and the scenery up to the general standard of excellence.

Keith's has a bill of general excellence, no one headline act, but every act up to the standard set at this popular playhouse. Wilfred Clarke & Co. created a good impression with a sketch entitled No More Trouble; Madame Celine Bore, a European musical artist, played the violin and xylophone and won favor; Rawson and June gave a unique performance of throwing the boomerang; Larkin and Patterson gave a neat act that catches the audience; Louis Wesley in a very acceptable monologue; World and Kingston, song and dance artists; Bud Snyder in a bicycle act, with enough paraphernalia to start a side show; Annie Dagwell sang the Song Of '61, and the biograph completed the bill.

The Way of the Transgressor, a melodrama with the best parts performed by Landresea Dogs, won favor at the Cleveland Theatre. At the Lyric, Lillian Leighton & Co., John A. West, The Great Richards, Gordon Eld, and the lyroscope pleased two large audiences. The Kentucky Belles, at the Star, gave two performances to large audiences—Monday. The leading laugh producers are Ed. Gilbert, Reliance Quartet, Jessicka, Allen and Hamilton, Terry, Elmer & Co., John H. Reid, and the Three Luigi Brothers. P. C. MOONEY.

TOLEDO.—The theatrical season is practically over in this city, and in a week the populace will be streaming parkward. The Byron Douglas Stock Co., at the Arcade, will be the only theatrical attraction running, and will continue as long as the attendance warrants it. Parson Jim was the bill 21-27, and was fairly attended.

The season at the Empire closed 21-27, with The Utopians, who drew well. This ended the second season of this theatre as a burlesque house, the business being uniformly good throughout the forty weeks.

The Casino and Farm, summer houses, will open 28. Howard Truesdale & Co. will be the headliners at the former, and Tom Nawn & Co. at the latter. The executive in charge of the Casino will be Otto Kliver, general manager; I. Erk, business manager; Edward Nolen, treasurer, and A. C. White, assistant treasurer. The Farm will be run by Joseph Pearlstein, manager, and Clifford Ackerman, treasurer. Manager J. W. McCormick has converted the Bellevue Summer Theatre into a roller rink and is doing excellently.

The Hagenbeck Show played here 19, to two fine audiences. Its horses and wagons are the best ever seen in Toledo. Wallace Shows June 1; Barnum & Bailey 7. Items—Wm. Downer, who was general manager of the Brown-Barker Rink during the winter, is managing one of the shows of the Ferrari Brothers' Carnival Co. •• When Kathryn Osterman appeared at the Casino last season the attendance was close to 30,000. She will play there again week 23, and the Elks, for whose benefit the performance will be given, are already assured of an attendance that will greatly outnumber that of last year. •• Chas. J. Strobel, the former baseball magnate will manage the tour of Roy Knabenshue and his airship during the park season.

B. Q. LUSING.

CANAL DOVER.—The big Eagle Carnival and May Festival is on this week with the Hoss-Nauman Carnival Co. as the attraction. The company consists of eight shows, two free attractions, a Ferris Wheel and a Merry-Go-Round. Good weather and large crowds have prevailed throughout the week, and everyone has done a good business. The Hoss-Nauman people have proved to be one of the best attractions of the kind ever seen in Tuscarawas County.

CANTON.—Park Theatre (L. B. Cool, mgr.) Bill week 23. Hal Davis and Bert Macarty, The Hines, Bowen Brothers, Cal Stewart & Co., Mooney and Holbren, Flood Brothers and Chas. MacDonald. Ehret's Park (A. Ehret, mgr.) The Keyes Family of Comedians week 21. Garden Theatre (M. Manning, mgr.) Vaudeville and burlesque to good business.

VERMILION.—City Opera House (Elvin & VanOstran, mgr.) Edison's Moving Pictures 15-16; fair business. The season is now over at this house.

FINDLAY.—Hagenbeck's Trained Animals 20; pleased large crowds. Ferrari Brothers' Carnival Co. 20-27; large crowds.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA.—The opening of the parks rings the curfew for the theatres, and the majority of them are wise enough to know it, for they are either closing or making arrangements to close quickly. Business has been far from good at most houses this week, the exceptions being few and far between. One of the new musical comedies produced last week has caught the fancy of the public and seems destined to stay at the theatre where it is playing far into the summer. The all-star cast of She Stoops to Conquer drew large houses for the three days' engagement in this city, and Lederer's new production opened well and the show pleased.

All of our parks will be in full swing by May 27, and as the attractions scheduled are all good ones, large business will be done unless the weather is too disagreeable. Sonza and his Band open Willow Grove Park and that means a jam during all of his engagement, as he is a big favorite in this city. Washington Park has a big band. Chestnut Hill and Woodside also have big bands and numerous other features and even the smaller parks are all laying out more money this year than they did before.

The changes in the burlesque houses in Philadelphia have caused a lot of talk. The Empire Circuit has leased the Bijou Theatre, a former Keith house, known at one time as the Keith gold mine, and will run that house

and the Tracerdo for its attractions next season. The Lyceum has been frozen out of both wheels and looks as if it would have to run independent next season. Rumor has it that James Hyde is after one of our best theatres to run it as a burlesque house, and that if he can not secure the house wanted he will build one. Under the stringent theatrical building laws of this state it would be an impossibility for him to build a house and have it ready for next season. There are but two theatres that are in the market, one of them now building and the other tied up by a lease, so it looks as if the eastern managers would be without a theatre in this city next season.

Casino Theatre. George Lederer found that he could not get his new musical comedy, Coming Thru The Rye ready by May 22, so he postponed the date of opening until May 25. It opened to a big house and pleased the audience present and business has been good since, so it looks as if it might put in a number of weeks at this house. The book is by Hobart, the music by Miller and Sloane, but the Lederer band is seen in the number of artistic groupings, catchy numbers and ensembles. People like it better than Smiling Island, which preceded it and the general impression is that Lederer has made another hit.

Chestnut Street Opera House. Lieber & Co.'s production of She Stoops to Conquer, with an all-star cast, drew large and fashionable audiences to this house for three nights and a matinee, starting May 1. This is the last attraction at this house this season.

Chestnut Street Theatre. The Wanderer was patched up during his two weeks' run at this house and is now in better shape than it was. It goes from this house to the Garrick for a run. On May 29, George Fish opens at this house for a month, with his All Favorites Stock Co. On account of Fish and Forepangh formerly running a house in this city they were not allowed to bill the attraction at the Forepangh Stock Co. The opening bill will be Tess of the D'Urbervilles, and a number of other big bills are promised for the future. The advance sale is large.

Garrick Theatre. Checkers completed a big two weeks' engagement at this house May 27. The Wanderer, with Charles Grapewin as star, opens for a run 29.

Part Theatre. Simple Simon Simple has caught on and the house is crowded nightly. The musical comedy is bright and lively and looks as if it would be a big success on the road.

Grand Opera House. Elsie Janis in The Little Duchess had a big week at this house and the summer season of opera will start 29. The first bill will be The Wizard of the Nile.

Girard Avenue Theatre. The Black Patrol Troubadours had a good week. Announced for 29 is Amy Lee in Mamselle Awkins.

Blaney's Arch Street Theatre. Young Buffalo, King of The Wild West, made good, and business was big all week. Week 29, Just at Dawn.

Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre. The summer season is on and the bill of vaudeville is a corker. The house will keep open all summer.

Forepangh's Theatre. The Forepangh Stock Co. are pleasing big audiences. Week 22, Dora Thorne, and for week 29, George Leacock in Oliver Twist.

People's Theatre. Down Our Way had a fair week starting 22, and the house will be dark after this week.

Kensington Theatre. The stock company are pleasing audiences that are fair in size. This week, Spy of The Czar was the offering.

Standard Theatre. This house was open three days this week in order to give the employees a benefit. The stock company presented We'uns of Tennessee.

Tracerdo Theatre. Watson's Orientals had a good week starting 22.

Lyceum Theatre. New Henry Burlesquers had a fair week opening 22.

Museum. Curios and vaudeville are drawing fairly.

BOB WATT, 806 Walnut st.

PITTSBURG.—The past few weeks of cool weather has worked detriment to both playhouse and park, with the former the desire for indoor amusement has about passed and with the latter the coolness was too much for pleasure and comfort. All of our theatres are closed with the exception of the Nixon, Grand and Bijou, and the attendance has been only fair, and although this week we have Lillian Russell and her opera company at the Nixon, the patronage is limited, yet the performance is elegant and those who miss this show will miss quite a treat.

Herrmann, The Great, Frank Keenan & Co., and The Three Castillions are a sufficient attraction to prove a good drawing card for the Grand this week and the attendance last night was very satisfactory. This house is supplied amply with fans and other apparatus for keeping the temperature moderate, and really the warmest day cuts no figure here so far as comfort is concerned; however, this house will close very shortly.

At the Bijou this week The Black Mask has played to very fair business and while the play is almost the limit, as melodrama goes, it however is very satisfying, and Mr. Staffer as the villain is one of the best that has visited the Bijou this season. The balance of the company are very good and give Mr. Staffer capable support. Next week the Lagoon will have Rose Melville in her popular play, Sis Hopkins.

Checkers is billed as the coming attraction for our leading playhouse, the Nixon, and will be with us for two weeks, and should enjoy a large business, as in the hands of Mr. Thos. W. Ross and his large company, in my opinion, is one of the best attractions on the road.

With the exception of Luna Park all of our parks are now open, and Luna Park was billed to open May 23, but owing to unlooked for delay in getting everything in proper shape, the opening has been postponed until June 5. The opening of this park is looked forward to by thousands, and it undoubtedly will be the centre of attraction, so far as the Pittsburg parks are concerned for the next four or five months, and if promises are made good by the management, then the patronage will be undoubtedly all that could be expected.

question but what this engagement will be a repetition. (I mean business, not rain.)

LOUIS L. KAUFMAN.

ERIE.—Majestic Theatre (M. Reis, mgr.) Holly Tolly 13; pleased fair house. When Johnny Comes Marching Home 18; well received by good audience. Lillian Russell 30; canceled. Amelia Bingham 20; It Happened in Nordland 26; DeWolf Hopper in Wang 30. Waldemere Park (Thos. Maloney, mgr.) This popular resort will open 29. Grove House Park (H. T. Foster, mgr.) Opening date not announced.

Overland. Business at this new resort has been good. Items—The Frontier Amusement Co. of Buffalo, are building an amusement resort on upper State street, which will open 29. •• The Boer War Spectacle did not appear here 18, owing to cold and rainy weather. •• Barnum & Bailey are billed for June 3. •• John T. Gilson, local manager of the Park Opera House, is now acting manager of the Majestic. Manager Williams having gone to New York for the summer. •• Frank T. Shayne, treasurer of the Majestic, has accepted a position as treasurer of Syracuse Baseball Team.

SHAMOKIN.—C. A. R. Opera House (J. F. Osler, mgr.) Dark.

Family Theatre (W. D. Nields, mgr.) Bill week 22: Grace King and her four Chrysanthemum Girls, LaToll Brothers, Two Yanos, Tenean, Felix and Claxton, James and Davis, and moving pictures to large houses. Circus—Tennis Dog and Pony Show billed 20-22; failed to appear. Barnum & Bailey billed heavily for 24.

JOHNSTOWN.—Columbia Theatre (H. W. Sherer, mgr.) Running for Office 18; good house. Isle of Spice 31; Mme. Schumann-Heink June 3. Circus—Pawnee Bill's Wild West 20. (The New Luna Park (formerly Roxbury Park) after undergoing many improvements will open the season 30. In the new theatre which has been erected Frank B. Melville Vaudeville Co. will give daily performances.

ALTOONA.—Eleventh Avenue Opera House closed with The Isle of Spice 30. Items—Pawnee Bill's Wild West 30. •• Ringling Brothers did only fair business, owing to rain. •• Lakemont Park Theatre opens with a big vaudeville bill June 5. Frank Melville is booking agent, and he promises a fine line of attractions.

BRADFORD.—New Bradford Theatre (Jay North, mgr.) Holly Tolly closed here 17 to large house. Herald Square Opera Co. 22; good house; return 23-24. Coming: DeWolf Hopper in Wang. Item—Pawnee Bill's Wild West is billed for June 5.

JOHNSONBURG.—Armstrong Opera House (Johnsonburg Am. Co., mgrs.) Faust 20; fair business. Twentieth Century Minstrels (local), benefit of attaches, 22; fair business. This closes the season.

TITUSVILLE.—Opera House (Harry Gerson, mgr.) Holly Tolly closed the season at this house 10. Circus—John Robinson Circus 9; capacity afternoon and evening.

WARREN.—Library Theatre (F. R. Scott, mgr.) The Morgan Hewitt Stock Co. 18-20; fair performances and business. Circus—Pawnee Bill's Wild West June 3.

ASHLAND.—Grand Opera House (R. J. Williams, mgr.) Black Crook (Jr.) Burlesquers 12; fair house. The house is now closed for the season.

PHILLIPSBURG.—Pierce's Opera House (J. F. Driggs, mgr.) Closed the season with The Real Widow Brown 16; only fair business. Circus—The John Robinson Shows 20; immense crowds.

WILLIAMSPORT.—Valmont Pavilion (L. A. Pray, mgr.) Vaudeville week 23. Circus—Sig. Santelle & Welsh Brothers 20; good business.

NORRISTOWN.—Grand Opera House (C. J. Carpenter, mgr.) Dark.

TENNESSEE.

KNOXVILLE.—Chilhowee Park. The Perch Co. is playing Woman Against Woman to good house, despite cold and rainy weather. The orchestra is a strong feature, and gives a concert preceding the performance proper. Items—Fred Martin, treasurer of Staub's Theatre, has gone to Montgomery, Ala., as manager of a summer park which Chas. Peruchik has leased for the summer. •• Cain's Fireworks are announced for Chilhowee Park, June 8-10.

MEMPHIS.—Bijou (B. M. Stainback, mgr.) A Convict's Daughter week 15; fair business. Wells-Dunn-Harland Opera Co. week 22; very large crowds. Next: Billy (Single) Clifford in How He Won Her. East End Park (A. B. Morrison, mgr.) Vaudeville week 15; big business. Week 22, a big bill headed by Little Miss Lund.

NASHVILLE.—Bijou Theatre (Allen Jenkins, mgr.) Mary Marble and Little Chip in The Kilticker Girl 15-20; crowded houses. Glendale Park Casino (Y. C. Aley, mgr.) High-class vaudeville 15-20; The Convict's Daughter 22-27.

TEXAS.

SAN ANTONIO.—Electric Park (S. H. Weiss, mgr.) Albert Taylor Stock Co. opened Electric Park to large and well pleased audience, presenting The New Secretary 14-16; Home Sweet Home 17-18, and King of Wall Street 19-21.

TYLER.—Grand Opera House (A. Hicks, mgr.) Dark week 22. Boston Opera Co. week 29.

VERMONT.

ST. ALBANS.—Wang's Opera House (T. B. Wang, mgr.) A Jolly American Trump 15; only fair house. Liberty Belles 22; The Heart of Texas 25.

RUTLAND.—Opera House (Boyle & Brehmer, mgrs.) Liberty Belles 19; A Hot Old Time 20; May Hillman Stock Co. 22.

VIRGINIA.

NORFOLK.—Pine Beach Theatre (Perkins & Dashiell, mgrs.) The Pine Beach Stock Co. presented Madam Satan, a drama of unusual merit, with specialties between the acts, as their opening bill to good business week 22. Following is their roster: Willard Dashiell, Chas. Carothers, Jack E. Lessig, Robert Barton, Will N. Rogers, Al. Beasley, R. W. Shipman, Foster, Leota Clyde Rogers and Amia Irvine.

SUFFOLK.—The Jones-Adams Carnival Co. played here last week to fill in a date that was

Avenue Theatre (F. Drew, mgr.) The Brigades week 21; pleased good houses.

SAGINAW—Academy (J. M. Ward, mgr.) Vera May Co. in Nobody's Claim 14-17; good business. The Garrick Dramatic Co. in Lord Dunsley 15-21; May Festival 22-23; Marquette Stock Co. 24-27.

BAY CITY—Washington Theatre (W. J. Dault, mgr.) Garrick Theatre Co. 16-17; presented the Charity Ball to fair houses. The Vera May Co. in The Queen of Hearts 18-20; good houses. The Vera May Co. will hold the boards for same time.

KALAMAZOO—Academy of Music (B. A. Best, mgr.) Dark week 21.

GLADSTONE—Opera House (W. R. Long, mgr.) Ole Oslo 18; fair business. Rolla Fox Vandeville Circus 19-20; largest business of the season. Little Orchestral 21. Circus—Rolla Fox R. B. Shows is hitting the town heavily for June 12.

LUDINGTON—Opera House (U. S. Grant, mgr.) Old Arkansas 16; fair house. Joseph Shipman's Twelfth Night 21; capacity house. Empire Stock Co. 22-23.

ELLETTSVILLE—Stone's Theatre (Albert C. Fegg, mgr.) Dross & Davidson Stock Co. week 15; good business. Circus—Barnum & Bailey's Circus June 21.

SABIT ST. MARIE—Soo Opera House (W. H. Search, mgr.) Summers Stock Co. in repertoire 15-20; good business. Vaudeville 22-23.

MINNESOTA

ST. PAUL—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Ferris Stock Co. presented When Knighthood was in Flower week 21; most acceptable presentation. Miss Eva Taylor is already a Grand Opera House. The Holy City.

Star Theatre (J. C. VanRoo, mgr.) Jolly Gypsy Widows, with capable principals and chorus and a good olio week 21; gave good satisfaction.

NEKEAPOLIS—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Closed for three weeks, except 27, when the senior class of the University of Minnesota present their annual play.

BIJOU OPERA HOUSE (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) The James Boys in Missouri week 21.

Urbane Theatre (M. Gallagher, mgr.) Week 21: Hecker and Wheeler, John B. Martha, Louisa, Helen-Kimball Troupe, Irene Mason, and various pictures.

ST. CLOUD—Davidson Opera House (R. T. Davidson, mgr.) Milwaukee German Theatre Co. 14-15; pleased packed houses. Steffen's U. T. Co. 16; good business. The Moonshiners 21; fair business.

MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY—The Willis Wood (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) Packed houses greeted Richard Mansfield during his stay 22-24, when he presented King Richard III, The Merchant of Venice and Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. As in former seasons the Mansfield productions were in every detail most artistic and tabbed.

The Grand (Hudson & Judah, mgrs.) Season came to a close 21, when an extra performance of His Last Dollar was the offering. House will be open week June 11, when the Pollard Juvenile Opera Co. is due.

The Gillis (R. S. Brigham, mgr.) Deadwood Dick was the thriller week 21, and excellent business was the rule. George Kibbut in the title role was good, while the people enacting the other parts in the drama displayed talents of a high order. Next: The Scout's Revenge.

The Amphitheatron (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) The Woodward Stock Co. put on The Man From The West week 21, and business was fair. Next: A big revival of Ten Nights in a Barroom.

The Opheim (Martin Lehman, mgr.) Closed. The Century (Jos. J. Barrett, mgr.) Closed. The Mistic (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) Closed. Yale's Theatre (Lloyd Brown, mgr.) Closed. The National (Walter T. Tracy, mgr.) The season at this house was brought to a close 21, with a big amateur carnival.

Forest Park (John D. Hopkins, mgr.) A. G. Peterson, res. mgr.) Business on the increase and week 21 witnessed crowds of fair proportions who enjoyed a good vaudeville bill headed by The Pekin Zouaves in their clever drills and marches, and which further included Crawford and Manning, comedy ecumenics; Fred and Annie Felot, jugglers; Phyllis Allen, contralto; Apollo, bounding wire act, and the biograph. Mysterious features announced for week 22.

Electric Park (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) The sixth season at this popular resort will be opened 28, and from all indications a most prosperous summer seems assured. Among the new attractions are Mystic Chimes, Myth City, Tours and Scenes of The World, House of too Much Trouble, Mikado's Rickasha, Russian Temple, and others of lesser importance. The German Village has been enlarged and the size of the stage increased in anticipation of the great crowds which will surely be in evidence here upon the advent of hot weather.

Fishermans Park (Ben Rosenthal, mgr.) After having remained closed for the past four years, this beautiful suburban retreat will again be opened as a breathing spot for the masses. Ben Rosenthal, whose long and successful connection with the Grand Opera House here has made him well known to the profession, will have charge, and May 28 is set as the opening date. Many novel concessions are announced and from all reports Manager Rosenthal's intention of making his place the Coney Island of

The West, seems to have been realized. The first headline, out-door attraction is Kilpatrick's exciting automobile fight. The theatre has been remodelled and will be managed by Walter Terry of the National, and a good vaudeville bill is announced for the coming week. C. H. S.

ST. JOSEPH—Lycerum Theatre (C. U. Phillips, mgr.) The Fulton Brothers' Stock Co. opened their second week at this theatre with LaBelle Marie, the first half, and Kathleen Mavoutseen the balance of week. Jess R. Fulton and Edna Jackson assumed the leading roles and prove themselves decidedly popular by their earnest work. Business continues big. Next: Man and Master. The stock company will give way to a one-night engagement of T. Daniel Frawley in Ransom's Folly 25.

Lyric Theatre (H. Walker Vanduyke, mgr.) Fair patronage has been witnessing the melodramatic production of A Desperate Chance as presented by the Vanduyke Co. week 21.

Crystal Theatre (Fred Cosman, mgr.) The bill this week includes McNurt Trio, Mario, Bragg and Ashton; Geo. Delmas, Olton Brothers, and Cosman's moving pictures, and continues to please big crowds at all performances. Manager Cosman announces June 4 as the opening date of Crystal Park.

Castro Theatre, Lake Country Park (Palmer L. Clark, mgr.) The Clayton Jubilee Singers opened a three-weeks' engagement at this theatre 21 to only fair business. Items—The tears of Geary Brothers' Dog and Pony Show were considerably damaged by a terrible storm during their stay at Chillicothe, Mo., 15; however they arrived in this city on time and the usual performances were given 16-17 to customary good business. Philip H. Alexander, in advance of the Gaskill Carnival Co., is in the city doing considerable billing for their date of week 29. Mr. Alexander will remain here until the arrival of the company, which comes direct from Memphis, Tenn., a distance of five hundred and fifty miles, after which he will leave for Leadville, Col., to attend to the same duties in that city.

JOELIN—New Club Theatre (L. F. Ballard, mgr.) Hoyt's Comedy Co. week 14; fair business. Manager Ballard has arranged with Charles Lamb, the well-known theatrical manager, to organize a company of players to be known as The Club Theatre Stock Co., which will open 25 with Just Plain Folks.

Lyric Theatre (Chas. E. Hodkins, mgr.) Bill week 14 drew large houses at every performance.

WEBB CITY—Blake Theatre (A. B. Reigham, mgr.) Beaton's Comedians 15-21; good performances, fair business. Chase-Lister Co. 22. Orpheum Theatre (W. H. VanEtten, prop. and mgr.) Opened 14 with vaudeville, giving two shows nightly. Business has been only fair owing to inclement weather.

Lakeside Park (S. W. Mo. Elect. Ry. Co., prop.) Band concerts and moving pictures to fair business.

NEW JERSEY

ATLANTIC CITY—Continued good business, and with the bathing season opening June 1, and with over twenty conventions booked for June, prospects are exceedingly bright. The past week has witnessed beautiful weather, and all the amusements have done well. The coming week will bring a big increase in the crowds here.

Young's Pier, Mme. Awkins, with Amy Lee and a chorus of fifty, and also the Royal Italian Band, opened to big business week 22.

Savoy Theatre, Orpheum Vaudeville Co. week 22; opened to S. E. O. and prospects are bright for continued big business.

Tilgou's Steeplechase Pier. The viagraph and many other novelties are pleasing immense crowds. Manager Clements has many big attractions booked.

Helms Pier. Large crowds are always in attendance at this popular pier.

Garrick Theatre. The Stock Co. presents a change of bill weekly and business is O. K. Battle of Gettysburg is making a big impression and is doing a big business.

Johnstown Flood. Business is immense, and at times extra performances are given to accommodate the large crowds.

Deaton's Galloping Horses and Amusement Palace is packed and crowded at all times.

Free Arcade is doing a nice business. All the newest and latest novelties in the amusement line are to be found at this ever-popular place.

Steel Pier. Band concerts, socials, hops, cake walks, and basket ball to S. E. O.

Fighting The Flames is doing a tremendous business.

The Baby Incubator, Old Mill, Seaside Railroad, Loop The Loop, Figure Eight, Roller Coaster, Palace of Illusions, three big Carroussels, and Miniature Railway are all doing fine business.

Five penny machine parlors are now located here and there is still room for more. Each parlor contains from one hundred to two hundred and fifty machines, all doing big business. It is certainly a novelty and money maker. A Ferris Wheel is now in course of construction.

Manager Ingersoll, the well-known park man, was here 15, looking after his amusement interests.

The famous Boardwalk is being widened and extended twenty feet seaward, making it six miles long and sixty feet wide.

FRANK B. HUBIN.

NEWARK—With the exception of Proctor's Theatre, which will remain open again this summer, the local playhouses have all closed. The past season opened last Saturday under favorable conditions. The Olympic Park has vaudeville and the usual open-air attractions and is under the management of Hans Weyers of the Colosseum. Hillside Pleasure Park is featuring the G. P. Kemp Hippodrome, Wild West and Indian Congress, with Pike amusements, and is being managed by William R. Thaller. General Manager C. A. Demlap, of electric fountain fame, has made extensive alterations and improvements at Greater Electric Park, where the new attractions are a Japanese Tea Garden, Mexican Village and a monster circle sailing. The electric fountain display promises to eclipse that of former years and a strong feature is the vaudeville show in the German Village. The opening week bill includes Wood and Barry, Charles Dumas, Martin and Quigg, May Trade, Zimmer, Golden and Hughes, Toledo and Price, The Bottomley Troupe, and the cinematograph.

The food exhibit is open to good business in the Newark Theatre. Ada Landon Hand's orchestra is being featured in the entertainment.

Waldmann's Opera House closes this week with the Black Crook Burlesques. The executive staff's benefit is June 3.

The Ringling Brothers' Show received a hearty reception here 24, and played to capacity. The parade was a welcome and pleasing feature. Proctor's (J. Austin Fynes, gen. mgr.) Joe Welch's return to vaudeville was the headline attraction last week. Cole and Johnson was another welcome number of the bill. Current: Bert Leslie and Robert Dalley, Cheridah Simpson, Colin's Fantomime Dogs, Colby and Way, Cooke and Clinton, Kelly and Violette, Miss Martha-Gillette Sisters, and the motion pictures.

HARRY BONNELL, Greater Electric Park.

TRENTON—Taylor Opera House (Montgomery Moses, mgr.) Bumping for Office 20; good business. With this performance the house closed for the season. Business has been good for the musical comedies, but the drama has not fared so well.

State Street Theatre (F. B. Shalters, mgr.) Irene Myers in repertoire week 15; good business. House closed with this attraction. Business generally has been good.

Trent Theatre (Edward Renton, mgr.) Trent Stock Co. in My Friend From India 17-20; big business. DuBarry 23-27; All The Comforts of Home 29-31.

Mercer Pleasure Park. Opened auspiciously 22 with a good vaudeville bill of eight acts. Circus—Ringling Brothers gave what is considered one of the best performances ever given here 22. The street parade was clean and showy. Capacity attendance at both performances.

ASBURY PARK—Casino (Beach Comm., mgrs.) H. A. Walton's Moving Pictures 17, 20, 24 and 27; fair business. Frank L. Wade's moving pictures and illustrated songs 22; vaudeville 29-30.

Park Opera House (H. J. Garrity, mgr.) Dark week 20.

NEW YORK

BROOKLYN—Warm weather has come and all amusements at the beaches are looking forward to big business. The Boer War opens Saturday 27, and Brighton Beach Park promises to be one of the leading resorts this season. Dreamland is getting improved and many high-class shows are seen there. Luna Park has many new novelties and is drawing big crowds. Manhattan Beach will open soon and in a few weeks all the nearby amusement resorts will be in full blast. A few of the Brooklyn theatres remain open and are doing very good business.

Orpheum Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) This week's was the last vaudeville bill of the season, and was as follows: Miss Louise Gunning, Ye Colonial Sextet, Chevalier DeLaris, Cooper and Robinson, Franz Ebert & Co., LeRoy and Woodford, Gillett's Dogs, Patter and Hartwell, Clayton White and Marie Stuart. Next week the comic opera season begins. The Little Duchess will be the opening bill.

Broadway Theatre. The Broadway Dramatic Co., under the management of Frank Reicher, will be seen here for a summer season. This week Barbara Fritchie was produced. Business was very satisfactory opening week.

Bijou Theatre (Mary G. Spooner, mgr.) The Spooner Stock Co., supporting Edna May and Cecil Spooner, presents 7-30-8. There is no let up to business here and the season will run into June. Next week, The Shaughran.

Parton's Lee Avenue Theatre (S. S. Allen, mgr.) The Lee Avenue Stock Co., supporting Extra Reed Parton, presented Camille this week. The production drew packed houses. The Parton Stock Co. has had a very successful season here. Next: The Three Guardsmen.

Star Theatre (A. H. Schenberg, mgr.) Rice & Barton's Rose Hill English Folly Co. presented Knights of The Red Garter and A Sensation for an Hour; business continues very good here. Mr. A. H. Schenberg is very busy getting ready for the opening of the season at Manhattan Beach, where he is manager of Pain's Fireworks. Next: Miner's Americans.

Gayety Theatre (James Clark, mgr.) Phil Sheridan's Favorite City Sports had a big week here. Next: Rose Hill Co.

Phillips Lyceum (Louis Phillips, mgr.) The Lyceum Stock Co. presented The Little Church Around The Corner this week to good houses.

Dreamland, Coney Island (Wm. H. Reynolds, mgr.) This week many of the new attractions at Dreamland were opened and everything here is ready for a big season's business. All of the last season's attractions such as Bostock's, The Midget City, Fighting The Flames, The Canals of Venice, The Baby Incubator and many others remain as popular as ever. A few of the big new attractions this season are Creation, which was so much talked about at the St. Louis Fair, and Touring Europe in an Automobile and Hell Gate, which should do well here. The Flea Circus which is located adjoining the Midget City is attracting big crowds and the sea that flies off a small canvas is the hero of the clan. The big Hippodrome race course is a strong drawing card, and other races being held here every afternoon and evening.

Bostock's (Frank C. Bostock, mgr.) This attraction is the leading one at Dreamland, Coney Island, this season, and from the business done the opening week, the attraction will be a record breaker. Capt. Jack Bonavita, the one-arm lion trainer, and his lions, is the feature here and a big drawing card. A few of the other big acts are Mme. Morelli and her jaguars; Charles Miller and his elephants; Mile. Aurora and the Polar bears; Ray and his burlesque wild animals; Brandt and the snakes; also several others. A large entrance to Bostock's has been made on Surf avenue, and a twenty-cent ticket also includes admission to Dreamland.

Johnstown Flood (H. A. Bradwell, mgr.) The big reproduction of the Johnstown Flood proves to be more popular than ever and so far this season's business has been much greater than ever before.

Luna Park (Thompson & Dandy, mgrs.) The warm weather brings big crowds to this wonderful Luna Park. Most of the big attractions are open here and in a week or two all of the attractions will be ready for business. The big Fire and Flames Show is as popular as ever and draws well; also The Trip to The Moon is drawing big crowds. The Fall of Fort Arthur will be one of the greatest features of Coney Island and The Igroote Village will soon open. The big three ring, open-air circus is the leading drawing attraction. L. A. Thompson's big

scenic railroad, The Dragon's Gorge, promises to be the greatest of scenic railway devices, and will be opened this week. Luna Park this season is more beautiful than ever and all the attractions are clean and first class. There is nothing objectionable allowed here and ladies and children can visit Luna Park with safety.

Brighton Beach Park (Wm. A. Brady, mgr.) This beautiful new park will open 27, with Wm. A. Brady's big spectacle, The Great Boer War, with General Piet Cronje and one thousand Boer and British heroes of the Transvaal. Capt. A. W. Lewis is the originator and manager of the production. A performance will be given every afternoon at three o'clock and every evening at half past eight; the prices will be twenty-five, fifty and seventy-five cents, and box seats one dollar. The grand stand seats 25,000 people. The attraction is handsomely billed and the daily papers are full of clever reading notices and half-page advertisements. The Boer War will be the leading out-door attraction for New Yorkers this season.

From New York to The North Pole (E. J. Austin, mgr.) This attraction is located on Surf avenue, Coney Island. It is one of the biggest and best scenic productions ever seen here. Last season it did big business at the St. Louis Fair.

Morrison's Theatre, Rockaway Beach. This handsome theatre will soon open. High-class vaudeville will be the bill here. Wm. Morris furnishes acts and attractions for Manager Morrison.

Manhattan Beach Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) A change in policy has been made here and instead of comic opera and light summer shows Manager Williams will present high-class vaudeville opening June 19. The performances will begin at 8:30 p. m. instead of after the Pain's Fireworks Show at 9:15 p. m. Mr. Williams is sure to make a big success of the new theatre as his name connected with a theatre means always a good show.

Pain's Manhattan Beach Fireworks will open about June 17, with the best spectacle ever produced here entitled Fort Arthur.

Bergen Beach. This ever-popular amusement resort, located on Jamaica Bay, is open and a very prosperous season is looked forward to. Many new attractions have been added and several valuable concessions have already been taken, and a few are still left and live ones can do doubt make big money here.

Galveston Flood (James McNamee, mgr.) This attraction is doing big business at Coney Island. Many new and startling effects have been added this year and the scenic production is perfect.

Tilgou's Steeplechase Park (Geo. Tilgou, mgr.) The Steeplechase has many new attractions and many novelties. No visit to Coney Island is complete without a visit to the Steeplechase Park.

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TROY—Griswold Opera House (M. Bels, mgr.; H. R. Hayden, res. mgr.) Francis Wilson 20; capacity houses.

Lyceum Theatre (Burns Gilliam, mgr.) The Mortimer Snow Stock Co. for week 15, presented My Partner to big houses all week. The Wife 22-27, with Mr. Snow and Miss Crawford in the leading roles. Miss Crawford returns to the east of the local company after scoring a great success with the Scranton Co. Miss Crawford's many friends will accord her a hearty welcome back to Troy. The Girl I Left Behind Me week 29.

C. F. MAHONEY.

GLOVERSVILLE—Darling Theatre (Will E. Cant, mgr.) May Irwin in Mrs. Black is Back 19; pleased capacity business. Howe's Moving Pictures 20; pleased well filled houses. May Hillman Co. 22-27.

Family Theatre (E. D. Hyde, res. mgr.) Bill week 22: Ora Cecil's Leopards, Mason and Francis, Dawson and Whitefield, Will Dockray, Hathaway and Walton, Ira Kessner, and the viagraph; business continues big.

ELMIRA—Rialto Theatre (F. W. McComell, mgr.) Martin and Ridgeway, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Wright, May Nelson, Nellie Ridgeway, James D. Proodlove, and the biograph drew good houses 15-20.

Roric's Theatre (Herbert Salinger, mgr.) Matthew's Minstrels 22-June 3. Manhattan Opera Co. June 5-Sept. 16. J. M. BEERS.

NORTH CAROLINA

NEWBERN—New Masonic Theatre (F. F. Matthews, mgr.) Davis-Driscoll Stock Co. 8-12; fair business, closing here 13. Osman Stock Co. 15-20; played Blue Grass, Woman Against Woman, The Strategist, and Resurrection to good business. Season closes 31. Circus—Miles Oram Tent Show 15; good show, well pleased audience.

GREENSBORO—Grand Opera House (Chas. T. Fuller, res. mgr.) House closed for season. Under canvas—Stebel's Dog and Pony Show 16; good attendance, good show. The Rabbit's Foot Co. 24.

OHIO

COLUMBUS—Veni, Vidi, Vici are the three immortal words that have been done in scarlet and gold and swung to the topmost flag staffs at both the Great Southern Theatre and the Empire. Two more popular companies never played in Columbus than the ones now claiming the spot light. It was thought at first that, owing to the novelty of having two companies running here at the same time, both doing stock, the attendance at the start might not be considered a criterion of what would follow. Some of the wise ones have again made a mistake, however, and the attendance has kept up through rain and shine until the management has good reason to be patting themselves on their respective heads.

Houses at both the Empire and the Southern could not have been better. At the Empire, in particular, the S. R. O. sign has been in use almost constantly and the playhouse at the other end of the avenue has also been stacking them up. The Belle of New York went good, The French Maid went better, and goodness knows where they will stop. John Young is the funniest comedian that has hit the town in many a moon, and the truthful Mr. Weisman says that the longer he is here the funnier he will get. It would be well impossible for any one to be better than he was as Fumpernick in The Belle and as the sailor this week; he is great. The whole Musical Comedy Co. is excellent—a good word on some occasions, but a little weak now. Josephine Newman, Charles Gilbra, George Eber and Tom Rice are just as clever as they can be. The good ones are really too numerous to mention; suffice it to say, that they are making the hit of their lives.

An American Citizen is drawing big pleased houses this week at the Southern. Two new members, that have not been seen in local connection with the stock company, are Miss Churchill and Mable Penock, both of whom are beautiful women and clever. The play this week gives Mr. Bergin, leading man, a better chance to shine than was accorded him last week, and he takes advantage of the possibilities of the old Goodwin part too. Miss Hall is excelling herself, which expression means much. Louisa Abdon is again enthralled in the affections of local theatrogoers, and from work done evidently appreciates the honor.

Oleiancy gave us the first touch of vaudeville this week and the offering was good, though one of the big numbers disappointed Manager Prosser, who was forced to sign an unknown quantity, but which later act made good. The Kozinos, Herald Square Comedy Four, The Three Nudos, Gladys Van, Dolly and Kelso, Harris and DeLoos and Ben Omar constitute this week's offering.

Tom Miner's Bohemian Burlesquers was the offering at the High Street the first three days this week, and the attraction is doing well. New York Day By Day comes the last half of the week, which performance, on Saturday, closes the theatre for the season. Items—May 28 is the date set for the opening of The Zoo, and large crowds are expected by the management. * * * Hagenbeck's Show paid a visit here 22 and 23, and took away quite a large slice of good Columbia money. The show pleased. * * * Gentry Brothers are here for a day, 29. * * * The stock syndicate that was formed in New York last week includes the Empire Theatre here, in the general make-up. It is not to be seen from this distance whether the idea will make good or otherwise, but there is hope.

J. R. HAGUE.

CINCINNATI.—Mr. Charles Hawtrey closed the theatrical season in Cincinnati with a week's engagement in A Message From Mars, ending May 27. Financially considered, the season has been eminently successful. From an aesthetic standpoint we do not hesitate to assert that few past seasons have equalled it. We have had a number of the best attractions, though not all of them. None have scored failures, and a majority of them have afforded the highest class of entertainment. It is evident that more people have visited our theatres this season than ever before. Cincinnati is fast succeeding in demonstrating that she is a good show town. Though by no means a stranger to the Cincinnati theatregoers, Chas. Hawtrey scored his first big success in this city in The Message From Mars. Mr. Hawtrey proved himself to be a comedian of rare gifts and he easily succeeded in capturing his audiences. His personal magnetism, his subtle wit and his superb delivery add much to his work as an artist which is natural and convincing. The Cincinnati engagement was a most pleasant one, and the closing week was attended by large crowds of the best sort of the Queen City. The Grand will remain closed for the summer, according to the present plans, and will open up again next September promising its patrons even a more artistic series of entertainments for the season of 1905-06.

The closing bill at People's this week was Ed. Rush's Bon Tons, which showed to excellent business throughout their engagement. A couple of catchy burlesques, with a good olio between, made a most pleasing bill. Good comedians and a lively chorus of females were seen to an advantage. The show is quite up to the standard. The management of this house report an excellent season.

Chester Park, under the management of Col. I. M. Martin, is renewing its old time crowds. The second week's business marked a material increase over that of the opening week. The attractions are all making money. Weber's Band has been a big attraction at the Chester Opera House, and a good bill on the vaudeville stage has been witnessed by thousands. The performers were as follows: Amets, Sam Dn Vries, Marco Twins, Ronbie Sims and Fred Hilton.

Creator made farewell to the Zoo, where he has been filling a two weeks' engagement, ending May 26. The Ellery Band opened Saturday at the Zoo. Business is increasing continually at this resort.

Coney Island and the Lagoon open May 28 for the season. Both resorts are under excellent management, and a successful season is in store for each of them. Good vaudeville bills have been booked at both resorts.

Arrangements have been made whereby Mr. Ben Greef's Company of Players will appear in a series of open-air performances beginning June 23 in Burnett Woods for the benefit of the Cincinnati University.

Max Rosenberg is back in Cincinnati, looking well and as happy as ever.

Manager and Mrs. Rainforth leave Monday, May 29, for the east for the summer. They will take up their residence in their new summer home on Long Island, and will not return until September.

CLEVELAND.—Although the weather is not quite suitable for outdoor amusements, the parks that are open have no reason to complain in regard to attendance. There were upwards of a hundred thousand people that enjoyed an outing last Sunday at the various places of amusement. The remarkable condition of the weather, and the persistency with which gentle spring rains in the lap of winter, have given the theatres a new lease of life. The playhouses are drawing unusually large crowds for this time of the year. Miss Nell played by Miss Henrietta Crossman at the Opera House Monday night, 22. This was written by George Hazelton, who gained some points over Sweet Nell of Old Drury. In this version, as in the other, the central figure is Nell Gwyn and her interesting story deals with her association with Charles II. Miss Crossman has rare faculties for brightness and gaiety, and it would be a difficult matter to find a play more closely fitted to the player than Miss Nell. She makes of the Irish actress an impulsive, roguish, mischief-loving creation, whose audacity and recklessness have an underlying strain of loyalty and affection. Disguised as Beau Adair she goes unbidden to a masked ball to put the king's affections to a test, and as a consequence, is drawn into a sword combat with his majesty, after which, escaping through the window, she is followed to her house, where she is denounced by the Duke of Buckingham and the Duchess of Portsmouth for concealing Adair. Nell then steps forth in boy costume, making clear that the youth was none other than herself.

On Tuesday night Miss Crossman appeared in

a double bill, the one-act play Nance Oldfield and the two-act play Madeline, which showed her in strongly contrasted roles and revealed her power as an emotional actress and as a comedienne. Miss Crossman was excellently supported by H. Beaver Smith, Addison Pitt, Wm. Herbert, Edwin Fowler, J. E. Turlong, Alfred Cahill, John Stepling, Dorothy Rosemore, Victorin Addison -- Fanchon Campbell. The stage settings and costumes were adequate.

The Colonial Stock Co. presented Dorothy Vernon -- Haddan Hall for the first time in this city at the Colonial Monday night, and gave Ida Adair her first real opportunity to show Cleveland audiences what she can do. She appeared in the title part, and gave an excellent performance. The rest of the company was well paced, and won favor by their clever work. The play was well staged and the scenery up to the general standard of excellence.

Keith's has a bill of general excellence, no one headline act, but every act up to the standard set at this popular playhouse. Wilfred Clarke & Co. created a good impression with a sketch entitled No More Trouble; Madame Celina Bobs, a European musical artist, played the violin and xylophone and won favor; Rawson and June gave a unique performance of throwing the boomerang; Larkin and Patterson gave a neat act that enticed the audience; Louis Wesley in a very acceptable monologue; World and Kingdon, song and dance artists; and Snyder in a bicycle act, with enough paraphernalia to start a side show; Arthur Dagwell sang the Song Of '61, and the biograph completed the bill.

The Way of the Transgressor, a melodrama with the best parts performed by Landseer's Dogs, won favor at the Cleveland Theatre.

At the Lyric, Lillian Leighton & Co., John A. West, The Great Richards, Gordon Ellid, and the lyroscope pleased two large audiences.

The Kentucky Belles, at the Star, gave two performances to large audiences -- today. The leading laugh producers are Ed. Gilbert, Bellance Quinret, Jessicka, Allen and Hamilton, Terry, Elmer & Co., John H. Reid, and the Three Lugl Brothers. P. C. MOONEY.

TOLEDO.—The theatrical season is practically over in this city, and in a week the populace will be streaming parkward. The Byron Douglas Stock Co., at the Arcade, will be the only theatrical attraction running, and will continue as long as the attendance warrants it. Parson Jim was the bill 21-27, and was fairly attended.

The season at the Empire closed 21-27, with The Utopians, who drew well. This ended the second season of this theatre as a burlesque house, the business being uniformly good throughout the forty weeks.

The Casino and Farm, summer houses, will open 23. Howard Truesdale & Co. will be the headliners at the former, and Tom Nawu & Co. at the latter. The executive staff of the Casino will be Otto Klives, general manager; I. Herk, business manager; Edward Nolen, treasurer, and A. C. White, assistant treasurer. The Farm will be run by Joseph Pearlstein, manager, and Clifford Ackerman, treasurer. Manager J. W. McCormick has converted the Bellevue Summer Theatre into a roller rink and is doing excellently.

The Hagenbeck Show played here 19, to two fine audiences. Its horses and wagons are the best ever seen in Toledo. Wallace Shows June 1; Barnum & Bailey 7. Items—Wm. Downer, who was general manager of the Brown-Barker Rink during the winter, is managing one of the shows of the Ferreri Brothers' Carnival Co. * * * When Kathryn Osterman appeared at the Casino last season the attendance was close to 30,000. She will play there again week 28, and the Elks, for whose benefit the performance will be given, are already assured of an attendance that will greatly outnumber that of last year. * * * Chas J. Strobel, the former baseball manager will manage the tour of Roy Knabenshue and his nirship during the park season.

B. Q. LUSTIG.

CANAL DOVER.—The big Eagle Carnival and May Festival is on this week with the Hoss-Nauman Carnival Co. as the attraction. The company consists of eight shows, two free attractions, a Ferris Wheel and a Merry-Go-Round. Good weather and large crowds have prevailed throughout the week, and everyone has done a good business. The Hoss-Nauman people have proved to be one of the best attractions of the kind ever seen in Tuscarawas County.

CANTON.—Park Theatre (L. E. Cool, mgr.) Bill week 28: Hal Davis and Inez Mcauley, The Blinn, Bowen Brothers, Cal Stewart & Co., Mooney and Hobben, Flood Brothers and Chas. MacDonald.

Ehret's Park (A. Ehret, mgr.) The Keys Family of Comedians week 21.

Garden Theatre (M. Manning, mgr.) Vaudeville and burlesque to good business.

WRECHESVILLE.—City Opera House (Elvin & VanOstran, mgr.) Edison's Moving Pictures 15-16; fair business. The season is now over at this house.

FINDLAY.—Hagenbeck's Trained Animals 20; pleased large crowds. Ferreri Brothers' Carnival Co. 20-27; large crowds.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA.—The opening of the parks rings the curfew for the theatres, and the majority of them are wise enough to know it, for they are either closing or making arrangements to close quickly. Business has been far from good at most houses this week, the exceptions being few and far between. One of the new musical comedies produced last week has caught the fancy of the public and seems destined to stay at the theatre where it is playing far into the summer. The all-star cast of She Stoops to Conquer drew large houses for the three days' engagement in this city, and Lederer's new production opened well and the show pleased.

All of our parks will be in full swing by May 27, and as the attractions scheduled are all good ones, large business will be done unless the weather is too disagreeable. Some and his Band open Willow Grove Park and that means a jam during all of his engagement, as he is a big favorite in this city. Washington Park has a big band. Chestnut Hill and Woodside also have big bands and numerous other features and even the smaller parks are all laying out more money this year than they ever did before.

The changes in the burlesque houses in Philadelphia have caused a lot of talk. The Empire Circuit has leased the Bijou Theatre, a former Keith house, known at one time as the Keith gold mine, and will run that house

and the Tracerero for its attractions next season. The Lyceum has been frozen out of both wheels and it looks as if it would have to run independent next season. Rumor has it that James Hyde is after one of our best theatres to run it as a burlesque house, and that if he can not secure the house wanted he will build one. Under the stringent theatrical building laws of this state it would be an impossibility for him to build a house and have it ready for next season. There are but two theatres that are in the market, one of them now building and the other tied up by a lease, so it looks as if the eastern manager would be without a theatre in this city next season.

Casino Theatre. George Lederer found that he could not get his new musical comedy, Coming Thru' The Rye ready by May 22, so he postponed the date of opening until May 25. It opened to a big house and pleased the audience present and business has been good since, so it looks as if it might put in a number of weeks at this house. The book is by Hobart, the music by Miller and Slocum, but the Lederer hand is seen in the number of artistic groupings, catchy numbers and ensembles. People like it better than Smiling Island, which preceded it and the general impression is that Lederer has made another hit.

Chestnut Street Opera House. Liebler & Co.'s production of She Stoops to Conquer, with an all-star cast, drew large and fashionable audiences to this house for three nights and a matinee, starting May 20. This is the last attraction at this house this season.

Chestnut Street Theatre. The Wanderer was patched up during its two weeks' run at this house and is now in better shape than it was. It goes from this house to the Garrick for a run. On May 29, George Fish opens at this house for a month, with his All Favorites Stock Co. On account of Fish and Forepaugh formerly running a house in this city they were not allowed to bill the attraction at the Forepaugh Stock Co. The opening bill will be Tess of the D'Urbervilles, and a number of other big bills are promised for the future. The advance sale is large.

Garrick Theatre. Checkers completed a big two weeks' engagement at this house May 27. The Wanderer, with Charles Grapewin as star, opens for a run 29.

Park Theatre. Simple Simon Simple has caught on and the house is crowded nightly. The musical comedy is bright and lively and looks as if it would be a big success on the road.

Grand Opera House. Elsie Junia in The Little Dutchess had a big week at this house and the summer season of opera will start 29. The first bill will be The Wizard of the Nile. Girard Avenue Theatre. The Black Pearl Troubadours had a good week. Announced for 29 is Amy Lee in Mamselle Awkins.

Blaney's Arch Street Theatre. Young Buffalo, King of The Wild West, made good, and business was big all week. Week 29, Jnat at Dawn.

Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre. The summer season is on and the bill of vaudeville is a corker. The house will keep open all summer.

Forepaugh's Theatre. The Forepaugh Stock Co. are pleasing big audiences. Week 22, Dora Thorne, and for week 29, George Learock in Oliver Twist.

People's Theatre. Down Our Way had a fair week starting 22, and the house will be dark after this week.

Kensington Theatre. The stock company are pleasing audiences that are fair in size. This week, Spy of The Czar was the offering.

Standard Theatre. This house was open three days this week in order to give the employees a benefit. The stock company presented We'ans of Tennessee.

Tracerero Theatre. Watson's Orientals had a good week starting 22.

Lyceum Theatre. New Henry Burlesquers had a fair week opening 22.

Museum. Carlos and vandeville are drawing fairly.

BOB WAITT, 806 Walnut at.

PITTSBURG.—The past few weeks of cool weather has worked detriment to both playhouse and park; with the former the desire for indoor amusement has about passed and with the latter the coolness was too much for pleasure and comfort. All of our theatres are closed with the exception of the Nixon, Grand and Bijou, and the attendance has been only fair, and although this week we have Lillian Russell and her opera company at the Nixon, the patronage is limited, yet the performance is elegant and those who miss this show will miss quite a treat. Herrmann, The Great, Frank Keenan & Co., and The Three Castillions are a sufficient attraction to prove a good drawing card for the Grand this week and the attendance last night was very satisfactory. This house is supplied amply with fans and other apparatus for keeping the temperature moderate, and really the warmest day out no figure here so far as comfort is concerned; however, this house will close very shortly.

At the Bijou this week The Black Mask has played to very fair business and while the play is almost the limit, as melodrama goes, it however is very satisfying, and Mr. Staffer as the villain is one of the best that has visited the Bijou this season. The balance of the company are very good and give Mr. Staffer capable support. Next week the Bijou will have Rose Melville in her popular play, Sis Hopkins.

Checkers is billed as the coming attraction for our leading playhouse, the Nixon, and will be with us for two weeks, and should enjoy a large business, as in the hands of Mr. Thos. W. Ross and his large company, in my opinion, is one of the best attractions on the road.

With the exception of Luna Park all of our parks are now open, and Luna Park was billed to open May 25, but owing to unlooked for delay in getting everything in proper shape, the opening has been postponed until June 5. The opening of this park is looked forward to by thousands, and it undoubtedly will be the centre of attraction, so far as the Pittsburg parks are concerned for the next four or five months, and if promises are made good by the management, then the patronage will be undoubtedly all that could be expected.

The Barnum & Bailey Circus will give two performances daily, Monday and Tuesday, 30 and 31, in Bloomfield, and Wednesday, 31, in Allegheny. On their last visit here a year ago they were sold to capacity before 8:00 o'clock each night and in the midst of about as heavy a rain as we generally have here. There is no

question but what this engagement will be a repetition. (I mean business, not rain.)

LOUIS L. KAUFMAN.

ERIE.—Majestic Theatre (M. Reis, mgr.) Holty Toity 13; pleased fair house. When Johnny Comes Marching Home 18; well received by good audience. Lillian Russell 30; canceled. Amelia Blingham 20; It Happened in Nordland 20; DeWolf Hopper in Wang 30.

Waldemere Park (Thos. Maloney, mgr.) This popular resort will open 29.

Grove House Park (H. T. Foster, mgr.) Opening date not announced.

Overland. Business at this new resort has been good. Items—The Frontier Amusement Co. of Buffalo, are building an amusement resort on upper State street, which will open 29. * * * The Boer War Spectacle did not appear here 18, owing to cold and rainy weather. * * * Barnum & Bailey are billed for June 3. * * * John T. Gilson, local manager of the Park Opera House, is now acting manager of the Majestic. Manager Williams having gone to New York for the summer. * * * Frank T. Shayne, treasurer of the Majestic, has accepted a position as treasurer of Syracuse Baseball Team.

SHAMOKIN.—G. A. R. Opera House (J. F. Osler, mgr.) Dark.

Family Theatre (W. D. Nields, mgr.) Bill week 22: Grace King and her four Chrysanthemum Girls, LaTeli Brothers, Two Vanos, Tenean, Felix and Claxton, James and Davis, and moving pictures to large houses. Circus—Tennis Dog and Pony Show billed 20-22; failed to appear. Barnum & Bailey billed heavily for 24.

JOHNSTOWN.—Cambria Theatre (H. W. Sherer, mgr.) Running for Office 18; good house. Isle of Spice 31; Mme. Schumann-Helak June 3. Circus—Pawnee Bill's Wild West 29.

The New Luna Park (formerly Roxbury Park) after undergoing many improvements will open the season 30. In the new theatre which has been erected Frank B. Melville Vaudeville Co. will give daily performances.

ALTOONA.—Eleventh Avenue Opera House closed with The Isle of Spice 30. Items—Pawnee Bill's Wild West 30. * * * Ringling Brothers did only fair business, owing to rain. * * * Lakemont Park Theatre opens with a big vaudeville bill June 5. Frank Melville is booking agent, and he promises a fine line of attractions.

BRADFORD.—New Bradford Theatre (Jay North, mgr.) Holty Toity closed here 17 to large house. Herald Square Opera Co. 22; good house; return 23-24. Coming: DeWolf Hopper in Wang. Item—Pawnee Bill's Wild West is billed for June 5.

JOHNSBURG.—Armstrong Opera House (Johnsburg Am. Co., mgrs.) Faust 20; fair business. Twentieth Century Minstrels (local), benefit of attaches, 22; fair business. This closes the season.

TITUSVILLE.—Opera House (Harry Gerson, mgr.) Holty Toity closed the season at this house 10. Circus—John Robinson Circus 9; capacity afternoon and evening.

WARREN.—Library Theatre (F. R. Scott, mgr.) The Morgan Hewitt Stock Co. 18-20; fair performances and business. Circus—Pawnee Bill's Wild West June 3.

ABEHLAND.—Grand Opera House (R. J. Williams, mgr.) Black Crook (Jr.) Burlesquers 12; fair house. The house is now closed for the season.

PHILLIPSBURG.—Pierce's Opera House (J. F. Driggs, mgr.) Closed the season with The Real Widow Brown 16; only fair business. Circus—The John Robinson Shows 20; immense crowds.

WILLIAMSPORT.—Valamont Pavilion (L. A. Frey, mgr.) Vandeville week 23. Circus—Sig. Santelle & Welsh Brothers 20; good business.

NORRIETOWN.—Grand Opera House (C. J. Carpenter, mgr.) Dark.

TENNESSEE.

KNOXVILLE.—Chilhowee Park. The Percht Co. is playing Woman Against Woman to good house, despite cold and rainy weather. The orchestra is a strong feature, and gives a concert preceding the performance proper. Items—Fred Martin, treasurer of Staub's Theatre, has gone to Montgomery, Ala., as manager of a summer park which Chelso Peruchil has leased for the summer. * * * Pain's Fireworks are announced for Chilhowee Park, June 8-10.

MEMPHIS.—Bijou (B. M. Stainback, mgr.) A Convict's Daughter week 15; fair business. Wells-Dunn-Harland Opera Co. week 22; very large crowds. Next: Billy (Single) Clifford in How He Won Her.

East End Park (A. B. Morrison, mgr.) Vandeville week 15; big business. Week 22, a big bill headed by Little Miss Lund.

NASHVILLE.—Bijou Theatre (Allen Jenkins, mgr.) Mary Marble and Little Chip in The Knickerbocker Girl 15-20; crowded houses. Glendale Park Casino (Y. C. Alley, mgr.) High-class vaudeville 15-20; The Convict's Daughter 22-27.

TEXAS.

SAN ANTONIO.—Electric Park (S. H. Welton, mgr.) Albert Taylor Stock Co. opened Electric Park to large and well pleased audience, presenting The New Secretary 14-16; Home Sweet Home 17-18, and King of Wall Street 19-21.

TYLER.—Grand Opera House (A. Hicks, mgr.) Dark week 22. Boston Opera Co. week 29.

VERMONT.

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VIRGINIA.

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Saturday, June 3, 1905.

President Roosevelt's decision to decline all proffered courtesies from amusement managers, is an interesting innovation in the conduct of the chief executive. Evidently he does not fancy the obligation incident upon the acceptance of free admission to places where ordinary mortals have to pay. Then, too, it is characteristic of the present incumbent in the highest office of the land to be independent in all his actions, official and otherwise, and to do things according to his own ideas of propriety.

The new ruling will have no material affect upon the future conduct of the president. He will do as he and all his predecessors have always done—accommodate his leisure to convenience. Still, his visits to places of amusement may not be anticipated and used for advertising purposes as has been the custom; and this it is his purpose to obviate. In how far he will be successful, depends upon the extent to which the public press may find it profitable to go in ascertaining his projects in the way of divertisement.

The projectors of amusements in Chicago have never been justly charged with a want of enterprise. Their latest effort has taken substantial, and what will undoubtedly prove to be permanent form in White City, a resort as poetic and colossal as the name implies.

We have heard much of the project in the past few months. It has been an ever ready topic among show people in the city by the lake, and visitors returning have manifested surpassing enthusiasm in their description of and predictions for the largest undertaking in a summer amusement way west of Coney Island.

In fact, there is nothing larger in its line than White City in all the world. That there was, likewise, never a bigger success that it will be, is insured by the capital, brains and resourcefulness of the men who have put into material shape the grandest conception of a summer park that ever sprang fullfledged into perfect entity before the gates were opened for the first time.

We have had another instance of the far famed kind heartedness of show

people. There was much feeling in the simple ceremonies of the people with the Robinson Show over those lone graves in the little Pennsylvania cemetery. The day regularly set aside for the nation to decorate the earth-beds of its departed dear ones, will not witness a more sincere and touching tribute than that paid to the memory of the victims of that dread catastrophe which overtook the Walter L. Main Show at Tyrone a dozen years ago. Most of the people gathered there were strangers to the departed. But the names graven on those little tablets were more than the names of strangers to them. They were all brothers in closer affinity than consanguinity always makes. The great majority, known as the public, might take pattern from this little act of human kindness.

The decision of the Circuit Court at Portland, Ore., establishes a precedent in that State for cases similar to that of James Metcalf, editor of "Life," against the syndicate of theatrical managers in New York. A negro named Taylor purchased tickets for a box at the Star Theatre, but when he and his party went to the performance the manager refused to allow them to occupy the box, on the ground that negroes were not allowed to sit in theatre boxes. Taylor declined to take back the money he had paid for the box, which the manager offered to refund, and brought suit for \$5,000 damages. In the trial the court held that a ticket is a license which can be revoked at any time, and that a person holding a ticket, but refused the seat designated in the ticket, has a right to recover the price of the ticket, but has not cause for action for damages.

Mr. Metcalf was excluded as an objectionable person, his criticisms being in the eyes of the managers, unduly caustic. The whole case hinges on the question whether the management has the right to discriminate as to whom shall be entitled to the privileges sold at the box office. The Oregon judge is very clear on this point. Strange to say, a case of this kind has never come up in New York, though several other states, including Pennsylvania, have set precedents.

It was not so bad when Mayor Collins, of Boston, so abused his new prerogative with regard to licenses as to place the fee of circuses at the prohibitive figure of \$1,800 per week; but if he carries out the intention recently expressed, and raises the license rate of theatres to an extortionate degree, it will constitute a great calamity to the theatrical business generally. The circuses can keep away from the city proper and play in one of the suburbs, for the greater part of Boston is suburbs, anyway. But the theatres are within the corporation limits and they can not be removed—not conveniently.

If the mayor does demand an exorbitant rate for license, it will show an inimical purpose that should be fought to the highest court.

There is no element of burlesque in the war between the Empire and the Eastern Associations. It is the real article. Things have been doing the past week in both organizations. All kinds of stories have gone out, but under the circumstances, seeing must be believing. Both sides claim victory, which is contrary to the principles of warfare. But while Whallen and Krause are crossing swords, with Scribner and Fennessey standing behind them making mouths at each other, the actor, with an eye to either "wheel," winks the other side of his face.

Now that J. P. Colton, representing Lebler & Co., has appealed his case in which a Chicago judge fined him one hundred dollars for violating the Child Labor Law of Illinois, the constitutionality of the law as applied to children on the stage, will be decided by the higher tribunal. Of course, a logical and consistent verdict can only remit the sentence of the lower court and set a much desired precedent, but there has been so much rabid criticism of the effect of the environment of stage life upon children that it is a question whether even a court of justice can rise above the prejudice.

ROBERT FULTO NDEAD

Robert Fulton, the well-known burlesque manager, and proprietor of the Folly and Trocadero theatres, Chicago, died in Chicago, May 28, after a year's illness, suffering with tuberculosis. Knowing his end was inevitable, a tinge of romance was added to the closing scene in the life of the well-known manager by his marriage to Miss Ray Newman, formerly treasurer of the Trocadero. The marriage ceremony took place Saturday morning, at the bedside of the manager. Saturday evening he bade farewell to his newly made bride and to his friends and passed to the beyond.

Mr. Fulton began his career as Master Robert, boy magician under the management of Alonzo P. Daniels, who brought out the famous Night Owl Burlesquers. Later Mr. Fulton went to Chicago and became manager of an opera company which played at Grenier's Garden, and at the Criterion Theatre. While with that company he married the woman who became well known as the star of the Jolly Grass Widows, Carrie Fulton. Carrie Fulton died about two years ago.

Mr. Fulton subsequently became associated with the late Thomas E. Miaco as business manager of the City Club Burlesquers. Later they organized the Trocadero Circuit of burlesque houses, including houses in Chicago, Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Omaha and Kansas City. After Mr. Miaco's death Mr. Fulton assumed control over the Trocadero in Chicago and the other houses became allied with the Empire Circuit.

Mr. Fulton was a prominent K. of P. and was of the Episcopalian religion. He has a legion of friends and was greatly admired by his associates. He amassed quite a fortune, all of his ventures proving eminently successful. The body was shipped to Philadelphia where interment took place May 30.

EMPIRE CIRCUIT GROWING

The Bijou Theatre, Philadelphia, has been leased by George W. Rife. It will open in August as a burlesque house, and the attractions that play the Empire Circuit will be seen there. The Trocadero Theatre in the same city will also play Empire attractions. The Lyceum Theatre at present has no association or "wheel" to tie up with and will most likely be run as an independent burlesque house.

BIRTHS

HYAMS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Hyams recently, a daughter. Mrs. Hyams is known professionally as Miss Lella McIntyre.

TIBBILLS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tibbills, at Kiowa, Kan., Saturday, May 20, a son.

MARRIAGES

BROWN—MUMFORD—George Brown of New York, and Mrs. Adeline Mumford of Chicago, members of the Beggar Prince Opera Co., were married at Woodstock, Ill., May 18.

WELLS—BRADLEY—Reginald Wells and Miss Blanche Curtis Bradley, recently of the Peggy From Paris Co., were married in Portland, Me., last week.

DAHL—DARROCK—Anton Dahl, leader of the orchestra at the Grand Opera House, St. Paul, Minn., to Miss Anita Carroll, formerly of the Percy Haswell Co. The couple sailed for Denmark, 13, on their wedding trip.

SCHHELL—DEMAR—Ernest Schell, of Philadelphia, Pa., to Estelle DeMar, a sister of Carrie DeMar. Miss DeMar has for several seasons been a member of one or another of William A. Brady's companies, and last season was with Al. Leach in Girls Will Be Girls.

DAVIS—SEAMANS—Ed. F. Davis, theatrical manager, to Mrs. Harry Seamans, mother of the Seamans Trio, Monty, Primrose and Si, at Leeper, Mich. The couple will reside in Kalama-zoo when not on the road.

RAPP—HEENK—William Rapp, Jr., to Mme. Schuman-Heink, in Chicago, Saturday, May 27.

DEATHS

Amalie Schoenchen, an actress well known on the German stage of fifty years died May 23, at the age of seventy-one. She suddenly forgot her lines while rehearsing at Berlin, the week previous, and fell to the stage. She has been seen here.

Arthur Bailey, of Brooklyn, N. Y., an attaché of the Baranum & Bailey Show, was killed at Allentown, Pa., by being run over by a switching engine.

Fred Barnes, foreman of construction at White City on The Lake, Cleveland, O., died May 22, of pneumonia. His wife survives him.

Robert Fulton. Notice of his death in Chicago appears in another column of this issue.

John C. Stewart. Notice of his death appears in another column of this issue.

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WHITE CITY OPENS

The opening of White City, Chicago, May 27, marked an epoch in the history of amusements. The real opening was preceded on Friday evening by a reception tendered the press by the management of Chicago's colossal new park. Notables of the newspaper world from all over the west were present at the banquet which was a brilliant event. They were unanimous in expressions of delight at the achievement of their hosts, and the papers they represented later contained elaborate reiteration of the praise and congratulation so richly deserved.

Sunday was a bright warm day, and the crowds that visited White City resembled the crush at the World's Fair held in the western metropolis some years ago. All were pleased and the spirit of enthusiasm swept over them like a delightful infection.

Fourteen acres of ground have been converted into this city of pleasure and \$1,000,000 has been expended to supply it with the latest ideas in summer amusements. Expense has not been spared in an attempt to make White City the most elaborate place of its kind in the country.

All the buildings are constructed of white cement and lighted with rows and festoons of electric lights, which trace the outlines of the structures, the result being dazzling. In the center of the grounds rises the electric tower, with 20,000 incandescent lights and a powerful searchlight.

The park is in the form of an oblong, one-fourth of a mile long and one-twelfth of a mile wide. Down the middle runs the sunken garden, with a stand for the Banda Rossa in the middle, and relieved with pots of flowers and ferns. On either side and at the ends rise the buildings, each one containing some distinct amusement feature. The attraction each house contains is blazoned across its front in incandescent lights, so it is easy to see from almost any part of the city where any particular one is situated.

C. A. TAYLOR'S NEWEST VENTURE

One of the most important moves in the general scheme of summer amusements for the Pacific coast was consummated on May 2, when Charles A. Taylor left New York with a company of players fully equipped for the presentation of five of his plays in theatres of the northwest and on the coast. Charles H. Stewart, general manager of Mr. Taylor's interests, consummated the deal, and sent the company from New York with railroad transportation which will eventually take them twice across the continent. The company will be headed by Lorette Taylor, wife of the author-manager, and will play from two to five weeks in Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Denver, before opening the regular season for a tour of the Stair & Havlin Circuit. Albert Hall, Edwin Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Raynora, W. R. Dalley, Wm. Webb, Aileen May, Virginia Richmond and Nora Pixley will be members of the supporting company. Of Mr. Taylor's many plays the ones selected for presentation are Queen of The Highway, Escaped From The Harem, The Female Detectives, The White Tigress of Japan, The Girl Engineer and Mr. Taylor's newest play, Rich For a Day. The company will open on June 4, at the Third Avenue Theatre, Seattle, where they will play five weeks. They will then go to Russell & Jewell's Theatre in Portland for five weeks, with two weeks each at the California Theatre, San Francisco, the Grand Opera House, Los Angeles, and the Broadway, Denver, to follow. At the conclusion of the Denver engagement the company will immediately proceed upon its all-season tour of the Stair & Havlin Circuit, presenting Rich For a Day, a play which will be given an elaborate production.

A SUCCESSFUL CARNIVAL CO.

The Jones-Adams Carnival Co. has already completed ten weeks of prosperous business, and it may be said that they have finished a fair season's business before some of the other big ones have hardly started. Not satisfied with having one of the strongest and best carnival companies on the road, Messrs. Jones & Adams have invested an enormous sum of money in a wild animal show, and next week

when it opens on the lot at Annapolis, Md., it will surprise even the old-timers. The animals have been carefully selected from different cities of the east, and the front is from the best shop in Baltimore. This will be the banner season for Mr. Adams in the carnival business, and all those who know Johnny J. Jones know him to be a hard and persistent worker. The two will certainly be winners this year and get the bank roll. The company is looking forward to the three weeks in Baltimore with pleasure, and it is sure to be good, with other good ones to follow.

WILL TEST CHILD LABOR LAW

A suit was commenced in a court of justice of the peace in Chicago last week to test the legality of the law prohibiting the employment of children in theatres after 6 p. m. Six children belonging to the Mrs. Wiggs of The Cabbage Patch Co. were brought to court and one, Bessie Burt, was fined \$100 and costs by Justice Underwood. The case goes to a higher court this week and will be taken to the supreme court as soon as it is passed the intermediate courts. For the purpose of expediting matters and making it unnecessary for the child to appear in the upper courts the attorneys for the defense agreed to sign a stipulation granting the charges made by the prosecution. Factory Inspector Davis is desirous of having the matter decided by the supreme court, that he may be the better qualified to treat such cases. The case will be fought out among the lawyers, and little Miss Burt need have no fear of further proceedings against her, personally.

MME. SCHUMAN-HEINK MARRIED

Mme. Schuman-Heink and her business manager, Wm. Rapp, jr. was married in Chicago, Saturday, May 27. The marriage was in the nature of a surprise, inasmuch as rumors to the effect that they had been or were to be married shortly, had been denied again and again. Mr. Rapp is a well-known journalist, having been engaged in newspaper work in Chicago and Cincinnati.

ILL IN NEW YORK

Charles Nirdlinger, author of a number of plays, is dangerously ill in New York City. Scarlet fever is the reported cause of his illness.

RELIEF FUND

Harry West, a performer, is serving a twenty year sentence in the Illinois State Prison for a crime of which he claims he is not guilty, having been unfairly convicted. The Billboard is holding a fund for his relief.

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HAGENBECK'S IN CINCINNATI

A person can go to all the shows and circuses, then go to Hagenbeck's and see something new. The Carl Hagenbeck Trained Animals Show made its initial bow to a Cincinnati audience Monday, May 29, upon the Norwood show grounds. Though when The Billboard man went to noon lunch it was almost pouring down rain, but by 2:15 p. m. it had cleared up partially and fully eight thousand people had assembled under the snow-white canvas of the famous shows. The mammoth top, with its red trimmings and trappings, certainly inspires one with the circus spirit as he enters. The seating arrangements are excellent and the entire outfit is a model one. The show opens with a rush, a grand entrance. Then, with dispatch and celerity, two rings and the mammoth steel arena are filled with performers, both dumb and human, which soon gives every evidence that the management of the show has picked the cream of the profession. Space will not allow a review which the show deserves. Suffice it to say that the entire performance was received with the wildest enthusiasm and that every act met with the unadulterated approval of the entire audience. It was a grand day for Messrs. Havlin and Williams, the honored sons of Cincinnati who are to a measure responsible for the present tour of the famous shows.

We take off our hats to Mr. John Penji, Prof. Alaska, Mr. Herman Boger, Miss Dollie Castle, Mr. Chas. Judge and Mr. John Dudak for the excellency they have trained their lions, leopards, sea lions, etc. Elephants, pigs, zebras, goats, trained to the limit, were astoundingly good. A number of acrobatic and aerial acts by Al performers are put on and win deserved applause.

A number of circus men were present among them John Robinson and Frank E. Tate, of San Francisco.

ADDITIONAL NEW YORK NOTES

David Belasco has signed a contract with Robert Hilliard whereby the Brooklyn actor will star under the gonfalon of Belasco for a term of years. Mr. Belasco is also in negotiation with Brandon Tynan with a view to adding him to the Belasco galaxy of stars. Given Mrs. Leslie Carter, Blanche Bates, David Warfield and Bertha Golland, with the addition of Hilliard and Tynan, the Only Belasco will have six strong strings to his managerial bow with the opening of the forthcoming season.

John Bernard Dyllin (born Dillon, in Brooklyn) will not proceed to Chicago with Geo. M. Cohan's Little Johnny Jones forces, but will retire from the role of Sing Song to take up a series of vaudeville bookings which will keep him busy for several months. Chas. Bachmann, a protege of Mr. Cohan, was tried in the part of Sing Song last Wednesday evening and is credited with a successful debut.

The season of summer vaudeville at Brighton Beach Music Hall begins June 10. The Boer War began its summer run at Brighton Park Saturday, May 27. Anbery Mittenthal will star Edna Ang next season in a musical comedy by Martha Murton, entitled A Four Leaf Clover. Lee Kugle has purchased the rights of The Mocking Bird and will star Kate Condon therein.

When Oscar Hammerstein opens Paradise Roof Garden on June 5 he will present To-Do, a European musical novelty, as his feature. Others in the bill will be Louise Gunning, Spessardy's bears, Stuart, the male Patti; Kate Rooney, and her Yankee Doodle Girls; the Patti Brothers, Galetti's monkeys, the Four Avalos, the Yocarya, Bud Snyder, Mlle. Martha, the Juggling McBains, Ye Colonial Septette, and Cooper and Johnson.

Proctor's Twenty-third Street has Adele Ritchie as the headline attraction for the week of May 29, with the Russell Brothers as an extra attraction. Tim Murphy will be a special feature. J. K. Murray and Clara Lane, Cole and Johnson, O'Brien and Havel, Sam Elton, Searle and Violet Allen, Vernon, ventriloquist; and the Magaldi Family will complete what gives promise of being an exceptionally good show.

Down at Coney Island Manager F. B. Henderson continues to offer long and strong hills of vaudeville. He has booked for the week of May 29: The Miami Trio, the Henshaw and Francioli Co., Montague's Cockatoo Circus, Sig. Gallani and the Venetian Trio, Gregory and Wood, Curtis and May, the dancing robes; Almont and Dumont, Milt and Mande Wood, Les Elgonas, Antoinette Harmon, Lydia Hall, Amy Butler, Minnie Harrison, and Harper, Desmond and Bailey.

Genaro and Bailey will give their clever comedy sketch as the feature of Tony Pastor's vaudeville bill week of May 29, with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Murphy the extra attraction. Henry Frey and Dave Ferguson, Mitchell and Marion, Raymond Teal, Mr. and Mrs. Nello, the Three Delmonts, Ivy, Dellmar and Ivy, Kitty Hart, Geo. W. Barry and Mande Wulford, Chas. and Ada Kalme, and Max Ritter will be others who will entertain patrons of this favorite amusement resort.

Maurice Roth, a phenomenal boy tenor, has been engaged permanently with Chas. K. Harris and is ready to sing choruses from the gallery or box at any of the theatres in or near New York City. This lad has created a sensation wherever he has been heard and will also make himself generally useful around the Harris offices.

The artistic work of Mme. Bertha Kalich in the name part of Sardou's Fedora at the American Theatre, has been the most talked about achievement any actress has attained in New York for many moons. Her success is made the more noteworthy through the fact that she is now speaking English for the first time in her stage career. The demand for seats during the past week has moved the management to retain the same bill for a second week, starting May 29.

The Hippodrome will be the Mecca for all the faithful Tammanyites of the Twenty-first Assembly District on Friday afternoon, June 2. Four thousand five hundred seats have been purchased by the Tammany organization in that district, and most of the two balconies at the Hippodrome will be given over to the wives, children, sweethearts and Mother-in-laws of Tammany braves who live along the West Side above Eighty-fourth street.

Will A. Peters has gone to Charlotte, N. C., with a dramatic stock company which he will operate at one of the summer parks, opening June 5. May Walters will be leading woman and Franklyn Vall will be leading man. Other members of the company will be Earl McLellan, Arthur Griffin, Will Vall, Harry Allen, Nan Hewins, Caroline De Vere, Cecelia Brady. The opening bill will be Cast.

Charles Frohman has signed a contract for a number of years with Huntley Wright, who for nine years has been the star of all the productions at Daly's Theatre, London, and was the creator of all the parts played in America by James T. Fower and William Morris.

The Alhambra up in Harlem will have this vaudeville bill week of May 29: The Four Livingstones, Edwin Latell, Herbert Kelsey and Effie Shanon, Louise Gunning, Hermann, the great; Ye Colonial Septette, Clayton White, Marie Stuart and company, Fred. Niblo, and the Union Gatling Guards.

The Colonial's vaudeville for the week of May 29 names the Four Mortons, Louise Gunning, Bedini and Arthur, the Transatlantic Four, Albert Chevalier, Delmore and Lee, Cooper and Robinson, the Misses Delmore, and the Yalta Duo. It would seem that this would be a busy week for Louise Gunning, as she is to play both of Percy Williams' houses.

At Keith's Union Square Theatre the bill for the week of May 29 will include Edwin Stevens, Reno and Richards, Julian Eltinge, Alice Davenport, Lavine-Cimeron Trio, Terley, a European importation; Frederick Voelker, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barry, Belle Gordon, John Healey, Horace Vinton and Edna Clayton, and Alexis and Schall.

The Lion Palace opens for the summer on Monday evening, under the management of Louis Lesser. The three Lane Sisters may be Louis Lesser. The three Lane Sisters feature of the opening bill.

The Metropolis Theatre comes forward on Monday night with a bid for vaudeville patronage, the regular season of combinations having ended. The opening bill of the supplemental vaudeville season will include Rooney's Street Urchins, Jane Courthorpe and company, Bennett and Rich, Clarice Vance, the Greggsons, Ed. Gray, Rice and Elmer, and Parker's dogs.

At Hammerstein's Victoria Theatre Varieties the entertainers, during the week of May 29, will include May Yobe and husband, Putnam Bradley Strong, Howard and North, the Hengler Sisters, the Dollar Troupe, Herbert Brooks, Mills and Morris, Eugene Cowles, the Two Bostons, and Cressy and Dane.

With Brighton Beach Park and the Boer War added to the attractions of Dreamland, Luna Park, and Bostock's Animals, the seashore nearby is made a most alluring destination for New Yorkers who seek recreation thus early in the summer season. Everybody has prepared to reap a fortune on Decoration Day, and Coney Island will swarm with delighted humanity.

WALTER K. HILL.

LATE ITEMS FROM CHICAGO

Chris. O. Brown, Chicago representative of the Affiliated Western Vaudeville Circuit, announces the following act booked by Chicago office to open Monday, May 29: At Butte, Mont., The Demuths, whirlwind dancers; Nina Beeson, character change artist; Mae Evens, fine musical act; Vilmore Titcary, operatic singing and change artist, and Williams and Gordon, comedians. From the New York office the Great Henry Lee, Jules Walters and Co., open at Butte, Mont., on the Affiliated Circuit, Monday, June 22, and reports great success with his new act, it was one of the hits of the season. Scenery and electrical effects were pronounced the most beautiful that has ever appeared in a popular priced vaudeville house in the west.

Jennie Calef and Annie Waldron, popular favorites at the Calumet Theatre, South Chicago, close with that company and open on the Affiliated Circuit for a limited engagement of six weeks, June 12. In years gone by, Waldron and Calef were stock favorites on the coast, and no doubt will receive a great reception on their return.

Lottie Gilon, the favorite singing Comedienne, opened at Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco, May 22, and created quite a sensation.

Howard Thurston is in his fourth week at Fischer's Theatre, and will then play the Affiliated Circuit. He is booked for two weeks only at Fischer's, but owing to his tremendous success is detained for an additional two weeks.

Maude Rockwell, coon singer, and a great favorite in San Francisco, will return to Fischer's Theatre in that city after a two weeks' absence playing a special engagement at the Novelty Theatre, Stockton. Miss Rockwell received an ovation on her return to the popular San Francisco playhouse.

Chris O. Brown announces some very fine bookings for The Affiliated Western Vaudeville Circuit, and is sending some headliner acts to the coast.

WARREN A. PATRICK.

ROUTES AHEAD.

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PERFORMERS' DATES.

Alva, Alice (Steeplechase Park): Bridgeport, Conn., 28-June 3.
Alvin Bros. (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., June 5-10.
Albions, The (Castle): Bloomington, Ill., 28-June 3.
Ameta (Ft. Sheridan Park): Chicago, Ill., 28-June 3.
Avery & Healy (Willow Brook Park): Norwalk, O., 29-June 3.
Allen, Leon and Bertie (Orpheum): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
Adams, Musical (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 29-June 3.
Adler, Flo (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
Alarcon's Mexican Trio (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
American Newsboys' Quintet (Island Beach Park): Owensboro, Ky., 29-June 3.
Adams' Lions (Homonca Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 29-June 3.
Allyna, The (Campbell Island): Moline, Ill., June 5-10.
Auburns, Three (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 29-June 3.
Apollo (Forest Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3; (Fontaine Ferry Park) Louisville, Ky., 4-10.
Ah & Pelsner (Majestic): New York City, 29-June 3.
Aurora's, Mlle. Bears (Bostock's): Coney Island, N. Y., 15, indef.
Abbott & Bryant (Crystal): Leadville, Col., 29-June 3; (Grand) Colorado Springs 4-10.
Allen, Will F. (Alhambra): Savannah, Ga., 22-June 3.
Austin, Great (Family): Logan, Utah, 29-June 3.
Adamini & Taylor (Woolworth's): Lancaster, Pa., 29-June 3.
Adams, Mabelle (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 3.
Aldrich, Chas. T. (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 29-June 3.
Abbott, Annie Adele (Robson Park): Ft. Wayne, Ind., 29-June 3; Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
Avebeck, Magician (Lagoon): Cincinnati, O., 29-June 3.
Arnold's Fumas and Leopards (Star): Portland, Ore., 29-June 3.
Adams, Jas. R. (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
Addison & Livingston: En route with Swallow & Markle's Floating Palace. See Miscellaneous Routes.
Aberna, The: En route with the Fiesta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
Alexander, George B. (Howard): Boston, Mass., indef.
Alpine Family: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Altons, The: Omaha, Neb., indef.
Armstrong & Holly: Bald Mountain, Col., May 22, indef.
Ashton, Margaret (Coliseum): London, Eng., June 6-July 24.
Bailey & Madison (Empire): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
Barrows-Lancaster Co. (Coliseum): London, Eng., March 20-July 8.
Barlow's Elephants (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
Belpont, Claude, H. (Auditorium): Wichita, Kan., indef.
Benner, Emelle (Howard): Boston, Mass., Jan 23, indef.
Bentham & Freeman: En route with Jack Bessey Stock Co. See Dramatic Routes.
Bernard, Floyd: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Bolton, Four Sensational: En route with Wallace's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Bowers Newsboys' Quartet (San Senci Park): Chicago, Ill., indef.
Burkhardt, G.: En route with Campbell Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Brewers, The (Vancouver O. H.): Vancouver, B. C., 29-June 3.
Beeson, Nina (Family): Butte, Mont., 29-June 3.
Burton Bell Ringers (Star): Astoria, Ore., 29-June 3.
Barr & Laselle (Star): Astoria, Ore., 29-June 3.
Bradford's, The (London): London, Can., 29-June 3; (Whitney O. H.) Detroit, Mich., 4-10.
Bell, Senator Frank (Island Beach): Owensboro, Ky., 29-June 3; (Oak Summit Park) Evansville, Ind., 4-10.
Barneys, The Three (Unique): Eau Claire, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Duluth, Minn., 5-10.
Bardlets, The Musical (Elite): Davenport, Ia., 29-June 3; (Bijou) LaCrosse, Wis., 5-10.
Bowers & Curtis: Omaha, Neb., 5-10.
Bosonko & Radcliffe (Orpheum): Springfield, O., 29-June 3; (Cook's Park) Evansville, Ind., 5-10.
Bernard, Rhoda (Crystal Park): Sedalia, Mo., 29-June 3; (Electric Park) Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
Bernsteins, The (Unique): Eau Claire, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Duluth, Minn., 5-10.
Bennett & Rich (Metropolis): New York City, 29-June 3.
Bedouin Arabs, Eight (Hopkins Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3.
Bennett, Mark (Metropolis): New York City, 29-June 3.
Barry & Wolford (Pastor's): New York City, 29-June 3.
Bingham (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 29-June 3.
Busch Family (Bijou): Calumet, Mich., 29-June 3.
Bla, Arthur (Gaiety): Springfield, Ill., 29-June 3; (Grand) Joliet 5-10.
Buzkes, The Jagging (Bijou): Calumet, Mich., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Marquette 5-10.
Burdett, Blanche (Star): Cleveland, O., 29-June 3; (Lafayette) Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
Barnes, The Two: Peterboro, Can., 29-June 3.
Barnes & Edwins (Bijou): Oshkosh, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Green Bay 5-10.
Burns, Harry (Ebaer's Park): Burlington, Ia., 29-June 10.
Barlows, Breakaway (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., 29-June 10.
Bissonnette & Newman (Forest Park): Little Rock, Ark., 22-June 3.
Barrett Sisters (Lavinia Park): Highland Park, Ill., 29-June 3.

Bedina & Arthur (Keith's): New York City, 5-10.
Bragg & Ashton (Lemp's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3; (Family) E. St. Louis, Ill., 5-10.
Barnes & Washburn (Crystal): Cripple Creek, Col., 29-June 3; (Crystal) Leadville 5-10.
Bonavita, Capt. Jack (Bostock's): Coney Island, N. Y., 15, indef.
Brandu (Bostock's): Coney Island, N. Y., 15, indef.
Bartlett, Harry F. (Bijou): Quincy, Ill., 29-June 3.
Bates & Ernest (Lyric): Denver, Col., 29-June 3.
Beaumont & Hayward (Interurban Oak Park): Sterling, Ill., 29-June 3.
Bevan & Desmond (Normbega Park): Auburn-dale, Mass., 29-June 3.
Birch, John (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 29-June 3.
Blessings, The (Standard): Ft. Worth, Tex., 22-June 3.
Bower, Frances Col (West End Park): New Orleans, La., 29-June 3.
Brittons, The (Os Budavara): Budapest, Hun., 22-June 15.
Brooks, Jenule (Summer Park): Akron, O., 29-June 3.
Bright Bros (Empire Tour): England, 5-30.
Brown, Jack and Lillian Wright (Bijou): Oshkosh, Wis., 29-June 3.
Busch-DeVere Trio (Hopkins Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3.
Barnes, Paul (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Barrell, May A. (Heuderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 15-June 3.
Brehaney, Louise (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Brown, Whistling Tom (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3.
Benton, Elwood and Maggie (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 29-June 3.
Blinn, Bonn, Brrr (Myer's Lake Park): Canton, Ill., 29-June 3.
Beecher & May (Kirby's): Baltimore, Md., May 29, indef.
Blamphm & Hebr (Olympia Park): Chattanooga, Tenn., 29-June 3.
Calvin, James (Bon Ton): Salt Lake City, Utah, 29-June 3.
Caasid & DeVerne (Ulque): Winnipeg, Can., 29-June 3; (Unique) Minneapolis, Minn., 5-10.
Clifford & Orth (Downtown): Winnipeg, Can., 29-June 3.
Carroll & Clarke (Gleudale Park): Nashville, Tenn., 29-June 3; (Olympic Park) Chattanooga 5-10.
Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Crystal): Victor, Col., June 5-10.
Clarke & Temple (Unique): San Jose, Cal., 29-June 3; (Bell) Oakland 5-10.
Carroll & Hodges: Sheboygan, Wis., 29-June 3; Foud du Lac 5-10.
Craig, Richy W. (Star): Brooklyn, N. Y., 29-June 3; (Trocadero) Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10.
Campbell, Dillon & Campbell: Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3; (Lakeside Casino) Akron, O., 5-10.
Corbett & Forrester (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 29-June 3; (Interurban Park) Sterling, Ill., 5-10.
Cooper & Robinson (Hammerstein's): New York City, June 5-10.
Connelly, Pete (Fairmont Park): Kansas City, Mo., 29-June 3; (Lyric Park) Jolip 4-10.
Cameron, Grace (Academy of Music): Baltimore, Md., 29-June 10.
Campbell & Brady (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
Courada, The (Phillips): Richmond, Ind., 29-June 3; (Lincoln Park) Vincennes 4-10.
Coltons, The (Bijou): Des Moines, Ia., 29-June 3.
Camille Comedy Trio: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Carlos, Chas. and Dogs: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Carrays, The: En route with Swallow & Markle's Floating Palace. See Miscellaneous Routes.
Carre's Animals (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
Carroll, Great (Alcazar): Denver, Col., indef.
Chamberlins, The (Empire): Birmingham, Eng., May 29-July 31.
Clarkson, The (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
Collins & Hart (Tivoli): London, Eng., June 12-Aug. 5.
Cozads, The Aerial (Lincoln Park): New Orleans, La., indef.
Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner (Keith's): Providence, R. I., April 10, indef.
Creswell, W. P. (Bicycle Bill): En route with Collins' Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
Collins & Hawley (Gotham): New York City, 29-June 3.
Cameron & Toledo (Bijou): Quincy, Ill., 29-June 3.
Clemo & Cassell (Steeplechase Park): Bridgeport, Conn., 29-June 3.
Conchas, Paul (Forest Park): Kansas City, Mo., 29-June 3.
Colonial Sextet, Ye (Alhambra): New York City, 29-June 3.
Cox Family Quartet (Oberon): San Francisco, Cal., 22-June 3.
Corble & Burke: Erie, Pa., 29-June 3.
Cotton's Comedy Donkeys (River View Park): Baltimore, Md., 29-June 3.
Cressey & Dayne (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 29-June 3.
Callahan & Mack (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Clark, Wilfred (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
Coerigan, Emmett (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 29-June 10.
Carletou, Al. (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 29-June 3.
Collins, Dot (Capitol): Glen Falls, N. Y., 29-June 10.
Dupree, Geo. and Libbie (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 29-June 3; (Island Beach) Owensboro, Ky., 5-10.
DeVaro & Curtis (Ludendwald Park): Hamilton, O., 29-June 3.
Daly & Kelso (Star): Hamilton, Can., 29-June 3; (London) London 5-10.
Dagwell, Aurie (Garden): Buffalo, N. Y., 29-June 3; (G. O. H.) Pittsburg, Pa., 5-10.
DeVries, Sam (Fort Sheridan Park): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
DeAco, Mlle. (Lagoon): Ludlow, Ky., June 5-10.
Darrow, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart: Owego, N. Y., April 10-July 3.
D'Arville Sisters (Summer Theatre): Hot Springs, Ark., May 21, indef.
Drales Duo: En route with Meyer's Motarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.

Dee, Roy: En route with Eckhardt & Hawkins' Ideals. See Dramatic Routes.
DeVelda & Zaida: En route with Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
Downey, Leslie T. (Novelty): Stockton, Cal., Feb. 6-July 1.
Drawee (Tivoli): London, Eng., Feb. 6-June 30.
Drew, Dorothy (Barrasford Tour): Eng., April 17-June 30.
D's & D's (Orpheum Summer Theatre): Webb City, Mo., 29-June 3; (Lyric Park) Pittsburg, Kan., 5-10.
Derrin, Jas. T. (Oak Park): Sacramento, Cal., 29-June 3.
DeLacers, The (Empire): Boise, Ida., 22-June 3; (Bon Ton) Salt Lake City, Utah, 5-10.
Dnbee's Animals (Lakeview Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 29-June 3; (Amusement Park) Decatur, Ill., 4-10.
Downey & Willard (Lakeside Park): Evansville, Ind., 29-June 3.
Dahliss, Les (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 4-17.
Dixon, Bowers & Dixon (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3; (Park) Canton, O., 5-10.
Diamond & Smith (Lyceum): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Dixon, Burt & Lea (Robison Park): Ft. Wayne, Ind., 4-10.
Delmo (Standard Park): Delaware, O., 29-June 3.
DeBlaker's Dogs (Dreamland): Coney Island, N. Y., 21-June 3.
Drane, Sam: Washington, D. C., 22-June 3.
Drew, Carroll (Rucker): Rockford, Ill., 29-June 10.
Doyle, Frank and Eva (People's): Cedar Rapids, Ia., 29-June 3; (Hydro Park) Chicago, Ill., 4-10.
Delphino & Delmora (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 29-June 3; (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 5-10.
Delmore, John and Emily Darrell (Park): Allentown, Pa., 29-June 3; Camden, N. J., 5-10.
Daly & Reuo (O. H.): Binghamton, N. Y., 29-June 3.
DeGreans, The Great 2 1/2 (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 29-June 3; (Unique) Winnipeg, Can., 5-10.
Day, Geo. W. (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 29-June 3; (Keith's) Boston, Mass., 5-10.
Del-A-Phone (Star): Brooklyn, N. Y., 29-June 3; (Lyceum) Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10.
Deimore & Wilson: Hull, Eng., 5-10; Paris, Fr., 12-20.
Day, Carita (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 29-June 3.
DeWeese, Jenule (Orpheum): Riverside, Cal., 29-June 3; (Bijou) San Diego 5-17.
DeRue, Bobby (Star): Hamilton, Can., 29-June 3.
Duaa & Evelyn (Marcy's): North Bergen, N. J., 29-June 3.
Don & Thompson (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 28-June 3.
Cotton, Lola (Vancouver O. H.): Vancouver, B. C., 29-June 3.
Clifford & Smith (Family): Butte, Mont., 29-June 3.
DeMuths (Family): Butte, Mont., 29-June 3.
Daly & Murphy (Star): Astoria, Ore., 29-June 3.
Drew, John E. (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 29-June 3.
Dunbar's Goals (Cineograph): Spokane, Wash., 29-June 3.
Eitlage, Julian D. (Keith's): New York City, 29-June 3; (Keith's) Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10.
Eldridge, Press (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3; (Ravina Park): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
Early & Late (Chautauqua Park): Owensboro, Ky., 29-June 3.
Earl & Wilson (Electric Park): Baltimore, Md., 29-June 3.
Eldons, The (Family): Shamokiu, Pa., 29-June 3.
Emmy, Mlle. (Proctor's 125th St.): New York City, 29-June 3; (Proctor's 5th Ave.) New York City, 5-10.
Eldrid, Gordon (Star): Muncie, Ind., 29-June 3.
Elmore, Tom (Empire): Oakland, Cal., 29-June 3.
Evans Trio (Oleutangy): Columbus, O., 22-June 3; (West Side) Janesville, Wis., 5-10.
Ellis-Nowlin Trio: Binghamton, N. J., 21-June 3.
Edmonds, Leo (Star): Ft. Worth, Tex., indef.
Eddy, Arthur (Lyric): Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
Elyth, Rose, Ballet Troupe (Orin Bros.' Circus): City of Mexico, Mex., May 1, indef.
Eller, Glvie (Alcazar): Denver, Col., indef.
Everhart, The Great (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
Eltou, Sam (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 29-June 3; (Proctor's) Newark, N. J., 5-10.
Eagle Trio (G. O. H.): San Diego, Cal., 29-June 3.
Empire City Quartet (Orphenm): San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 3.
Evaus, George (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Freeze Bros. (Forrest Park): Little Rock, Ark., 29-June 3; (Forrest Park) Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
Foster & Handerson (Fisher's): San Francisco, Cal., June 5-10.
Fagan & Merriam (Crystal): Mariou, Ind., 29-June 3; (Crystal) Anderson 5-10.
Farrell, Charlie (Howard): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Fautas, Two (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 29-June 3; (West Side) Janesville 5-10.
Fox & Summers (Lakeside Park): Akron, O., 29-June 3; (Whitney) Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
Fields & Hauson: Victoria, B. C., 29-June 3; Seattle, Wash., 5-17.
Folkert, Arthur O. (Empire): Colorado Springs, Col., 29-June 3.
Feasley, The Great (Casino Park): Nashville, Tenn., 28-June 3.
Ferguson & Passmore (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10.
Fredericka, The (Grand): Tacoma, Wash., 29-June 3; (Grand) Everett 4-10.
Fairchilds, The (Gaiety): Springfield, Ill., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Quincy 5-10.
Flynn, Earle (Electric Park): Kansas City, Mo., 29-June 3; (Forrest Park) St. Louis 5-10.
Frosto, Chas. (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 29-June 3.
Fay Sisters: En route with Cutter & Williams' Stock Co. See Dramatic Routes.
Fernandez-May Trio (O. H.): Melbourne, Vic., May 15-June 30.
Floretes, Six (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
Fern Comedy Four (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., June 1-Sept. 30.

Florence Sisters (Aumont): Moscow, Russia, May 28-Aug. 20.
Ford & Wilson (Empire): Johannesburg, S. A., April 17-July 1.
Fox & Hughes (Riverside Park): Boise, Ida., indef.
Frank & Albright: En route with Gollmar Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Frees Bros. and Geunette Sisters: En route with the Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
Frisko, Signor, Aerialist: En route with the U. S. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
Fields, Happy Fanny (Palace): Croydon, Eng., 5-10.
Feldman & Ball (Electric): Waterloo, Ia., 29-June 3; (Orpheum) St. Paul, Minn., 5-17.
Freuch, Henri (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 29-June 10.
Fischer, Carl (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
Fortune, Roy: En route with Great Haag Show. See Tent Show Routes.
Ferguson, Dupree & Co. (Earl): Pueblo, Col., 29-June 3; (Crystal) Victor 5-10.
Fiechtl's Tyroleans (Vancouver O. H.): Vancouver, B. C., 29-June 3.
Feeley, Claude (Vancouver O. H.): Vancouver, B. C., 29-June 3.
Gottlob, Mr. and Mrs. (Edison): Helena, Mont., 29-June 3.
Gregory, Troupe (Immaa's Casiao): Coney Island, N. Y., 29-June 3.
Gillan, Harry and Laura (Novelty): Vallejo, Cal., 29-June 3.
Gray & Graham (Park): Milford, Mass., 29-June 3.
Gordon, Don and Mae (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 28-June 3.
Gaffy & Fraser (Stratford Park): Delaware, O., 29-June 3.
Gardner & Madder (Celoron): Johnstown, N. Y., 29-June 3.
Gould, William and Valeska Surratt (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
Gardner, West & Suahine (Lyceum): Boston, Mass., 5-10.
Globe of Death (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3; (Luna Park) Cleveland, O., 5-10.
Gaylord, Bonnie (Auditorium): Indianapolis, Ind., 28-June 3; (Mannion's Park) St. Louis, Mo., 4-10.
Gaylor & Graff (Avenue): Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3; (Star) Cleveland, O., 5-10.
Gilmore & LeMoine (Lyric): Joplin, Mo., 29-June 3; (Orpheum Park) Webb City 4-10.
Gearoy & Russell (Empire): Anacoda, Mont., 28-June 3; (Empire) Helena 4-10.
Gillette Sisters (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 29-June 3.
Gallagher & Barrett (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
Gelger, John (Celoron Park): Jamestown, N. Y., 29-June 3.
Gordon & Hayes (G. O. H.): LaPorte, Ind., 29-June 3.
Genaro & Theol: Dusseldorf, Ger., May 1-June 30.
Goodo: En route with Bert Silver's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Hahn, Helen Florence (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., May 28-June 24.
Hale, Willie and Francis (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 29-July 22.
Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D.: Kansas City, Mo., indef.
Harper, Lucille H. (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., May 1, indef.
Harrigan (Palace): London, Eng., May 1, indef.
Hay, Charles (Garrick): Burlington, Ia., indef.
Helena, Edith (Empire): Leicester Square, London, Eng., May 1-June 23.
Hennessy, James A. (Frazier's): Pendleton, Ore., April 24, indef.
Henry & Young (Family): Shamokin, Pa., indef.
Heumans, The Three: En route with F. A. Robbin's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
Hewitts, The Two: En route with Fred Hewitt's Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
Howard Bros. (Coliseum): London, Eng., June 5-July 15.
Huntoum, Dad and Clara (Star): Ft. Worth, Tex., indef.
Hylands, The Three (Crystal): Cripple Creek, Colo., 29-June 3; (Crystal) Colorado Springs 5-10.
Howard & Linder (Burtin O. H.): Davenport, Ia., 29-June 3; (Illinois) Rock Island, Ill., 5-10.
Herbert & Willing (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 4-10.
Hengler Sisters (Hammerstel's): New York City, 29-June 3.
Hall, Anna (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 29-June 3.
Holmes, Fred: Kokomo, Ind., 28-June 3.
Hefron, Tom (Star): Hamilton, Ont., 29-June 3; (Manion's Point) Toronto 5-17.
Humes & Lewis (Lyceum): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Hecley & Meeley (Forest Park Highlands): St. Louis, Mo., 28-June 3; (Manoulin's Park) St. Louis 4-10.
Hill & Whitaker (Theatre of Varieties): Bristol, Eng., 5-10; (Pavilion) London 12, indef.
Hatch Bros. (Park): Decatur, Ill., 29-June 3; (C. O. H.) Chicago 5-10.
Holman, Hayward & Hayward (Lakeside Park): Dayton, O., 29-June 3; (Oak Summit Park) Evansville, Ind., 4-10.
Hart, Sadie (Cheater Park): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
Hamlins, The (Novelty): Denver, Col., 29-June 3; (River Park) Winuipcg, Can., 5-17.
Howard & North (Proctor's): New York City, 5-10.
Hall & Colburn (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 29-June 3; (Unique) Winuipcg, Can., 5-10.
Hopper, Chas. (Carnival): Hackensack, N. J., 22-June 3.
Herbert's Doga (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
Hayman & Franklin (Hippodrome): Wakefield, Eng., 5-10; (Metropole) Gateshead 12-17.
Hay (Phillips): Richmond, Ind., 29-June 3.
Hinthaway & Waltou (Howard): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
Hayes, Ed. C. (Casino Park): Springfield, O., 28-June 3.
Helston & Hood (Star): Atlanta, Ga., 27-June 3.
Herrmann, The Great (Alhambra): New York City, 29-June 3.
Howard & Aton (Standard): Houston, Tex., 29-June 3.
Hoffman, Kittle (Creacent Gardens): Revere Beach, Mass., 29-June 3.
Hodges & Laitchmere (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 29-June 3.
Hitch, Geo. (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 29-June 3.

Hart & Dillon (Lagoon): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
 Hellman (Star): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Hobson, Lois Cecile (Star): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Irwin & Hawley: New York City, 29-June 3; Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10.
 Imperial Comedy Four (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 28-June 3.
 Irwin, Jack: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Jackson Family: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Jack, Mr. and Mrs. (Forest Park): Little Rock, Ark., 29-June 3.
 Jackson & Douglas, Misses (Casino): Nashville, Tenn., 29-June 3; (Olympia) Chattanooga, 5-10.
 Jacksons, The Three (Olympia): Chattanooga, Tenn., 29-June 3; (Oak Summit Park) Evansville, Ind., 4-10.
 Jennings & Jewell (Bijou): Dubuque, Ia., 29-June 3; (Bijou) LaCrosse, Wis., 5-10.
 Jansen-Herr (Castle): Bloomington, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Johnstons, The Musical (Lyceum): London, Eng., May 15-June 11.
 Jeunings & Rentner (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 29-June 3.
 Keltons, Musical (East End Park): Memphis, Tenn., 28-June 3; (C. O. H.) Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Koler & Seymour (Park): Ogden, Utah, 29-June 3.
 Kennedy, David B. (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 29-June 3.
 Kates Bros. (Grand): Milwaukee, Wis., 28-June 3; (C. O. H.) Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Kollins & Wilson (Electric Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
 Klein-Ott Bros. & Nicholson (Hopkins Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
 Kartell (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3; (C. O. H.) Chicago 5-10.
 Kelly & Violette (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 29-June 3.
 Kinsner, Louis (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Kuhns, Three (Star): Cleveland, O., 29-June 3; (Lafayette) Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
 Keeting & Goodwin (Family): Butte, Mont., 29-June 3.
 Kosure & Chaplin (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Karrera (Savoy): Victoria, B. C., 29-June 3.
 Kinzo (Savoy): Victoria, B. C., 29-June 3.
 Kaufman, Reba (Alhambra): London, Eng., May 8-June 30.
 Kaufman Troupe: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Keaton, Dorothy (English Garden): Vienna, Austria, May 15-June 30.
 Kerns & Cole (San Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Kiley, Arthur: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Kingsley & Kingsley (Alcazar): Denver, Col., May 15-Indef.
 Kitchie, S.: En route with the Southern Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Kittle, Mmc.: En route with Wm. P. Hall's Shows. See Tent Show Routes.
 Langer, William J.: En route with the Great Blindy Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Lancaster, F. Francis (Berkeley): Berkeley, Cal., 29-July 1.
 Lassner, Lee (Bijou): Dubuque, Ia., May 15-June 24.
 Lane & Suzinetta: En route with Monarch Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 LeMoind, F.: En route with Lachman-Keetch Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Lenhardt & Jeld: En route with Fiesta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Levino, Dolph and Susie (Coliseum): London, Eng., Indef.
 Lewis & Harr: Chicago, Ill., Indef.
 Lingerman's, Prof., Palace of Amusement (Washington Park): Philadelphia, Pa., Indef.
 Lombard, Preston (Chestnut Hill Park): Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, Indef.
 Lucier, Ben: En route with Campbell Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Lyons, Walter S.: En route with Pilbeam Bros. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 LaClair & West (Odeon): Dayton, O., 29-June 3; (Garden) Lima 5-10.
 Lavine & Leonard (West End Park): New Orleans, La., 28-June 10.
 Lewis, Al. (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Marinette 5-10.
 Leon, May and Trained Peta (Hanover Park): Meriden, Conn., 29-June 3; (Lakeview Park) Middletown 5-10.
 LeClair, Harry (Hurtig & Seamon's): New York City, 29-June 3.
 LeDent, The Great (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 LaVeen & Cross (Riverside Park): Saginaw, Mich., 4-10.
 LeTell Bros. (Family): Mahanoy City, Pa., 29-June 3; (Olympic Park) Newark, N. J., 5-17.
 Lakola, Harry and Carrie (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Eau Claire 5-10.
 Leonard & Phillips (Bijou): Rockford, Ill., 29-June 3; (Orphenm) St. Paul, Minn., 5-17.
 LeBarr (Fischer's): San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 3; (Novelty) Oakland 5-10.
 Lee, H. V. and Bessie (Novelty): Cripple Creek, Col., 29-June 3.
 Leonard (Garlick): Burlington, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Leslie, Geo. W. (Unique): Astoria, Ore., 29-June 3.
 LePages, The Great (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., 29-June 3; (Pastor's) New York City, 5-10.
 Larrivee & Lee (Lemp's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3; (Orphenm) Springfield, O., 5-10.
 LaAdilla (Crystal): Milwaukee, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Lawson, Chinese (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10.
 LeMaire & LeMaire (Forest Park): Little Rock, Ark., 29-June 3.
 Lucy & Lucier (O. H.): Rock Island, Ill., 29-June 3; (Lake Michigan Park) Muskegon, Mich., 4-10.
 Lively, R. E. (Geunett): Richmond, Ind., 29-June 3; Cincinnati, O., 5-10.
 Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Nell (Ft. Sheridan Park): Miss Wayne (Pantagne's): Seattle, Wash., Chicago, Ill., 28-June 3.
 Ladrew & LaZone (Unique): Winnipeg, Can., 29-June 3.
 Laska, Four (Hammerstein's): New York City, 29-June 3; (Keith's) New York City 5-10.
 LaValls, The (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 22-June 3; (Bell) Oakland 5-10.

Leonard, Gus (Orphenm): Los Angeles, Cal., 8-June 3.
 Lane, Arthur (Luna Park): Cleveland, O., 22-June 3.
 Lawrence, Al. (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 29-June 3.
 LaMoines, The (Garrick): Burlington, Ia., 29-June 3.
 LaCros, Paul (Crystal Park): Sedalia, Mo., 28-June 3.
 LaVine, Cimaron Trio (Keith's): New York City, 29-June 3.
 Levy, Mrs. Jules & Co. (Star): Portland, Ore., 29-June 3.
 Lorene, Geo. (Columbia): Utica, N. Y., 29-June 3.
 Lamonts, The Five (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
 Lucas, The Three (Douglas Stock Co.): Joplin, Mo., 28-June 3.
 Leighton, Lillian & Co. (Grand): Milwaukee, Wis., 29-June 3; (Unique) So. Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Le's, Mlle., Tigers and Lions (Star): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Murphy & Andrews (Grand): Everett, Wash., 29-June 3; (Grand) Tacoma 5-10.
 Murtha, John H. (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 29-June 3; (Crystal) Milwaukee 5-10.
 Marville & Gleason (Wonderland Park): Decatur, Ill., 28-June 3.
 Mitchell, Three Fanny (Oxbridge Park): Milford, Mass., 29-June 3; (Lion Palace) New York City, 5-10.
 Morris & Morris (Phoenix): Tacoma, Wash., 22-June 3.
 Mack & Elliott (Star): Portland, Ore., 29-June 3; (Star) Tacoma, Wash., 5-10.
 Mason, Homer B. and Marguerite Keeler (Howard): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 May & Miles (Union): Bakersfield, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Miskel, Cora and Her Gold Dust Twins (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Mann, Danny and Lola Haines (Acme): Sacramento, Cal., 29-June 3; (Chutes) San Francisco 5-17.
 Mitchell & Love (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 5-10.
 McMahons' Watermelon Girls (Ravina Park): Highland Park, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Mobile Quartet (Ravina Park): Highland Park, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Mallory Bros., Brooks & Halliday (Ravina Park): Highland Park, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Mathlens, Juggling (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 4-10.
 Millman Trio (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
 McKeever & Sandry: Cleveland, O., 29-June 3.
 Mantell's Electric Marionettes (Grand): Reno, Nev., 29-June 3; (Fisher's) San Francisco, Cal., 5-10.
 Macarte Sisters (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 8-June 20.
 Mahr, Agnes (Marigny): Paris, Fr., April 20-ANG. 31.
 Mario & Aldo (Orin Bros. Circus): City of Mexico, Mex., March 25, Indef.
 Martyne, Eddie: En route with J. Frank Hatch Shows. See Midway Routes.
 McCauley, Joe (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., April 3, Indef.
 Meers, The Three (Circus Variete): Stockholm, Sweden, June 1-30.
 Melville, Jean (Genesee): Syracuse, N. Y., May 15, Indef.
 Meredith Sisters (Stoll Tour): Eng., April 10-June 3.
 Mystic Crucible (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 28-June 24.
 Mills & Morris (Hammerstein's): New York City, 29-June 3; (Pastor's) New York City, 5-10.
 Mora, L. Jerome (Olentangy Park): Columbus, O., 29-June 3.
 Merritt, Raymond (Bijou): Danville, Ill., 28-June 3; (Star) Hamilton, Can., 5-10.
 Marco Twins (Casino Park): Toledo, O., 28-June 3; (Forest Park) Highland Park, St. Louis, Mo., 4-10.
 Musluer's, Edw., Pigs and Sheep (Utahna): Salt Lake City, Utah, 29-June 3; (Utahna) Ogden 5-10.
 Mariba, Mlle. (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 29-June 3; (Hammerstein's) New York City, 5-10.
 Mignani Family (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 29-June 3.
 McGinniss & McGinniss: Provo, Utah, 29-June 3.
 Mortons, Four Juggling (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3.
 Minor & Galbreth (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 29-June 3; (Majestic) Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
 Meler & Mora (Empire): Portsmouth, Eng., 5-10; (Empire) Hackney 12-17; (Empire) Holloway 10-24; (Empire) New Cross 26-July 1.
 Mason's Society Belles (Forest Park): St. Louis, Mo., 22-June 3.
 Martini & MaxMillian (Hippodrome): Glasgow, Scotland, 5-10; (Hippodrome) Liverpool 12-17.
 Morton, Gertrude (Wheeling Park): Wheeling, W. Va., 28-June 3; (Avon Park) Yonngstown, O., 5-10.
 McCue & Cahill (Hurtig & Seamon's): New York City, 29-June 3.
 Marriott Twins (Orphenm): St. Paul, Minn., 29-June 3.
 Messenger Boys Trio (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 22-June 3.
 Mitchell, Louise (Topic): Billings, Mont., 29-June 3.
 Morton, Temple & Morton (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Murphy & Willard (East End Park): Memphis, Tenn., 29-June 3.
 Mointyre & Heath (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Meehan's Dogs (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Millard Bros. (Casino): Kalamazoo, Mich., 28-June 3.
 McCune & Grant (Wonderland Park): Danville, Ill., 28-June 3; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 Mnskteer Four (Munro Park): Toronto, Can., 29-June 3.
 Melville, Jean (Dewey): Utica, N. Y., 29-June 10.
 Mack, Tommy (Vancouver O. H.): Vancouver, B. C., 29-June 3.
 Melroy Trio (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Leo's, Mona, Tigers (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 29-June 3.
 New York Comedy Four (Avenue): Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3; (Star) Cleveland, O., 5-10.
 Nudos, Three (Construction Co.'s Park): Milwaukee, Wis., 21-June 3.
 Nelson Family (Nelson's): Mt. Clemens, Mich., Indef.

Newell & Niblo (Fairview Park): Dayton, O., 28-June 3; (Hopkins' Park) Louisville, Ky., 4-10.
 Nixon, Geo. E.: En route with Robinson Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Normans, Five Juggling: En route with Gentry Bros. Dog and Pony Show No. 1. See Tent Show Routes.
 Nina (G. O. H.): Green Bay, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Niblo & Biley: Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Nashville Students (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
 Nosses, The Five (Empire): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Orland, Lee (Tivoli): St. Louis, Mo., 28-June 3.
 Onslow, Billy (Angelus): Los Angeles, Cal., 8-June 3.
 Orphen Comedy Four (Shea's): Toronto, Can., 29-June 3.
 Original Boothblack Quartet (Family): Shamokin, Pa., 29-June 3.
 O'Langhin, Major (Oak Park): Sterling, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Omar, Great (Lagoon): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
 Ogden, Ray & Co. (Star): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 O'Dole, Geo. W.: En route with Campbell Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Our Boys in Blue (Hippodrome): London, Eng., March 13-June 17.
 Phelps, Orren and Millie (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Escanaba, Mich., 5-10.
 Parkhurst: Annapolis, Md., 29-June 3; Hagerstown 5-10.
 Peschhoff Troupe (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Prampins, The (Empire): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3; (London) London, Can., 5-10.
 Phillips, Mondane (West's): Peoria, Ill., 5-10.
 Payton & Harris (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Pelot, Fred & Annie (Wonderland Park): Decatur, Ill., 28-June 3; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10.
 Pero & Wilson (Woodlyn Park): Camden, N. J., 29-June 3.
 Potts & Potts (Cycle Park): Dallas, Tex., 22-June 3.
 Patrice (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
 Phillips Sisters (Monte Sano Park): Augusta, Ga., 29-June 3.
 Pluck & Luck (Bijou): Marquette, Wis., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Kenosha 5-10.
 Patty Bros. (Hammerstein's): New York City, 5-17.
 Poffell's Elephants (Hippodrome): New York City, 5-17.
 Powell's Electric Marionettes (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Quinlan & Mack (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 29-June 3.
 Rays, The Three (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Danville, Ill., 5-10.
 Rawis & VonKaufman (Folly): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Ramsey Sisters (Calumet): So. Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Ranf, Claude (Empire): Colorado Springs, Col., 29-June 3.
 Richards, The Great & Co. (Orphenm): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Royce Bros. (Hollywood Park): Baltimore, Md., 22-June 3.
 Richards, Miss Ellen (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 5-10.
 Raymond & Tricey (Crystal Park): Sedalia, Mo., 29-June 3.
 Russell & Dunbar (O. H.): Pocatello, Ida., 29-June 3; (Bon Ton) Salt Lake City, Utah, 5-10.
 Reno & Murray (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 29-June 3; (Orphenm) Richmond 5-10.
 Rehoffer & May (Crystal): Marion, Ind., 29-June 3.
 Russell, Leah: Saginaw, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Raymond, Carl (Fisher's): San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 3; (Novelty) Oakland 5-10.
 Rianos, The Four (Forest Park): Kansas City, Mo., 28-June 3.
 Roys & Roberts (Lyceum): Elizabeth, N. J., 29-June 10.
 Russell, Schooley & Russell (Glenwood Park): New Albany, Ind., 28-June 3; (Lagoon) Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 Rice, John O. and Sallie Cohen (Orphenm): San Francisco, Cal., 22-June 3.
 Rooney, Pat and Martin Beut (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 29-June 3; (Temple) Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
 Redford & Winchester (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 28-June 3; (C. O. H.) Chicago, Ill., 4-10.
 Randolphs, Grottesque (Construction Co.'s Park): Milwaukee, Wis., 29-June 3; (Minneapolis Park) Minneapolis, Minn., 4-10.
 Radford & Valentine (Hippodrome): Hndersfield, Eng., 5-10; (Derby Castle) Douglas, Isle of Man, 12-24; (Lyric) Liverpool, Eng., 26-July 1.
 Rackett & Hazard (Empire): Fullham, London, Eng., 5-17.
 Rice Family (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3; (Temple) Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
 Russell, Phil and Carrie (Orphenm): Portland, Ore., May 8-June 3.
 Reif Bros. (Empire): South Shields, Eng., 5-10; (Empire) Edinburgh, Scot., 12-17.
 Robinson & Thompson: Ogden, Utah, 29-June 3.
 Robert & DeMont (Olympic): Springfield, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Ronaldos, Three (Olympia): Chattanooga, Tenn., 29-June 3.
 Rossire & Doretto: Touring Europe.
 Russell, Bijou: Canterbury-Pargon-Islington, Eng., 12-24.
 Ryan, Lester & Ryan (Electric Park): Detroit, Mich., 22-June 3.
 Rows, The (Casino): Kalamazoo, Mich., 28-June 3.
 Renos, The (O. H.): LaCrosse, Wis., 29-June 3; (O. H.) Eau Claire 5-10.
 Ring & Williams (Bijou): Ottumwa, Ia., 29-June 3; (Electric) Waterloo 5-10.
 Ryan & Douglas (Bijou): Aurora, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Rose & Ellis (Cineograph): Spokane, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Russell & O'Neill (Cineograph): Spokane, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Ritchie, Dare Devil: En route with the Great Alamo Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Roelker, E. O.: En route with the Gaskill Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Rogers & Lavine (Metropolitan): Tampa, Fla., Indef.
 Ronay Sisters (Hippodrome): New York City, Indef.

Samson, Arthur (Orphenm): Springfield, O., June 5, Indef.
 Santell, The Great: En route with J. Frank Hatch Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Savoys, The: En route with Wallace's Shows. See Tent Show Routes.
 Schmidt, Herr: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Sharrocks, The: En route with Wm. P. Hall's Shows. See Tent Show Routes.
 Smiths, The Aerial: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Snyder, Bud (Hammerstein's): New York City, May 29-Aug. 5.
 Stein-Eretto Family (Circo Parish): Madrid, Spain, June 1-30.
 Stuart (Hammerstein's Roof Garden): New York City, June 5, Indef.
 Sutton & Sutton (Avenue): Detroit, Mich., 29-June 3; (Star) Cleveland, O., 5-10.
 Sullivan & Fancee (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 29-June 3; (Unique) Winnipeg, Man., 5-10.
 Samuels, M. (Blitte): Davenport, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Sapulding, Marvelous (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 29-June 3.
 Sawtelle & Sears (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 Smith & Ardo (Castle): Bloomington, Ill., 28-June 3; (St. R. R. Park) Decatur 4-10.
 Summers & Winters (Novelty): Vallejo, Cal., 29-June 3; (Park) Alameda 5-10.
 Sheek Bros. (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 28-June 3; (East End Park) Memphis, Tenn., 4-10.
 Sully & Phelps (Bijou): Des Moines, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Sims, Reonble (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 28-June 3; (Family) E. St. Louis, Ill., 5-10.
 Surazel & Basall (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 29-June 3; (Ben's) Escanaba, Mich., 5-10.
 Stuart, Arthur (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 28-June 3; (Auditorium) Indianapolis 5-10.
 Sylvan & O'Neal (Family): So. Omaha, Neb., 4-10.
 St. John & Nicolai (Avenue): Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
 Stapleton & Chaney (Lagoon): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
 Santoro & Marlow (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Steiner & Thomas (Family): E. St. Louis, Ill., 29-June 3.
 St. Ives, Flora (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Sophomore Girls (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 15-June 3.
 St. John & LeFevre (Academy of Music): Baltimore, Md., 22-June 17.
 Semon, Omas. F. (Victoria): New York City, 29-June 3.
 Snyder & Bockley (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 29-June 3.
 Stuart, John P. (Memphi): Memphis, Tenn., 22-June 3.
 Sylvester, Jones & Pringle: Helena, Mont., 29-June 3.
 Sheehan, Joseph (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3.
 Stoddard & Wilson (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 28-June 3.
 Sanford, Walter (Casino): Kalamazoo, Mich., 28-June 3.
 Stewart, Emma (Casino): Kalamazoo, Mich., 28-June 3.
 Smith & Cook (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 28-June 3.
 Sullivan, John L. (Star): Portland, Ore., 29-June 3.
 Stanfield (Vancouver O. H.): Vancouver, B. C., 29-June 3.
 Silveno (Family): Butte, Mont., 29-June 3.
 Tasmanian Troupe & Rose Aguilardo (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3; (Proctor's 23rd St.) New York City, 5-10.
 Travelle & Landers (Burtis O. H.): Davenport, Ia., 4-10.
 Trask & Gladden (Crystal Park): St. Joseph, Mo., 28-June 3; (Electric Park) Kansas City 4-10.
 Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry (Rock Spring Park): E. Liverpool, O., 29-June 3; (Lake Casino) Canton 4-10.
 Tomkins, William (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 10.
 Terley, Original (Keith's): New York City, 29-June 3; (Keith's) Boston, Mass., 5-10.
 Teal, Raymond (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., May 8-June 3.
 Terry & Lambert (Empire): Sheffield, Eng., 5-10; (Palace) Hull 12-17; (Empire) Leeds 19-24.
 Troubadour Four (Lake Quinsigamond): Worcester, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Travers, Roland (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Tulsa (Novelty): Cripple Creek, Col., 29-June 3.
 Tann, Billy (Cineograph): Spokane, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Texana Sisters (White City Park): Chicago, Ill., May 27, Indef.
 Thompson Sisters (Belvidere): San Francisco, Cal., May 6-June 17.
 Thardo, Gladys (Bijou): Brooklyn, N. Y., Indef.
 Townsend, C. H. (Linn's Museum): Buffalo, N. Y., May 19, Indef.
 Unita & Paul (Athletic Park): Kokomo, Ind., 29-June 3.
 Vida, Mlle. (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Verna, Mlle. (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Verna, Belle (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Vassar Girls, Eight (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 29-June 3.
 VonKleene & Gibson (Ft. Sheridan Park): Highland, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Voelker, Frederick (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Vau, Harry, Magician: En route with the Cosmopolitan Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Van Gofre & Coirely (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., Indef.
 Ward, H. Tom (Memphi): Memphis, Tenn., April 17, Indef.
 Ward & Coste (Family): East St. Louis, Ill., Indef.
 Watson's, Sam, Farmyard: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Williams & Long (Stadium): Ft. Worth, Tex., April 24, Indef.
 Wolfing's Stallions and Dogs: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Warren & Howard (Empire): Freeport, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Welsh, Chas. and Jennie (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 29-June 3.

Wilson & DeMerville (G. O. H.): Freeport, Ill., 29-June 3; (Bijou) Rockford 5-10.
 Washer Bros. (Utahns): Salt Lake City, Utah, 29-June 3.
 Wilson Trio (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Wolf & Zedella (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 29-June 3.
 World's Comedy Four (Dewey): New York City, 29-June 3; (Sheedy's) Newport, R. I., 5-10.
 Welch, Lew (Columbia Music Hall): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3; (Star) Brooklyn, N. Y., 5-10.
 Warren & Benschaw (Godfroy's): Grand Rapids, Mich., 29-June 3; (London) London, Can., 5-10.
 Wormser Children (Elite): Davenport, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Welch, John J. (Bell): Oakland, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Whelan & Searles (Colliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 29-June 3; (Auditorium) Indianapolis 5-10.
 Wesson, Walters & Wesson (Hoag Park): Woonsocket, R. I., 29-June 2.
 Whiteley & Bell (Family): Shamokin, Pa., 29-June 3.
 Whittle, W. C.: Allentown, Pa., 29-June 3.
 Wilson, Alf and Mabel (Westminster): Providence, R. I., 29-June 3.
 Wilson, Grace (Grand): Joliet, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Wills & Wylson (A. & S.): Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 Weaver & Johnstone (Savoy): Atlantic City, N. J., 29-June 3.
 Wise & Wilton Co. (Star): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Walters, Jules & Co. (Star): Seattle, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Weston & Whallen (Star): Portland, Ore., 29-June 3.
 Wocley, Lee (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 29-June 3.
 Yale Trio, The (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Young America Quintet (Forest Park): St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 3; (Forest Park) Kansas City 4-10.
 Young & Brooks (Casino): Kalamazoo, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Young, Frank and Emily (Westwood): Cincinnati, O., indef.
 Young, Ollie and Brother (Coliseum): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
 Zarelli, Ben and Ella: En route with the Southern Carnival Co., See Midway Routes.
 Zebrowski, The Mystic: En route with Lemon Bros. Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Zandiga, The (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 29-June 3; (Alhambra) New York City, 5-10.
 Zimmer (Electric Park): Newark, N. J., 29-June 3.
 Zingarella, Mlle. (Park): Pueblo, Cal., 29-June 3.
 Zoyarzo (Savoy): Victoria, B. C., 29-June 3.

DRAMATIC ROUTES.

Ades Stock Co., E. F. Ades, mgr.: Providence, R. I., May 1, indef.
 Alcazar Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
 Arcade Stock Co.: Toledo, O., indef.
 A Yankee Circus on Mars, and The Raiders: New York City, April 13, indef.
 An Aristocratic Tramp, Kilroy & Britton, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., June 4, indef.
 A Royal Slave (Gordon & Bennett's Northern), Dave H. Woods, mgr.: Burlington, Wis., 31; (Milkhorn June 1; Lake Geneva 2; Harvard, Ill., 3; Waukegan 4.
 A Friend of The Family, W. E. Gorman, mgr.: New Haven, Conn., 29-31.
 Allen, Viola, Chas. W. Allen, mgr.: Providence, R. I., 30-31; Newport June 1; Waterbury, Conn., 2; New Rochelle, N. Y., 3.
 Booth, Virginia, A. B. C. Crawford, mgr.: Webster, Pa., 29-June 3; Edward 5-10.
 Bennett's Comedians, E. E. Bennett, mgr.: Topeka, Kan., 28-31; St. Joseph, Mo., June 1-3.
 Bennett-Morton, Robinson & Obobock, mgrs.: Food in Lac, Wis., 29-June 3.
 Bert's Comedy Co.: South Bend, Ind., 22-June 3.
 Beany, Jack, Stock Co., J. F. Jersey, mgr.: Ottumwa, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Beveridge Stock Co. (Franklin Bros.): Bloomington, Ill., 29-June 3.
 Burborka & James, Fred James, mgr.: Geneva, N. Y., 29-June 3.
 Brecknridge Stock Co.: LaCrosse, Wis., 29-June 3; Eau Claire 5-10.
 Baldwin-Melville Stock Co.: Buffalo, N. Y., indef.
 Baldwin-Melville Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Belasco & Meyer Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., indef.
 Belasco Theatre, Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Bernard, Sam, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: New York City, May 1, indef.
 Bijou Theatre: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Blair, Eugene: New York City, May 8-June 10.
 Boheman Stock Co.: New Albany, Ind., indef.
 Bowdoin Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., indef.
 Broadway Dramatic Co., Frank Reichler, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., May 29, indef.
 Broadway Stock Co., Malcolm Williams, mgr.: Worcester, Mass., May 1, indef.
 Bunington Stock Co.: Fall River, Mass., indef.
 Burbank Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Caldwell Stock Co.: Omaha, Neb., May 13, indef.
 Calamet Stock Co., John T. Connor, mgr.: South Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Clarke, Harry Corson: Pueblo, Col., May 30-July 8.
 Castle Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., indef.
 Cazelle's French Dramatic Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Central Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
 Clayton, Una, Stock Co.: Montreal, Can., indef.
 Colonial Stock Co.: Columbus, O., indef.
 Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Columbia Stock Co.: Washington, D. C., indef.
 Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Washington, D. C., May 15, indef.
 Cox's Opera House Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., indef.
 Courney Stock Co., Wm. Courtney, mgr.: Albany, N. Y., May 1, indef.
 Courtney Stock Co.: Denver, Col., indef.
 Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Col., indef.
 Oushman & St. Claire Stock Co.: St. Joseph, Mo., indef.
 Carter's Comedians, F. C. Carter, mgr.: Mineral Wells, Tex., 29-June 10.

Colonial Stock Co.: St. Albans, Vt., 29-June 3; Sherbrooke, Can., 5-10.
 Cincinnati Stock Co. (Clifford & Stevens): Lo-gansport, Ind., 29-June 3.
 Cutter Stock Co., Wallace R. Cutter, mgr.: Coshocton, O., 29-June 3.
 Checkers, with Thomas W. Boss: Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3.
 Crossman, Henrietta: Toronto, Can., 29-June 3.
 Dilger-Cornell, W. E. Cornell, mgr.: Bradford, Pa., 29-June 3; Sayre 5-July 8.
 Davis, Laura, Stock Co.: Jackson, Miss., 22-June 3.
 Drew, John, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 10.
 DeVonde, Chester, Stock Co., Phil Levy, mgr.: Halifax, N. S., 30-June 10.
 Down Our Way, Martin J. Dixon, mgr.: New York City, 29-June 3.
 Dora Thorne, Bowland & Clifford, mgrs.: Minneapolis, Minn., 29-June 3.
 Douglas Stock Co., F. M. Douglas, mgr.: Joplin, Mo., 29-June 3.
 Davis, Harry, Stock Co.: Pittsburg, Pa., indef.
 DeVernon, Vail, Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., indef.
 Diemer Theatre Stock Co.: Springfield, Mo., indef.
 DeVos, Folie (No. 2), J. R. Botnour, mgr.: Ashland, Wis., May 29-Sept. 2.
 Douglas, Byron, Stock Co.: Toledo, O., April 23, indef.
 Empire Stock Co., Max Falkenheuer, mgr.: Cleveland, O., Feb. 20, indef.
 Empire Theatre Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., indef.
 Eckhardt & Hawkins' Ideals, Oliver J. and E. F. Hawkins, props. and mgrs.: Carbonado, Wash., 29-31.
 Erwood Big Stock Co., R. J. Erwood, mgr.: Mansfield, O., 15-June 3.
 Everyman: Kansas City, Mo., 29-31.
 Fulton Bros. Stock Co., Jack F. Gilmer, mgr.: St. Joseph, Mo., 15-June 3.
 French-Irving, Don Macmillan, mgr.: Marsh-field, Wis., 29-31; Merrill June 1-3.
 Ferris Stock Co., Dick Ferris, mgr.: St. Paul, Minn., 21-June 10.
 Fiske, Mrs. and the Manhattan Co., Harrison Grey Fiske, prop. and mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., June 5-17.
 Fleming, Mamie, W. H. Gracey, mgr.: Ossin-ging, N. Y., 29-June 3.
 Fordham Stock Co., Chas. F. Nelson, mgr.: Oswego, N. Y., 29-June 3.
 Frawley, Timothy: Denver, Col., 29-June 3.
 Goodwin, N. C., Geo. J. Appleton, mgr.: Beling-ham, Wash., 31; Everett June 1; Tacoma 2; Portland, Ore., 3; Los Angeles, Cal., 7-10.
 Guy Stock Co., C. W. Guy, mgr.: Montezuma, Ind., 29-June 3.
 Farnum, Wm., Stock Co.: Buffalo, N. Y., March 6, indef.
 Fawcett Stock Co., George Fawcett, mgr.: New York City, May 1, indef.
 Fenberg Stock Co., Geo. M. Fenberg, mgr.: Portland, Me., indef.
 Ferris Stock Co.: Minneapolis, Minn., indef.
 Ferris, Dick, Stock Co.: San Francisco, Cal., May 1, indef.
 Fielding Stock Co.: Indianapolis, Ind., May 15, indef.
 Fiske & Stock: St. John, N. B., April 17, indef.
 Forepaugh Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 8, indef.
 Garrick Dramatic Co.: Saginaw, Mich., May 8, indef.
 German Theatre Stock Co., Heinemann & Webb, mgrs.: St. Louis, Mo., indef.
 Glaser, Vaughn, Stock Co., A. C. Robinson, bus. mgr.: Detroit, Mich., May 14, indef.
 Goodhue Stock Co.: Louisville, Ky., May 15, indef.
 Grand Stock Co., Chas. Fourton, mgr.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Grattan & DeVernon Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., indef.
 Hewitt, Morgan, G. Stuart Brodock, mgr.: Olean, N. Y., 29-June 3.
 Huntley Entertainers, Ben Huntley, mgr.: Jan-neau, Wis., 29-31; Cambria June 1-3; Fox-Lake 5-7; Portage 8-10.
 Herald Square Stock Co., Bitter & Fanshawe, mgrs.: Danforth, Me., 29-June 8; Woodstock, N. B., 5-10.
 Hunt Stock Co., M. A. Hunt, mgr.: Onaway, Mich., 29-June 3; Sheboygan 5-10.
 Howard-Dorset, A. M. Miller, bus. mgr.: Cedar Rapids, Ia., 29-June 3.
 Hawtry, Charles, Ben Stern, mgr.: Cleveland, O., 29-31; Kansas City, Mo., June 1-3.
 Harrington Stock Co., E. A. Harrington, mgr.: Mount Vernon, Ind., 29-June 3.
 Harris-Parkinson: Natchez, Miss., 22-June 3.
 Henderson, Maud, Joe Parent, mgr.: Athens, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Hans Hanson, Jas. T. McAlpin, prop. and mgr.: Apple River, Ill., June 1; Warren 2; Stockton 3; Chicago 4.
 Hall, Don C.: Chicago, Ill., May 25-June 25.
 Hamilton & Thompson's Stock Co.: Lynn, Mass., May 22, indef.
 Harper, Georgia & Co., Harper & Detrick, mgrs.: Santa Barbara, Cal., May 15, indef.
 Harris-Parkinson Stock Co., Robt. H. Harris, mgr.: New Orleans, La., May 7, indef.
 Hamford, Charles B., F. Lawrence Walker, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 29, indef.
 Hathaway Theatre Stock Co.: New Bedford, Mass., May 1, indef.
 Hayward, Grace, Stock Co., Carmontelle & Kress, mgrs.: Omaha, Neb., May 8-Sept. 2.
 Heir to The Hoopah, Kirke LaShelle, mgr.: New York City, April 10, indef.
 His Father's Sin, Jed Carlton, mgr.: Sandwich, Ont., indef.
 Holden Stock Co., Holden Bros., mgrs.: In-dianapolis, Ind., May 15, indef.
 Hopkins Stock Co., A. B. Morrison, mgr.: Mem-phs, Tenn., Sept. 16, indef.
 Howard Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., April 24, indef.
 Hort's Comedy Co., H. G. Allen, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 22-July 17.
 Huntington-DeDeyn: Lowell, Mass., May 22, indef.
 Imperial Stock Co., Geo. H. Hamilton, mgr.: San Antonio, Tex., indef.
 Jenkins, Clara, J. W. Leigh & C. J. Moore, mgrs.: Weatherford, Okla., 29-June 3; Arapa-hoe 5-10.
 James Boys in Missouri, Frank Gazzolo, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., 28-June 3.
 Krim, Adelaide, Stock Co., Edw. E. Gerlinger, mgr.: New York City, May 22, indef.
 Keith Stock Co., Del Lawrence, mgr.: Spokane, Wash., Feb. 5, indef.
 Keller Stock Co., A. M. Keller, mgr.: Trinidad, Col., March 26-Aug. 12.

Klark-Urban Stock Co., Fred Graham, bus. mgr.: Binghamton, N. Y., May 29, indef.
 Kingsley-Russell, E. B. Russell, mgr.: Mat-ton, Ill., 28-June 3.
 Kavanaugh, Katherine: Baltimore, Md., 15-June 3.
 Kity, Geo. C. Dent, mgr.: New London, Wis., 31; Shawano June 1; Antigo 2; Merrill 3; Wausau 4; Marshfield 5; Athens 6; Stevens Point 7; Plainfield 8; Wausau 9; Kankana 10.
 Lyceum Stock Co., E. G. Grosjean, mgr.: Tezar-kana, Tex., 29-June 10.
 Long, Frank E., Stock Co., Mock Sad All, mgr.: Hancock, Mich., 29-June 3.
 Lafayette Stock Co., Dr. M. Campbell, mgr.: Detroit, Mich., April 30, indef.
 Mantell, Robert, Wm. A. Brady, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., April 24, indef.
 Marks Bros., R. W. Marks, mgr.: Perth, Can., May 8, indef.
 Mathes, Clara: Vancouver, B. C., indef.
 Milwaukee German Theatre Stock Co.: St. Paul, Minn., May 8, indef.
 Moog, William V.: Seattle, Wash., April 9-June 17.
 Mordant's Stock Co., Edwin Mordant, mgr.: Syracuse, N. Y., May 1, indef.
 Morey Stock Co.: Keokuk, Ia., May 29, indef.
 Moscoso, Oliver, Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Moore's Stock Co., Frank A. Moore, mgr.: Rock Point, Pa., May 29, indef.
 Murray & Mackey, John J. Murray, mgr.: Park-ersburg, W. Va., April 24, indef.
 Mallory, Clifton: Weedsport, N. Y., June 7-9.
 Mack, Ben F., Stock Co., Ben F. Mack, mgr.: Jonesport, Me., 29-June 3.
 McDonald Stock Co., G. W. McDonald, mgr.: Albuquerque, N. Mex., 29-June 3; Sante Fe 5-10.
 Melville, Rose, in Sis Hopkins, Andrew Mackay, mgr.: Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 3; season closes.
 McAniff, Jere, Harry Kates, mgr.: Antigonish, N. S., 21-June 1; Pictou 2-3; New Glas-gow 5-7; Westville 8; Truro 9-10.
 My Wife's Family, I. Seldener, mgr.: Port Huron, Mich., June 1; Mt. Clements 2; Ypsil-anti 3; Saginaw 4.
 Metropolitan Stock Co. (Stanley's), Harry V. Winslow, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., 15-June 3.
 Mansfield, Richard, Ben D. Stevens, mgr.: Du-buque, Ia., 31; Rockford, Ill., June 1; Mil-waukee, Wis., 2-3.
 Mortimer's Players, Frederick E. Mortimer, mgr.: Columbus, S. C., 29-June 3.
 Martin & Thurston Dramatic Co.: Canton, N. Y., 29-31.
 Mrs. Wiggs of The Cabbage Patch, Liebler & Co., mgrs.: Sandusky, O., 31.
 My Rom Boy Girl, with Lottie Williams, Henry H. Winchell, mgr.: New York City, 22, indef.
 My Friend Hogan, Saracac Lake, N. Y., June 8.
 Nettie The News Girl: St. Paul, Minn., 4-10.
 North Bros. Comedians, R. J. Mack, mgr.: Des Moines, Ia., 24-June 3.
 National Stock Co., Col. Geo. H. Hamilton, mgr.: Hot Springs, Ark., May 21, indef.
 National Theatre Stock Co.: Dayton, O., indef.
 National Theatre Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., May 1, indef.
 New Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Col., May 8, indef.
 New People's Stock Co., Fred Conrad, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4, indef.
 New York Players, Hunter & Bradford, mgrs.: Worcester, Mass., May 15, indef.
 Odeon Stock Co.: St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 6, indef.
 Orloff Nasimoff, Russian Players: New York City, May 15, indef.
 Orpheum Stock Co., Edward Doyle, mgr.: Co-lumbus, O., indef.
 Ogden Stock Co., J. E. Ogden, mgr.: Woon-socket, R. I., May 22, indef.
 Old Arkansas (Fred Raymond's): St. Ignace, Mich., 31; Sault Ste. Marie June 1; Newberry 2; Lansing 3; Neganuee 5; Michigan 7; Atlantic Mine 10.
 Olcott, Chamney, Augustus Pitos, mgr.: Port-land, Ore., 31-June 2; Tacoma, Wash., 3; Seattle 4-6; North Kaskia 7; Spokane 8; Ana-conda, Mont., 9; Helena 10.
 Over Niagara Falls, Rowland & Clifford, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., 21-June 3.
 On Satan's Mount: Boston, Mass., 29-June 3.
 On The Trail, Geo. Peck, mgr.: South Framing-ham, Mass., 31; Clinton June 1; Hudson 2; Maynard 3.
 Owen, William: Fairbault, Minn., June 5.
 Peter's Pavilion Players, Will Jay Peters, mgr.: Frankfort, Kan., 29-31; Blue Rapids June 1-3.
 Payton Sisters, Dan S. Holt, mgr.: Montgomery, Ala., 29-June 17.
 Payton's Lee Avenue Stock Co.: Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 15, indef.
 Poll's Stock Co.: Bridgeport, Conn., May 15, indef.
 Proctor's 125th Street Stock Co.: New York City, indef.
 Providence Dramatic Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., Oct. 10, indef.
 Purchase Street Theatre Stock Co., Eugene A. Phelps, mgr.: New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 1, indef.
 Quincy Adams Sawyer: New York City, May 8, indef.
 Quincy Adams Sawyer (Central), W. G. Snelling, mgr.: Montreal, Can., 29-June 3; New York City, 5, indef.
 Roberts, Florence, Fred Belasco, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., 21-July 8.
 Ralph, Margaret, E. L. Allen, mgr.: Flint, Mich., June 1; Orosoo 10.
 Ryan, Daniel: Albany, N. Y., April 24, indef.
 Saseke's German Theatre Stock Co.: Philadel-phia, Pa., indef.
 Savor Theatre Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Sayoy Theatre Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Shea, Thomas E.: Toronto Can., May 22, indef.
 Sherman & Platt Stock Co., W. B. Sherman, mgr.: Calgary, N. W. T., May 8-June 19.
 Shirley, Jessie: Spokane, Wash., indef.
 Snow, Mortimer, Stock Co.: Schenectady, N. Y., indef.
 Southard J. Irving: Annapolis, Md., indef.
 Spedden & Faire Co.: Topeka, Kan., indef.
 Spooner Stock Co., Mrs. B. F. Spooner, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 15, indef.
 Standard Stock Co., Darcy & Speck, mgrs.: Phil-adelphia, Pa., indef.
 Sites Stock Co., Sites & Gilbert, mgrs.: Marion, O., 29-31; New Castle, Pa., June 1-3; Butler 5-10.
 Sothorn, E. H. and Julia Marlowe, Chas. Froh-man, mgr.: St. Joseph, Mo., June 1; Omaha, Neb., 2-3; Lincoln 5; Slou City, Ia., 6.
 The Banker's Child, with The Four Shannons,

Harry Shannon, mgr.: Gelle Fouché, S. D., June 1; Whitewood 2; Lead 3; Custer 5; Edgemont 10.
 Tracy, The Outlaw King, Ritter & Fanshawe, mgrs.: Eagle Lake, Me., 31; Fort Kent June 1; Edmundston, N. B., 2; Grand Falls 3; Perth 4; Woodstock 6; Sherman Mills, Me., 7; Brownville 8; Milo 9; Gullford 10.
 The Missouri Girl (Fred Raymond's Eastern), George Bedee, mgr.: Athol, Mass., 31; Gard-ner June 1; Fitchburg 2-3; Breter, N. H., 5; Norway, Me., 7; Damariscotta 8; Union 9; Vinal Haven 10.
 The Moonshiner's Daughter (Eastern), W. F. Mann, mgr.: Milwaukee, Wis., 29-June 3.
 The Lighthouse By The Sea, E. G. Herndon, mgr.: New York City, 29-June 3.
 The Mack Mask: New York City, 29-June 2.
 The Fatal Wedding, Sullivan, Harris & Woods, mgrs.: Utica, N. Y., 31.
 The Span of Life, Lewis Donazetta, mgr.: New York City, 29-June 2.
 The Wardway Son, J. H. Springer, mgr.: St. John, N. B., 30-June 3.
 Tempest, Marie Chas. Frohman, mgr.: New York City, May 15, indef.
 Tnanhouser Stock Co., Milwaukee, Wis., indef.
 The Firm of Cunningham, W. N. Lawrence, mgr.: New York City, April 17, indef.
 The Virginian: Chicago, Ill., May 22, indef.
 Toler Stock Co.: Wichita Kan., March 23, indef.
 Tocker, Ethel, Stock Co., Mack Bros., mgrs.: Phoenix, Ariz., indef.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Al. W. Martin's), Ed. Martin, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., 21-June 3; season closes.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Morgan & Howe's): Wam-puna, Pa., June 1; Evans City 2; Chilcara 3; Mars 5; Renfrew 6; Saxenburg 7.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Stetson's), Wm. Kibble, mgr.: Alexandria, Ind., June 8; Middletown 8; Knightstown 9; Greenfield 7; Martinsville 8.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (C. W. Langstaff's): Export, Pa., 31; Penn Station June 1; Clairidge 2; Madison 3.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (DeMars): Millville, N. J., 31; Sea Island City June 1; Cape May 2; Ocean City 3.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Phillips & Daly's): La-trobe, Pa., 31; Windber June 1; South Fork 2; Ebensburg 3.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin: New York City, 29-June 3.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin, John F. Slowe, mgr.: Bur-lingame, Kan., 31; Scranton June 1; Me-riden 2.
 Ulrich Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Vallamont Stock Co.: Williamsport, Pa., May 29, indef.
 VanDyke Stock Co., H. Walter VanDyke, mgr.: St. Joseph, Mo., indef.
 Vastrum & Hallas Stock Co.: Detroit, Mich., April 30, indef.
 Varn Stock Co., Benj. B. Vernon, mgr.: St. Thomas, Ont., May 22, indef.
 Vivian's Papes, with Caroline Hall, Rich & Har-ris, mgrs.: Minneapolis, Minn., 29-June 3.
 Whyte Dramatic Co., Chas. P. Whyte, mgr.: Alexandria, La., 8-June 2.
 Walsh's Billy, Own, Gus Paul, mgr.: Warren-burg, N. Y., 29-June 3; Schuylerville 5-10.
 Waininger Bros.' Own, DePere, Wis., 29-June 3; Antigo 4-10.
 Wells-Dunne-Harlan Comedy Co.: Atlanta, Ga., 29-June 10.
 Wallace, Frank Stock Co., Frank Wallace, mgr.: Knoxville, Tenn., April 3, indef.
 Wallack's Theatre, Dubinsky Bros., mgrs.: Rock Island, Ill., indef.
 Wardell, David: New York City, Sept. 28, indef.
 Was She to Blame, Jed Carlton, mgr.: Sand-wich, Ont., indef.
 Wiedmann's Stock Co., Ed. Jacobson, mgr.: Seattle, Wash., indef.
 Williams, Malcolm, Stock Co.: Worcester, Mass., indef.
 Williams-Flood Stock Co., Fred B. Flood, mgr.: Ponca City, Okla., indef.
 Woodhill Stock Co.: Dayton, O., May 15, indef.
 Woodward Stock Co., Woodward & Burgess, mgrs.: Kansas City, Mo., April 9, indef.
 York State Folks, Fred E. Wright, mgr.: Bos-ton, Mass., May 22, indef.
 Yorkville Theatre Stock Co., David Weiss, mgr.: New York City Jan. 30, indef.
 Young Buffalo, King of The Wild West (Chas. E. Blaney's): Baltimore, Md., 29-June 3.

MUSICAL ROUTES.

All 'Round Chicago, Wm. A. Brady, mgr.: Chi-cago, Ill., May 15, indef.
 A Hot Old Time, Harry Levy, mgr.: Bumford Falls, Me., June 1; Bangor 2; Waterville 3.
 Boston Opera Co., Jno. Shayne, mgr.: Tyler, Tex., 29-June 3.
 Butler, Helen May and her Ladies' Military Band, J. Leslie Spahn, mgr.: Minneapolis, Minn., 28-June 3; St. Paul 4-10.
 Canadian Jubilee Singers, W. T. Cary, mgr.: Victoria, Ont., 31; Tilsonburg June 1; Port Burwell 2; West Lorne 3.
 Creator's Band, Pew & Gerth, mgrs.: Ft. Wayne, Ind., 31; Elkhart June 1; Benton Har-bor, Mich., 2; Chicago, Ill., 8-4; Milwaukee, Wis., 5-July 2.
 Castleton Opera Co.: Milwaukee, Wis., May 21-June 24.
 Coming Thro' The Rye, Geo. W. Lederer, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, indef.
 Cohan, Geo. M. in Little Johnny Jones, Sam H. Harris, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 29, indef.
 Daniels, Frank, Chas. B. Dillingham, mgr.: New York City, April 24, indef.
 Ellery Band, The: Cincinnati, O., May 27-June 23.
 Fautans, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: New York City, Jan. 14, indef.
 Florodora, Fisher & Ryley, mgrs.: Boston, Mass., April 24, indef.
 It Happened in Nordland, Hamlin, Mitchell & Fields, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., May 28, indef.
 Innes and His Band: Portland, Ore., June 1-28.
 Kiltie Baud, T. P. J. Power, mgr.: Dublin, Ireland, June 5-7; Cork 8; Montreal, Can., 19-20.
 King Hu-Lo Co. (Burt's): South Bend, Ind., 22-June 3; Peru 5-10.
 Manhattan Opera Co.: Elmira, N. Y., June 5-Sept. 16.
 Maryland Opera Co.: Baltimore, Md., May 1, indef.
 Olympia Musical Comedy Co., R. W. Priest, mgr.: Nashville, Tenn., 29-June 3.
 Piff, Puff, Puff, F. C. Whitney, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 1, indef.
 Pryor and His Band: Asbury Park, N. J., April 23, indef.

Pollards' Lilliputian Opera Co., Joseph Muller, mgr.: Denver, Col., 29-June 3; Omaha, Neb., 5-10. Roclan's Opera Co.: Winnipeg, Can., May 24, indef. Royal Artillery Band of Italy, Joseph DeVito, mgr.: Baltimore, Md., May 16-Sept. 18. Schumann-Heink, Madame: Wheeling, W. Va., June 2. John C. Fisher, mgr.: New York City, April 17, indef. Sousa and His Band, Frank Christianer, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 27-June 10. The Earl and The Girl, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Boston, Mass., May 15, indef. The Isle of Bong Bong, Harry Powers, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., May 21, indef. The Royal Chef, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., April 17, indef. Tivoli: San Francisco, Cal., indef. The Prince of Plisen, Henry W. Savage, mgr.: Boston, Mass., May 29, indef. The Isle of Spice, B. C. Whitney, mgr.: Johnston, Pa., 21; Uniontown June 1; Greensburg 2; season ends. The Red Feather: Butte, Mont., 31-June 1; Helena 2. Victor's Band, Col. John F. Bragg, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 22, indef. Willis' Musical Comedy Co., John B. Willis, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., 29-June 28. Ward & Vokes, in A Pair of Pinks, E. D. Stair, mgr.: Montpelier, Vt., 31; Concord, N. H., June 1; Manchester 2; Lynn, Mass., 3.

MINSTREL ROUTES. Allen's New Orleans, Geo. W. Quine, mgr.: Ensley, Ala., 31; Pratt City June 1; Anniston 2; Gadsden 3. Donnelly's, Tom, Jack W. Stokes, mgr.: Ellen-ville, N. Y., 31; Liberty June 1; Boonton, N. J., 3; Paterson 5-17. Dumont's: Philadelphia, Pa., indef. Vogel's, John W. Vogel, mgr.: Atlantic City, N. J., May 22, indef. Kersand's, Billy, C. Jay Smith, mgr.: Toledo, O., 29-31; Akron June 1-3. Matthews': Elmira, N. Y., 22-June 3. New York, G. Lote Silver, mgr.: Stevens Point, Wis., June 1; Grand Rapids 2. Richards & Pringle's, Rusco & Holland, mgrs.: Toronto, Ont., 29-31; Kingston June 1; Brockville 3; Cornwall 3; Montreal, Can., 5-10.

MIDWAY ROUTES. Alamo, Great Shows, W. H. Rice, mgr.: El Reno, Okla., 29-June 3; Enid 5-10. Amert's, Capt. W., Attractions: Hopkinsville, Ky., 29-June 3; Madisonville 5-10. American Carnival Co., Cleveland & Turner, mgrs.: Spray, N. C., 29-June 3. Baldwin Bros. Carnival Co.: Mt. Sterling, Ill., June 6-10. Baueher Carnival Co.: Edwardsville, Ill., 29-June 3. Bogart, Great Shows: Hamburg, La., 31-June 3; Malvern 7-10. Capitol Amusement Co., J. Dan Filmore, mgr.: Battle Creek, Mich., 28-June 3; Lansing 5-10. Cash Carnival Co. (No. 1): New Richmond, Wis., 29-June 3. Cash Carnival Co. (No. 2): Wells, Minn., June 5-10. Collins' Amusement Co.: Alliance, Neb., 29-June 3; Deadwood, S. D., 5-10. Continental Amusement Co.: Pittsburg, Pa., 22-June 3; Homestead 5-10. Cooke's City of Jerusalem, H. Cooke, mgr.: Ithaca, N. Y., 29-June 3. Co-Operative Amusement Co.: Logansport, Ind., June 5-10. Cosmopolitan Amusement Co., H. Snyder, mgr.: Ottawa, Kan., 29-June 3; St. Joseph, Mo., 5-10. Coyle Amusement Co.: Cayuga, Ind., 29-June 3. Dixie Carnival Co., Dana Thompson, mgr.: Publication of route prohibited. Any mail addressed in care of The Billboard will be forwarded promptly. Doc's Nickel Carnival Co., C. E. Updegraff, sr., mgr.: Kintstown, Pa., 29-June 3; Fleetwood 5-8. Echlin-Harris Amusement Co., S. A. Echlin, mgr.: Pond Creek, Okla., 29-June 3; Caldwell, Kan., 5-10. Fiesta Carnival Co., H. L. Leavitt, mgr.: Vallecito, Cal., 29-June 3; Oakland 5-17. Ferrari Bros. Carnival Co.: Marion, Ind., 29-June 3; Danville, Ill., 5-10. Gaskill Carnival Co.: Topeka, Kan., June 5-10. Heinz Bros. Shows: Prairie du Chien, Wis., June 6-10. Hatch, J. Frank, Shows: East Liverpool, O., 29-June 3; New Castle, Pa., 5-10. Hewitt's, Fred, Exposition Shows: Noblesville, Ind., 29-June 3; Anderson 5-10. Hoss & Naumann United Shows: Martin's Ferry, O., 29-June 3; Alliance 5-10. Jones-Adams Carnival Co.: Annapolis, Md., 29-June 3. Lechman-Ketch Shows: Paris, Ill., 29-June 3; Champaign 5-10. Miles-May Showland: Corbin, Ky., 29-June 3; London 5-10. Monarch Amusement Co., G. E. Meyers, mgr.: Raton, N. Mex., 29-June 3. Monarch Carnival Co., M. Mitchell, mgr.: Kokomo, Ind., 29-June 3; Watska, Ill., 5-10. Moonshiner Show, F. R. Blitt, mgr.: Raton, N. Mex., 29-June 3. Morris Glass Show, Lew H. Morris, mgr.: Battle Creek, Mich., 29-June 3. Mundy Shows, Great: Logansport, Ind., June 5-10. Parker, C. W., Amusement Co., J. H. Edwards, owner: Arkansas City, Kan., 29-June 3; Hutchinson 5-10. Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co., James Patterson, mgr.: Jacksonville, Ill., 29-June 3. Pierce Amusement Co., A. L. Pierce, mgr.: Rome, N. Y., June 5-10. Pilbeam Bros. Carnival Co.: River Rouge, Mich., 29-June 3; Albion 5-10. Robinson Amusement Co.: Lexington, Ky., 29-June 3; Columbus, Ind., 5-10. Royal Amusement Co., H. H. Tipps, mgr.: Hillings, Mo., 29-June 3; Lebanon 5-10. St. Louis Syndicated Amusement Co., Nichols & Weaver, mgrs.: Wicliiffe, Ky., 29-June 3; Mount City, Ill., 5-10. Seaman-Millican Mardi Gras Co.: Hopkinsville, Ky., 29-June 3; Madisonville 5-10. Southern Carnival Co.: Grants' Pass, Ore., 28-31; Roseburg June 1-4; Aberdeen, Wash., 5-10. Welder's Carnival Co., Will H. Welder, mgr.: Fosteria, O., 29-June 3; Dedance 5-10. White City Amusement Co.: Warrior, Ala., 29-June 3. Whitney's Greater Shows, A. P. Whitney, mgr.: Nacogdoches, La., 29-June 3; Shreveport 5-10.

Wixom Bros.' Carnival Co., Van & Ernest Wixom, mgrs.: Bancroft, Mich., 29-June 3; Portland 5-10. Wright Exposition Co., H. W. Wright, mgr.: Evansville, Ind., June 5-10.

TENT SHOW ROUTES. American, Greater: Chicago, Ill., May 8-June 17. Buffalo Bill's Wild West, Fred B. Hutchinson, mgr.: Paris, Fr., April 2, indef. Bailey's, Mollie: Vineyard, Tex., 31; Jacksboro June 1; Bryson 2. Barnum & Bailey's: Allegheny, Pa., 31; New Castle June 1; Youngstown, O., 2; Erie, Pa., 3; Cleveland, O., 5; Lorain 6; Toledo 7; Lima 8; Muncie, Ind., 9; Indianapolis 10. Bayroty Bros.: Allegheny, Pa., 31; New Castle June 1; Youngstown, O., 2; Erie, Pa., 3; Cleveland, O., 5; Lorain 6; Toledo 7; Lima 8; Muncie, Ind., 9; Indianapolis 10. Burns, F. W. & Co.: Oconto Falls, Wis., 31; Gillett June 1; Embarras 3. Campbell Bros.: E. R.: Huron, S. D., 31; Pierre June 1; Miller 2; Lake Preston 3; Madison 5. Canada Frank's, F. M. Myers, mgr.: Truman, Minn., 31; Madelia June 1; Mountain Lake 2; Winona 3; Horton Lake 5; Avoca 6; Slayton 7; Woodstock 8; Pipestone 9. Castello & Graves': Auburn, N. Y., 31; Port Byron June 1; Weedsport 2; Cato 3. Downie's, Andrew: Hannibal, N. Y., 31; Oswego June 1. Drake & Faulkner's R. R., F. W. Falkner, mgr.: Dover, N. J., 31; Hackettstown June 1; Bangor, Pa., 2; Nazareth 3. Empire: Madison, Pa., 31; Mammoth June 1; Jeannette 2; Windber 3. Floto's, Great: Pendleton, Ore., 31; Walla Walla, Wash., June 1; Colfax 2; Spokane 3; Wallace, Ida., 5; Missoula, Mont., 6; Butte 7; Dillon 8; Idaho Falls, Ida., 9; Montpelier 10. Fitzgerald's: Watertown, N. Y., 29-June 3. Forepaugh & Sells Bros.: Fond du Lac, Wis., 31; Oakshoe June 1; Appleton 2; Wausau 3. Gollmar Bros.: Eau Claire, Wis., June 6. Hagenbeck's Trained Animal, Lee Williams, mgr.: Cincinnati, O., 29-31. Hall's, F. W.: Strang, Neb., 31; Milligan June 1; Orlowa 2; Tobias 3. Lambrigger's Zoo, Gus Lambrigger, mgr.: Valparaiso, Ind., 29-31. Lemon Bros.: Publication of route prohibited. Any mail addressed in care of The Billboard will be forwarded promptly. Lamont Bros.: Ellettsville, Ind., 31; Stinesville June 1; Paragon 2; Quincy 3; Cloverdale 5; Patmanville 6; Green Castle 7; Bainbridge 8; North Salem 9. Mansfield's W. J.: Leechburg, Pa., 31; Van-Sergrift June 1; Apollo 2; Salina 3. Miller Bros.: Harry Miller, mgr.: Granite City, Ill., 29-June 3. Norton Bros.: Dewey Norton, mgr.: Isabel, Kan., 31; Coats June 1; Haviland 3; Greensburg 5. Pawnee Bill's Wild West: Emporium, Pa., 31; Ridgway June 1; Kane 2; Warren 3; Bradford 5; Arcade, N. Y., 6; Buffalo, N. Y., 7; Dunkirk 8; Erie, Pa., 9; Conneaut 10. Ringling Bros.: Springfield, Mass., June 5; Hartford, Conn., 6; New Haven 7; Bridgeport 8; Waterbury 9; Holyoke, Mass., 10. Robbins', Frank A.: Norwich, Conn., 31; West-erly, R. I., June 1; Pawtucket 2; Bristol 3; Newport 5; Hyannis, Mass., 6. Silver's, Bert Silver, mgr.: Carson City, Neb., 31; Crystal June 1; McBrides 2; Etrician 3. Robinson, John: Camden, N. Y., 31. Smith's Colossal Shows, E. G. Smith, mgr.: Belleville, Pa., 31; Allensville June 1; McVeytown 2; Newton Hamilton 3. Steele's, A. L., Jack Coyle, gen. mgr.: New Bethlehem, Pa., 31; Patmerville June 1; Dayton 2; Plumville 3; Elderton 6; Homer City 8; Blairville 9. Sun Bros.: Shelbyville, Tenn., 31; Murfreesboro June 1; Lebanon 2; Dixon 3. Texas Bill's Wild West: Danville, Ill., 31; Cayuga, Ind., June 1; Clinton 2; Brazil 3. Van Amburg: Publication of route prohibited. Any mail addressed in care of The Billboard will be forwarded promptly. Washburn & D'Alma's: Williamsport, Pa., 31; Lock Haven June 1; Bellefonte 2.

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MISCELLANEOUS ROUTES. Baueher, Dr., Vandeville Show: Coatspa, Ala., 31; McDowell June 1; Gallion 2; Uniontown 5. Dashington's, J. J., Shows: Tiskilwa, Ill., 29-31. Howe's Moving Pictures: LaPorte, Ind., 31; Franklin June 1; Wooster, O., 5; Vandergrift, Pa., 6; Butler 7; Somerset 8; Myersdale 10. Hewitt, Illusionist: Circle City, Alaska, May 22-June 24. Humpty Dumpty (Geo. H. Adams', under canvas), Ernest Cooke, prop. and mgr.: Nasbus, N. H., Boone, Ia., 29-June 3. Keller's Entertainers, Newman & McCord, mgrs.: Stanberry, Mo., 29-June 3. Pain's Port Arthur: Birmingham, Ala., 29-June 3; Chattanooga, Tenn., 5-8; Knoxville 9-10. Powers, F. J.: Byersville, O., 31; Toronto, June 1; East Liverpool 2-3. Procelle, Hypnotist, F. Willard Magoon, mgr.: Barton, Vt., indef. Quaker Remedy Co., Wm. Franklin, mgr.: Solomon, Kan., 29-June 3; Sylvan Grove 5-10. Roving Bill's Palmistry Co., W. J. DeForest, mgr.: Cleburne, Tex., 29-June 8; Temple 10-25. Swallow & Markle's Floating Palace: Cedar Grove, W. Va., 31; Montgomery June 1; Mount Carbon 2. Taylor & Frank's Vaudeville Shows, C. C. Taylor and Jos. J. Frank, mgrs.: Garrett, Ind., 29-31. Tennessee Wardlers, R. C. Fuggley, mgr.: Wingate, Ind., 29-31; Linden June 1-3. Walsh's Crystalplex Carnival, M. Henry Walsh, mgr.: Limestone, Me., 29-June 3; Caribou 5-10.

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CIRCUS GOSSIP.

Harry E. Anderson is contracting agent for the Wm. P. Hall Shows.

Bonavita is again the big hit of Bostock's at Coney Island, N. Y.

Every Sunday finds many showmen visiting Luna Park at Coney Island, N. Y.

L. J. Rodriguez, who has the Midget City and the Midget City Circus at Dreamland, Coney Island, reports good business.

Prof. Hank Snider writes that he has booked his trained animals with the Star Show, which opened April 26.

Sigmo Abanico, contortionist and head balancer, joined the Andrew Downie Circus, May 22, at Canandaigua, N. Y.

The Stumon Family have been re-engaged for the annex of the Sun Brothers' Big E. B. Shows. Edwin Dutch, cornet, and Ike Shermer, baritone and violinist, are with the Stumon Family.

Roy Fortune writes that he is meeting with great success with the Mighty Haag Shows, being in his eleventh week with that show. He will play vaudeville dates this winter in the east.

Mr. Geo. H. Hakes, our Brooklyn representative, visited the Ringling Brothers' Shows at New Brunswick, N. J., where he reports the show played to capacity. He says the show is the very best.

Dan W. Lester, the well-known clown who has been at the Arcade Garden, Knoxville, Tenn., all winter, joined the McDoull Brothers' Show May 29. Dan writes the engagement is for 104 weeks.

On account of their tents not arriving, the Bolla Fox Show is playing opera houses in Wisconsin. Tents will reach the show June 10, when they open their tenting season. The show is in its sixth season.

Ringling Brothers' Shows played Chester, Pa., on May 20, and a number of showmen from Philadelphia paid the circus a visit. Adam Forepaugh, jr., sat through the performance and seemed to enjoy it.

Messrs. Hall & Brown, formerly with the Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' Shows, are taking out two new shows this season. The Girl in Blue and An Old Plantation. They opened in Cayuga, Ind., May 29, for the week.

The Forepaugh-Sells Show headed off a big advance in the circus license at

the management of Lew Graham, and is one of the neatest outfits ever put on a lot. An innovation is a series of tapestry decorations around the inside of the tent that brightens up the interior in a novel way.

A suit has just reached the Supreme Court of New York, in which Mr. Frank L. Brown, of the Brown United Shows, is defendant, the plaintiff claiming \$10,000 as damages. The plaintiff claims that at the Oswego County Fair, N. Y., last year, he was viewing a large leopard belonging to the Brown Shows which thrust its paw through the bars catching the plaintiff in the neck and terribly lacerating his face.

The roster of advertising car No. 1 of the Great Wm. P. Hall Shows is as follows: Chas. R. Coleman, manager; Bert Wheeler, boss of paper; C. Anderson and P. Brush, lithos; J. McKinnon, programmer; Joo. Howard, paste maker; and Clarence Carey, R. Rippon, W. E. Johnson, H. Johnson, J. Beasant, L. Moore, Wm. Schlenk, O. Wiley, E. Hopper, H. Meoth, H. Mason, W. K. Miller, C. Graves and B. Dehane, billposters.

The roster of advance car No. 1 of the Ringling Brothers' Show is as follows: Frank Estes, manager; Chas. A. White, press agent; W. H. Hoskins, boss billposter, with J. P. Miller, C. L. Holmes, J. H. Graves, C. A. Betts, C. T. Crippen, Robert Faye, W. Hadison, W. I. Jackson, W. Whitmore, Harry Lausch, C. C. Sellers, Dan Phoney, H. Crabtree, Chas. McDowell, Ralph Root, Wm. Vance and M. Coughlin as assistants.

The following performers are with the Cook & Barret Circus: Jenier Family, La-Tow Sisters, Emma and Dollie; the Jenieros, George and Jesse, H. E. Mitchell, Harry De-Alvin, Royal Japanese Troupe, Master Roy Jenier, The Scotts, Burt and Anna, Baby Geo. Jenier, Master Walter Jenier, Leonzo, Mlle. Marie, Miss Ireen, Billie Scott, Two Colemans, Emma Shippley, Dick Schiller, Webb Brothers and the Nickle Plate Band.

Small town officials have always taken particular delight in holding up tent shows for the balance on license fees that in themselves would be prohibitive. The latest instance of this kind is reported from Leon W. Washburn's Show, which was held up at Greerwich, Conn., May 17, for employing school boys under fourteen years of age to water the animals. When Manager Geo. Peck protested, he was arrested for creating a disturbance. On the same day the parade of the Frank A. Robins' Show was held up on the streets of New Rochelle, N. Y., by the Humane Society, who had observed sores on the necks of several of the horses. The proprietors were fined ten dollars for each animal so afflicted.

Notes from the No. 1 advance car of the Campbell Brothers' Show: Since starting from winter quarters we have encountered some extremely bad weather, having only three clear days since that time. In spite of these adverse circumstances, we have lost no time and the work has been well and thoroughly done. Everybody connected with the car is putting their shoulder to the wheel. The roster of the car is as follows: W. E. Soods, manager; Wm. Gilman, contracting agent; Chas. D. Hammond, press representative; Tobias Beers, boss billposter, with W. B. Sands as assistant; Fred. E. Gaster, lithographer; W. F. Kohlman, chef, and the following billposters: Edward Williams, Harry Potts, Perry Howard, Emmet Mollhollen, Louis Smith, Thomas Pirtle, Carl Bowers and S. D. Allen.

Notes from the Great Wm. P. Hall Shows: The shows opened at Lancaster, Mo., May 6, and the great tent was packed to capacity. We have been showing to capacity audiences in every town in which we have played since the opening, except at two stands in Iowa, where the weather prevented even a matinee performance. New stock is being added all the time and all departments have been enlarged to a great extent. Under the able management of Mr. Phil Ellsworth everything is running smoothly. The parade has, in each town, been witnessed by thousands of people. The performance is being greeted enthusiastically and everybody leaves the big white tops satisfied with the entertainment. The Hall Shows will experience a most successful season.

Notes from Pain's Port Arthur: The second stand of this spectacle takes place at Birmingham, Ala., week of May 29. James Cunniff, smpt., leaves the show here to Jack Campbell. Cunniff takes his crew to join Last Days of Pompeii at Oklahoma City for the coast. The Imperial Japanese Guard, 24 in number, join Pompeii at Oklahoma City. Frank Oakes Base, general stage manager for Pain's attractions, has left Port Arthur for Manhattan Beach. His place will be taken by Fred. J. Murry, late of several Boston theatres. Will H. Barry, general agent and press representative, leaves here to join Pompeii. Al. F. Dolson, late manager of Happy Hooligan, succeeds him. G. E. Raymond, manager Orpheum Theatre, Minneapolis, Minn., is acting manager of Port Arthur. He returns to Minneapolis Aug. 10 to look after his theatre.

Notes from the Sig. Sautelle & Welsh Brothers' Shows: After the matinee performance at Tyrone, Pa., on May 25, nearly all of the people connected with the shows journeyed to the cemetery, where memorial

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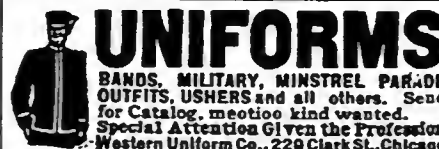


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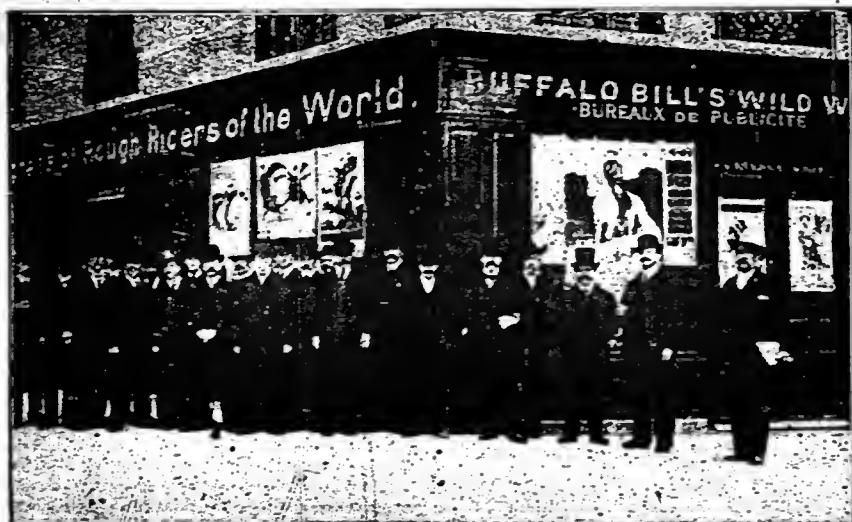
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Ben and May Holmes have joined the Col. W. J. Uden Wild West Show for an eighteen weeks' engagement.

Mr. J. J. McConnell writes that he has closed with the Frank Adams Show and joined Sells & Downs.

The Boer War went into permanent summer quarters at Brighton Beach, N. Y., June 1.

The big free open air circus at Luna Park, Coney Island, is a big feature. Mr. Fred. McClellan did the booking.

Grant Brown of Eleventh, Minn., has joined the advance forces of the Norris & Rowe Show.

Frank W. Miller, proprietor of Miller's Place, Eleventh, Minn., shipped to the Campbell Brothers' Show last week a fine cub bear.

John Zouboulakis, of the Floto Show, has had a touch of neuralgia recently, which kept him out of the parade with his one-man band.

Owing to the illness of Harry S. Bartlett the Musical Bartletts were unable to join the Ringling Brothers' Show for the summer season.

Billy Guyott, formerly of the Skerbeck Shows, is now manager of the St. Louis Hotel at McKinley, Minn. Theatrical people will always find Billy at home.

F. B. Corey, for the past two seasons with the Barnum & Bailey Show, joined the Andrew Downie Circus, May 20, at Penn Yan. He has charge of the stock.

Ray Swan, for the past five years identified with the Greene Opera House at Cedar Rapids, Ia., has joined the force in charge of the opposition car of the Wallace Show.

Edward M. Goff, well known in the amusement world and under the white tents, will be identified with a number of concessions at Cranberry Lake in New Jersey, this season.

The Great DeVilbiss writes that he is in his fourth week with the Andrew Downie Circus, meeting with success. His sensational unsupported ladder and wire acts are making good.

Sioux City, Ia., and secured a license there for June 13 for \$150. The pending ordinance raises the license to \$1,000.

Andrew Downie's Circus gave two performances at Penn Yan, N. Y., May 20, to large and appreciative audiences. Mr. Downie reports good business so far this season.

A fakir, asserting himself to be the general contracting agent of the Barnum & Bailey Show, has been attempting to stand a number of persons off for small amounts of money. It is not believed that he has been successful.

Sixteen collieries, employing 12,000 men and boys at Mahanoy City, Pa., were forced to suspend operations May 20, because of the appearance of the Barnum & Bailey Show, which gave two performances in that city. Less than ten per cent. of the employes reported for work.

Harry Helms, magician, closed his magic show at Antigo, Wis., May 1, and joined the F. W. Burns & Co. R. R. Show, taking charge of the side show and concert. He is also presenting his tramp juggling act. Next September Harry opens in the opera houses with his magic show.

Henry Walsh, for many years connected with the Ringling Brothers' forces, and whose fondness for the fruit has caused him to be nicknamed "Apples," and Darwin C. Hawn, for nine years prominent as a hostler with the Forepaugh-Sells' Show, have joined the Barnum & Bailey Show as boss hostlers.

Three baby lions were born to a hostess with the John Robinson Show at Clearfield, Pa., May 19. One of the new arrivals was named DuBois in remembrance of a fire benefit given by this show at DuBois in 1888; another Clearfield, in honor of the city, and the third, Savage, after a prominent citizen of Clearfield.

Two camels and a baby elephant were born in the veterinary department of the John G. Robinson Show at Penn Yan, Pa., May 25. The camels were christened Penn Yan and Geneva, in honor of the Pennsylvania cities. The elephant has been named Binghamton, the Governor himself applying the appellation to the new arrival.

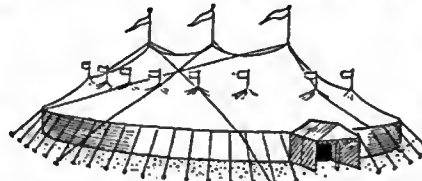
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certs from the stand constructed over the lagoon.

Mr. W. O. Edmunds is manager of the resort and is an important member of the role of honor of those who have lent their energies toward making the resort what it is. Mr. Edward Salisbury is manager of the publicity department and it is useless to mention that the resort will get its full share of space in the Cleveland papers.

PARK NOTES.

Lake Side Park at Stoneboro, Pa., is now open.

Harry E. Tudor, of Bostock's, Coney Island, reports business very satisfactory.

The Old Mill at Asbury Park, N. J., opened for the season May 30 under the management of T. D. LaBar.

The Johnstown Flood at Atlantic City, N. J., has opened its second season at this popular resort and is doing big business.

Lake Compounce, Bristol, Conn., opens May 30, under the management of Perce & Norton. The summer theatre opens June 19.

Manager F. R. Scott, manager of the Liberty Theatre, Warren Pa., has the management of Irwindale Park at that place this season.

Mr. A. B. Carpenter, advance agent of the Boer War, has accepted the position of manager of Night and Morning at Luna Park, Cleveland, Ohio.

Many new novelties have been added to the Midget City, Coney Island, this season, and the attraction is one of the good things at the well known resort.

The White City on The Lake, Cleveland, Ohio, has postponed its opening from May 27 to June 3, the heavy rains of the past month having delayed the work.

Texarkana Spring Park, Texarkana, Ark., Tex., opened Sunday, May 22, with the Boston Ideal Opera Co., and S. R. O. has been the rule ever since.

Mr. Edward F. Girard, stage manager for several seasons for Percy Williams' Orpheum Theatre, Brooklyn, N. Y., is manager of Creation, one of the Ryan attractions at Coney Island, N. Y., this season.

Mr. H. Talbott is doing the press for Thompson & Dundy's Luna Park, Coney Island. Mr. Talbott is proving his good qualities, and the New York papers are publishing many unique stories concerning the resort.

Mr. James B. Driscoll, for many years connected with many big attractions, is again this season connected with the Galveston Flood at Coney Island, as manager and lecturer. James McKane, owner, reports big business.

Max Rosenberg, who was manager of the Lagoon in Cincinnati two seasons ago and who was largely instrumental in making the Marco Polo spectacle such a tremendous success, is spending a few days in Cincinnati on business.

Mr. Arthur Hopkins, of the Ingersoll-Hopkins Co. of New York, was a visitor at Luna Park, Cleveland, Ohio, during the past week. Mr. Hopkins says that on June 1 they will move to larger quarters in the St. James Bldg., New York.

Mt. Pelee, built by H. A. Bradwell, designer of From New York to The North Pole, The Johnstown Flood, and many other attractions, will be one of the attractions at S. E. Jackson's Park in the French settlements of Montreal, Can., this summer.

M. H. A. Dorsey, vice-president and general manager of Wonderland, Minneapolis, has just returned from a trip to the Pacific coast where he had gone in the interest of two new amusement parks. One will be erected at Spokane and the other at Seattle.

The Ingersoll-Hopkins Co., amusement agents of New York, report that they have booked the following bands for the park season. Carnegie, Innes, Capone, New Hungarian, Faudullil, Fairman, The Government, Indiana, New York, Marine, Weber's Duss and Conway's.

The Oaks, the new amusement resort of Portland, Ore., situated upon the banks of the Willamette river, opened its season May 27. Mr. S. H. Friedlander is manager. The resort is said to be one of the most beautiful in this country. It is well provided with amusements.

The theatre at Lakemont Park, Altoona, Pa., has been enlarged both as to stage and seating capacity, and has been newly painted and put in first-class condition for the opening on June 5. Frank Melville is doing the booking, and an excellent line of vaudeville attractions is promised.

Gregg A. Frelinger, well known among Cincinnati musicians, has accepted the management of Burgman Park, Logansport, Ind. Vaudeville and band concerts will be the leading features of the season's program. Extensive improvements have been made in the park, and everything points to a successful season. This is Mr. Frelinger's second season as manager.

Manager R. J. Armstrong, of the New York Theatre, St. John, N. B., will have charge of the amusement features at the Street Railway's Seaside Park this summer, and has appointed Ernest DeMill as manager. A vaudeville theatre, merry-go-round and photo gallery will be a few of the added features.

Robert Wayne has leased Chautauqua Park, Owensboro, Ky., and opened the same May 29 with high-class vaudeville in the theatre. The park has been placed in a circuit between Evansville and Louisville. Admission to the park is free, with an admission of 15 and 25 cents for the Auditorium.

The dates of the Burlington Fair Association at Burlington, Ia., are Aug. 3-11, instead of Aug. 1-1, as has been published in our list. Mr. Jno. B. Hunt is president of the Association and Mr. C. C. Fowler is secretary. Strong efforts are being made to make the coming event the most successful in the history of Burlington.

The Karris Fat Children opened their summer season at the Pier, Dreamland Park, Coney Island, N. Y., May 20, to business unprecedented for a show of this class at that resort. They did fair to become even more popular here than they were at Atlantic City, where they were on exhibition for the past two seasons. The show is under the management of W. K. Sibley.

A number of enterprising managers and business men of Coney Island, N. Y., have organized a good fellowship club for the promotion of friendly feeling among those engaged on the island and for the general betterment of the resort. The new club is called the Anti Ostriches' Association. Mr. Chas. E. Feltman is president, H. A. Bradwell, treasurer, and F. Sidney, secretary. The club will have a weekly meeting and banquet.

Rock Springs Park, Chester, W. Va., opens Monday, May 29. Up to the present time some fifty-seven excursions have been contracted for, and this, in addition to the local patronage, ensures a large attendance. This park has, in addition to the usual park amusements, a lake and one of the largest outdoor bathing pools in the country, the water of which is heated by natural gas. J. H. Maxwell is manager of the park, and Samuel McCutcheon is manager of the theatre.

Despite the cool weather, over fifty thousand people visited Luna Park, Cleveland, Ohio, Sunday, May 21. The park is now in full running order. The circus feature opened up 22, with the Kitamura Japanese Troupe of Jugglers, and the Haidabura Russian dervish dancers, and gave a very interesting performance. Other features were a demonstration by Helen Florence Hahn, of the properties of the Mystic Crucible, and the scenic production of the eruption of Mt. Pelee.

The Exposition Information Bureau, under the auspices of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, has been opened at 128 Third street, Portland, Ore., near the Union Depot, for the convenience of visitors to the Fair. The persons in charge are thoroughly familiar with Portland, and will be pleased at any time to give information as to the city and its sights, desirable hotels and boarding houses and the rates charged, and any other information that may be desired. Literature, descriptive of the city and the Exposition, will be kept on hand for free distribution.

Glenwood Park, situated on the Louisville & Southern Indiana Traction line between New Albany and Jeffersonville, opened its season May 23 with Rice's Dog and Pony Show, and the Russell Schooley Specialty in the theatre. A number of improvements have been made at Glenwood this spring. The resort is now provided with every attraction to be found at any park. On June 5 the Bohman Stock Co. begins a season's engagement in the theatre. In addition to the company specialties will be run between the acts. A number of hands have been engaged for short engagements, and a twenty-five piece orchestra will furnish music every evening.

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President H. W. Goode, of the Exposition Company, will formally announce the opening. Mayor George H. Williams of Portland, known as "Portland's Grand Old Man," being eighty-two years of age, and a former United States Cabinet Officer and Senator, will give the freedom of the city to the visitors in an appropriate address. Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, and other distinguished men will speak.

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FAIR NOTES.

Work upon the buildings for the Jamestown Exposition will begin in the near future.

It would appear that the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co. is having difficulty collecting stock subscriptions. It is reported that more than three hundred suits have been filed by the Exposition Co. against delinquents.

There will probably be no fair at Cincinnati, Ky., this year. The Elks of that place offered \$700 for the use of the fair grounds at Abdnah Park for a four day exhibition, but the owner demanded \$1,200 and stood pat. The Elks discontinued negotiations.

Mr. C. R. Kelley, promoter of publicity for the Jamestown Exposition, after a recent visit to Richmond, Va., declares that the citizens of that city are much in favor of the Exposition and that they will lend every aid toward success.

The Great Giant Whirl Flying Machine gives promise of being one of the sensations at the Lewis and Clark Exposition which opened June 1 at Portland, Ore. The structure stands 100 feet in height and is supplied with luxuriously appointed airships. An admission of only ten cents will be charged. It is the first of its kind on the Pacific coast, is brilliantly illuminated, and will undoubtedly attract much attention.

Frank Vincent DuMond of New York, director of fine arts at the Lewis and Clark Exposition, arrived in Portland recently to superintend the hanging of the pictures of the Museum of Art. More than six hundred costly paintings, by the most famous artists, are being placed on the walls. A large collection of western artists' pictures supplements this display. California, Montana, and other western states are well represented.

Portland, Ore., has prepared for large crowds that are expected during the Lewis and Clark Exposition. More than twenty temporary hotels have been built near the grounds. The American Inn, inside the grounds,

will accommodate 1,500 guests. There are forty permanent hotels in Portland, besides hundreds of boarding and lodging houses. Thousands of private residences also offer board or rooms at reasonable rates.

STREET FAIRS & CARNIVALS

AN AGENT'S TROUBLES

Claude P. House, advance agent for the K. G. Barkout Carnival Co., has the following verses printed on his card:

Wherever I look and wherever I turn,
In whatever direction I go,
One question, one only, confronts me,
Can you fix me all right for the show?

The baggage man, weighing my baggage,
Says a hundred excess or so,
What's the name of the troupe you're ahead of?
Can you fix me all right for the show?

The genial, obliging hotel clerk,
Cries in a professional glow;
If your room doesn't suit you I'll change it!
How about comps for the show?

The porter who brings in my trunk,
Says: For land sake, you're a trouper, I know,
I can tell dem a miff off, by golly,
Boss, gimme a pass to the show?

The chambermaid says, with a sly little wink,
And in tones confidingly low,
I would like to take in the performance
If you can fix me all right for the show!

And at nights in a feverish slumber,
I wretchedly toss to and fro,
And dream that the bed bugs, in legions, are calling,
Can you fix me all right for the show?

Kind heaven, will even St. Peter shout,
When I pass up from down below,
Say, when is the company coming?
Can you fix me all right for the show?

STREET FAIR NOTES.

The Fisk Syndicate of Shows opened in Florence, Ala., May 22.

The Dr. Boucher Vaudeville Co. reports business fair, though much rain.

J. W. DeMilby is bookkeeper and accountant for the St. Louis Syndicate Amusement Co.

Mr. L. H. LaMar and Mr. Birchum, magicians, have consolidated their interests in the Birchum & LaMar Congress of Novelties.

Nat Reiss, proprietor of the Southern Carnival Co., is negotiating for the purchase of five railroad coaches for his company.

The Fiesta Carnival Co. opened at Santa Cruz, with 2,500 at the front gate. Prospects for good business are bright with the Fiesta.

A big street fair and carnival will be held at Noblesville, Ind., May 29 to June 3. Fred. Hewitt's Exposition Shows will put on the attractions.

Midway company managers write to J. G. Krug, secretary, East Erie Turners' Association, Erie, Pa. Attractions wanted for a carnival latter part of August.

The Southern Carnival Co. are doing a rushing business in their third week at Sacramento, Cal. Ed. Burk, the general contracting agent, is still with the outfit.

Walsh's Crystalplex Carnival Co. closes a very successful season of forty weeks June 17 at Van Buren, Me. The company is the same as when it opened in September.

Notwithstanding reports to the contrary, Mr. F. Pearson Shields still holds the position of treasurer of the Gaskill Shows. Mr. Shields has held this position for the past six seasons.

Mr. Geo. H. Weber is promoter for the Fred. Hewitt Shows, and Mr. J. E. Maginnis is special representative. The show is working northwest. They have some good towns booked.

Geo. L. Johnson, the flowery speller, was in San Francisco last week, trying to get nurses and babies for Gus Meyer's Incubator Show. The Monarch Carnival Co. thinks George is O. K.

Hayden and LaLonde, aerialists, write that they have closed with the J. Frank Hatch Shows, and opened May 20, at Pittsburg, Pa., with the Continental Amusement Co. They are making good.

The Cash Carnival Co. No. 1 opened its season at New Richmond, Wis., May 31, while the No. 2 company opens June 6 at Wells, Minn. The shows have been greatly enlarged since last season.

It is reported that a ticket seller of the Great Mundy Shows suddenly disappeared at Owensboro, Ky., May 23, with about \$200 in cash, being the receipts from the sales. His whereabouts are unknown.

Low Nichols writes that the St. Louis Syndicated Amusement Co. is doing fine business. Weaver and Danville have landed

some of the best towns in Illinois and Kentucky. Two new shows joined last week.

The Mitchell & Sanger Monarch Carnival Co. opened its season May 29 at Kokomo, Ind. The company has been much enlarged. It has ten pay shows, six free attractions and its own band of twenty pieces.

The street fair will be held at Boonville, Mo., Aug. 14-20, instead of Aug. 10-17 as previously announced in these columns. Boonville is considered one of the best show towns in Missouri. Street fairs have been held there for the past two years, and both turned out big successes.

Geo. H. Weber is promoter for the Fred. Hewitt Exposition Shows, and J. E. Maginnis is special representative. Mr. Weber writes that they have already booked some good towns and the shows are working north, playing three more towns in Indiana, and then going into Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Mr. E. Brown writes: I am now connected with the Greater Baltimore Exposition and will have entire charge of the press, the privileges and the merchants' advertising. This big affair will open June 12, and continue four weeks, under the auspices of the Fresh Air Society. It will be one of the biggest affairs in Baltimore's history.

The shows with the Brundage & Fisher Amusement Co. are as follows: Electric Theatre, Old Plantation, Glass Show, Vaudeville Show, Dog and Pony Show, House-Upside-Down, Statue Turning to Life and Benham & Thompson's World's Musee; besides a Merry-go-Round and Ferris Wheel. The free acts are a band of twelve pieces, balloon ascension, high dive and electric wire walking.

C. W. Nichols, business manager of the Patterson-Brainerd Carnival Co., reports business as first-class since the opening at Beaumont, Tex., April 3. They have encountered some very bad weather in the southwest, but the attendance has been good and business consequently profitable. At Chillum, Mo., on May 15, a number of tents were demolished and much damage resulted to other properties from a severe wind storm.

Dave Davenport, one of the free attractions with the Hoss & Naumann Carnival Co., met with an accident at Crestline, Ohio, which will incapacitate him for work for several weeks. Dave fell forty feet on a brick pavement at Crestline, sustaining a double fracture of the elbow. He wishes to thank his many friends and the members of the Hoss & Naumann Carnival Co. for their liberal donation made him while en route to Canal Dover, Ohio, May 21.

Zora is the feature of Hunt Brothers & Kelso's Philippine Exhibit, en route with the Fred. Hewitt Exposition Shows. Her managers write that she is a study in natural history and caters especially to the intellectual class. Henry Hunt exhibits some of the native musical instruments and Mr. Kelso takes the crowd from the United States to the Philippines every twenty minutes. Carl Bartels is ticket seller and door talker. Business so far is pronounced good, though at Linton, Ind., it rained nearly all week.

The Frees Brothers write that they are featuring their great comedy act with the Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co., and are making a big hit from start to finish. The Genette Sisters, in their flying trapeze work, are also scoring a hit with this company. The rest of the performers are Paul Brochard, color-toulist; Millie Brochard, rolling globe; Velda and Zella, hand balancers, and Datto and Mollie in marvelous barrel jumping. They are playing to big houses regardless of bad weather.

The White City Amusement Co. opened at Cullman, Ala., under a solid blaze of lights, with big success and a town packed with people. They carry a heavy stock of paper and bill like a circus. They also carry their own decorations and decorate the town. The following shows compose the line-up: Ferris wheel, merry-go-round, Almee, Electric Palace, Ping Pong Girls, Virginia Plantation, Dog and Pony Show, Bosco, Hindu Mystery and numerous concessions. Mr. Finnigan has just purchased the All-Star Vaudeville Shows, including about \$1,000 worth of paper.

Notes from the Hoss & Naumann United Shows: We opened at Paulding, Ohio, to fair business. From there we went to Crestline, where it rained the first three days. However, the latter part of the week was good, and everybody got money. The shows are as follows: Great Train Bobbery, Lady Minstrels, Palace of Mystery, Creation, Little Dudley, Radium Palace, Moonshiners, Statue Turning to Life, Sam Berlin's Asiatic Wild Girl, Merry-go-Round and Ferris Wheel. The free acts are

Davenport and Heaton in their flying trapeze act, Marvelous Hillman Family in their Roman ring and webbing act, and James J. Grand, the prince of high wire performers.

The personnel of the different shows of the Compostoutan Amusement Co. is as follows: H. Snyder, general manager; J. K. Anderson, assistant general manager; E. E. Gardner, general agent; Max French, press agent; L. L. Cole, secretary; Mrs. H. Snyder, cashier; Mrs. J. B. Anderson, treasurer; Al Merrihew, director of band; F. H. Glas, chief electrician; M. V. Bunton, chief engineer; M. L. French, master of transportation; C. E. Pool, carpenter and general constructor; Al Rosewood, steward; Pop Baldwin, Show No. 1, presenting the Bank Burglary, Lysching at Cripple Creek and Stage Coach Bobbery; Gentleman John Miller, Show No. 2, presenting Shoeel in the radium dance; Edison's Train Bobbery and The Counterfeiters; M. A. Gawdy, Show No. 3, presenting the Royal Lilliputians, and Princess Nouna; George Monroe, Show No. 4, lady athletes and physical culture exercises; Chas. Sturm, Show No. 5, presenting Peter the Great, the largest snake in captivity; Mrs. John Nelson, Show No. 6, exhibiting dogs and monkeys; Tantiager & Newkirk, Show No. 7, wild west and Indian congress; E. Z. Wilson, Show No. 8, featuring the Tyrolean Alps; Mr. Boby Bunker, Show No. 9, with the Katzenjammer Castle; Harry Albaugh, Show No. 10, Venetian Glass Palace; Geo. H. Proctor, Show No. 11, The Old Arkansas Minstrels; Frank Colgrove, Show No. 12, Penny Vaudeville Arcade; Edw. E. Stott, manager Ferris wheel; G. C. Birchfield, carry-us-all. The free attractions include the Wilsons in the loop the loop, Th. Cronwell, the aerial meteors; Prof. Laredo on the slack wire and Chico, the monkey aeronaut.

Notes from the C. W. Parker Amusement Co.: We opened at Terrell, Tex., the winter quarters, April 24, and enjoyed good business during the week. During the winter months all the fronts have been reglided and repainted, and all the other properties repaired and repainted, and everything brought to a very high standard of excellence. The company is carrying twenty-one cars this season, all painted a bright yellow, in honor of the Sunflower State, the home of the Parker amusement enterprises. The executive staff for the season of 1905 is as follows: C. W. Parker, founder; J. H. Edwards, owner; H. B. McGregor, manager; Harley Tyler, general agent; George Rich, W. E. Welch, Harry Busenbark, and Harry Hopping, thirty-day agents; John Urie, auditor; S. F. Warde, treasurer; James Hankerson, secretary and E. B. Reed, press agent. Others on the Parker staff are Bernard Keys, master of transportation; Harry Brown, assistant manager of transportation; Fred. Williams, master of properties; Jack Lucky, master mechanic; W. L. Hamilton, chief electrician; George Thompson, boss carpenter; Harry Martin, blacksmith; John Fleiser, organ master; W. C. Cannon, boss hostler; Terre Hunt, chief engineer; Sid Jones, boss wagon man; Arthur Land, superintendent of construction; Watt Morris, chef; Geo. Spencer and Tom Friday, assistant chefs; Dad McGee, billboard agent, and Mr. Badger, manager of privilege car. The roster of attractions is as follows: Coliseum, Jerry Alton, manager; Teddie Warde, orator, featuring the Alton Troupe of acrobats; Fakko, tapese head balancer; Sidd, equilibrist; Amarillo, slack wire; Dora, Devil Mifo, leaping the volcanic gap; and as a special feature, The Girl From Athens, looping the loop. Electric Theatre—Mrs. J. H. Edwards, manager; Dave Morris, orator; Lloyd Hutchinson, operator; Rock Mountain Hank, outside attraction. Pretty Peggy from Paris—H. B. McGregor, manager; D. MacGregor, ticket seller; Cora Mae Benson, Pretty Peggy; Otto Ross, electrician; Nellie Byrd, Martha Byrd, Edna Hamilton, Bessie Skidmore, Helen Rich, Hilda Williams, Violet Gray, chorus girls; Will Skidmore, musical director. Dog and Pony Show—Prof. Tom Samwells, manager; Al Meyer, ticket seller. Tyrolean Alps—Harry Nestor, manager; Mrs. Alton, ticket seller; Lorin Landus, operator. Bohemian Glass Blowers—W. F. Wallace, manager; Mrs. Wallace, ticket seller; and troupe of lady and gentlemen glass blowers. Kartjammer Kastle—Jack Benson, manager; George Martin, ticket seller. Motoscope Parlor—Mr. Badger, manager. Miniature Railroad—George Tead, manager. Crazy House—W. F. Wallace, manager. \$10.00 Carry-Us-All—Walter Brooks, manager. Natural History Booth—L. C. Shipley, manager. Oriental Temple of Palmistry—Al Strod, manager; Romany Gypsel, Seralda, Prof. Levitch, Ismael, Arbaccia, Electric Studio—C. W. Gerlach, manager. Some of the free attractions are: Florence Spray, lady high diver; Electric Fountain, Chas. Keader, operator; Old Fashioned Rube Wagon; The Bonivitas, aerial performers; Band of Outcheecas, Chilean wonders; and the C. W. Parker Band of twenty-four musicians.

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ANOTHER "SANDBAG" GAME

Our notice has been called so repeatedly to that provision of the Constitution of the Associated Billposters which makes it imperative that all billposters in towns of 5,000 population and over that we have begun to think there might possibly be something in it that required our attention. In looking over the correspondence on the subject one fact came to our notice that is significant: the committee appointed to revise the Constitution, in which the question clause occurs, was composed of J. F. O'Mealla, R. C. Campbell and Barney Link. Funny, isn't it, that those three names should be linked with all shady transactions. We will admit that the connection of those names sharpened our appetite for an investigation of the subject. Here's to it.

The provision complained of is found in Article XVI, Section 13 (there's a hoodo number to start with). This section reads as follows:

"All subordinate Association members in towns of less than 5,000 population shall be entitled to all rights, privileges and protection granted a member of this Association, except as provided in Article V of this Constitution. All members of subordinate Associations in towns of 5,000 and over population shall also become members of this Association; failure of such subordinate Association members in towns of 5,000 and over population to identify themselves with this Association, after proper notification, shall deprive them of all rights, privileges and protection of this Association, including the publication of name in official organ big list.

There you are—another "sandbag" proposition, and by the same combination that hatched out the "Secondary Franchise."

In the first place we want our readers to understand that we are approaching this subject in a spirit of humility. This Constitution is truly a wonderful piece of work. It is almost certain that 'Squire Frost helped out on this job, though Messrs. Campbell, O'Mealla and Link may try to rob him of the credit by making affidavits that they did it themselves all alone. But, no matter, it is done and all men should approach it with due respect.

It will be observed that, in reprinting the section in question, we have made a portion of it prominent. It is that clause of which complaint is made, the principal complaint being that it was not adopted by the convention or, what is more to the point, that it was defeated when offered for adoption. This opens up a decidedly interesting line of thought. The writer was not present at the convention that considered this question and can not say whether or not the allegation is true. There is ample ground for the belief that, if the clause named was rejected by the convention, the committee would not have hesitated to claim its adoption and interpolate it afterward in the printed Constitution. They were reasonably safe in doing so, because very few persons can recall the action taken on each clause.

Whether that provision intended to compel all members of State Associations in towns of 5,000 and over to join the Association was or was not adopted, is hardly worth discussing. The real question is: Can the clause be enforced? On this point there are doubts. Also, is the threat to deprive a billposter of the "rights, privileges and protection of this Association" a strong enough bluff? What are the "rights and privileges" and what is the "protection" that comes to a member of the National Association that he does not get as a member of a State Association? We can think of none just now. The State Association guarantees a member against opposition just as effectively; it protects his rate and keeps him posted regarding bad accounts; it sends to advertisers a list of its members. What more does the National Association do? Publishes the members name in the "big list," you say. True, but if that big list does not circulate among advertisers, what good will it do a billposter. Solicit-

tors do not use it, because of its many and glaring inaccuracies, both as to names of billposters and populations. In fact, the "big list," as now published, is billposting mis-directory and a great detriment to the individual billposter.

The penalty for not joining the National Association is not so severe, therefore, as it would seem to be, for it does not affect the standing of a member in the State Association. This conclusion is substantiated by the position taken by the Pennsylvania Association, which says in its Constitution, Article XVI: National Membership—that members not joining the National Association will have the backing of the State Association.

Already a number of billposters, who come under the shadow of the "Big Stick" have notified the secretary that he may take their names from the "big list" as soon as he pleases. Suppose there should be a general revolt of this nature all along the line—and such a thing is a possibility at any time—there would be serious times for the Constitution tinkers.

There is one fact that should be kept strictly in mind by the officers of both National and State Associations which is that trade organizations are for the benefit of the individual members thereof and not for the glorification of any men or set of men who happen to be chosen as officials of those organizations. This is the trouble with the Associated Billposters just now; two or three men imagine that a halo hovers over their devoted heads and, like the king that can do no wrong, they have no apologies to make for any of their official acts, past, present or future, to quote Barney.

It is possible to organize the billposting business of this country upon an economical and businesslike basis; to cut out all the Pullman Cars, Big Cigars and High Balls, and other money-burning contingencies, which will make it unnecessary to enact rules like the one quoted for the purpose of increasing the revenue.

BUTTINSKI.

SOUTHEASTERN REVISED

A report from our correspondent at Birmingham, Ala., led us to believe that the officers of the Southeastern States Billposters Association had been re-elected. 'Twas a mistake, this is the successful slate: president, S. S. Van Beuren, of Memphis, Tenn.; vice-president, Frank H. Powers, Macon, Ga.; secretary and treasurer, Charles R. Collins, Jackson, Tenn. Delegates to the National Convention, H. E. Stoops and H. L. DeGive. The offices of secretary and treasurer have been combined. Jacksonville, Fla., was named as the place for the next annual meeting.

PRES. JOSEPH'S STATEMENT

President Joseph called at the office of The Billboard May 26. He was very cheerful, and expressed himself unreservedly with regard to the trouble in Philadelphia and the pending trial. He thinks there is but one possible outcome with a fair hearing—acquittal and complete vindication. Nor was he playing at makebelieve. He was sincere in what he said and his sanguinity was not simulated when he averred that he will prove that the grand jury heard only manufactured testimony against himself and his brothers of the alliance; that the detectives employed by the posting company were, for want of tangible evidence of an attempt to prevent the work of non-union billposters by assault, forced to the exigency of stating only possibilities as actual occurrences; that the physical condition of the men accused of using physical violence at the instance of the union, is an affront to the judgment of the heads of the organization, inasmuch as both are puny, in bad health, and altogether incapable of the crime with which they are charged, and that if the union had resorted to such meth-

ods, they certainly should have chosen better specimens of brawn and muscle than the prosecution has hit upon. There was a twinkle in Mr. Joseph's eye as he said this, showing that the circumstance has not impaired his sense of humor. There was also an anticipation of the vigor with which he will fight the case in his recital of the conditions in the Quaker City during the strike. The case is on the court calendar and may be called for hearing anytime within the next fortnight.

ALLIANCE LOCAL FOR BALTIMORE

On Sunday, May 21, there was organized at Baltimore, Md., a local union of the National Billposters and Billers which will be known as No. 36. It starts out with a membership of 21. These are the officers elect: president, Dan Marks; vice-president, E. W. Wickes; secretary, J. E. Dew; treasurer, W. H. Wight; sergeant-at-arms, J. M. Sansel; business agents, E. O. Tress and Thomas Montgomery.

DAUBS

A recent fire at Sheffield, Ala., that cleaned up an entire block in the heart of the city, included the work shop of the Sheffield Billposting Co. H. B. Elmore, the proprietor, reports a total loss.

Meilinger Bros., of Cumberland, Md., have these posters on their boards: Mall Fouch, Lion Coffee, Blue Jay Corn Plaster, Wine of Cardui, Moxie, Dutch Java Coffee, Fairy Soap, Sunnybrook Rye, and considerable local posting.

North Adams, Mass., has an iron-clad distributing ordinance which is being enforced against traveling distributors because of the illness of a number of children caused by the indiscriminate distribution of medicine samples. The council of that city is also framing up a billposting ordinance.

"I have more local merchants advertising on my billboards right now than ever before," writes Paul Gallia, of Gainesville, Tex. Then he adds, "but I tell you, it takes hustling to get them; it seems as if they were all from Missouri and you have to show them."

Notwithstanding the strong agitation by the newspapers of Portland, Ore., for an ordinance that would prohibit billposting, Messrs. Foster & Kleiser will still be able to do business. At a recent meeting of the board of aldermen the prohibitive ordinance was turned down and a license granted on the old terms.

The Newark Billposting Co., of Newark, N. J., has purchased a big 70 horse power Winton touring car for the convenience of advertisers who wish to inspect the territory included in that company's sphere of activity. Manager Slocum has also invested in another thoroughbred Kentucky mare, purchased in Knoxville last week, and has negotiated for a choice Orange County farm where the company's horses will take an occasional vacation.

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cancelled at Goldstone, N. C. They played for the benefit of the Confederate Drama Corp. It was the best and cleanest carnival company that ever exhibited here, and they did very good business, with the exception of the first two nights, when this intervened.

ROANOKE—Academy of Music (Harry Bernstein, mgr.) Gagnon Pollock Stock Co. closed the season at this house 20, after a very successful run of four weeks.

Mountain Park Casino opens 20 with the Frank Wallace Stock Co., playing *Hold By The Enemy* for the first week, to be followed by *Whose Baby Is It?*

LYNCHBURG—Academy of Music. Otis Skinner in *The Harvester* 19; pleased good house. Casino. The regular season opens about June 1. The American Company, by an amateur company, will be presented 15.

OCEAN VIEW—The Casino (Jake Wells, owner, Otto Wells, mgr.) Opens June 3, with the Walter Edwards Co. as the attraction.

WASHINGTON

SEATTLE—Grand Opera House (John Cort, mgr.) Grace Vandendorp in *Red Feather* 21-24; Nat. C. Goodwin in *The Usurper* and *A Gilded Fool* 25-27; Ysaye in concert June 1; Chaucery O'Leary in *A Romance of Athlone* 4-6; Barney Bernard in *The Financier* 12-14.

Seattle Theatre (John P. Howe, mgr.) *Dark* 21-23. The Watson Co. in *The Christian* and *Peaceful Valley* 25-June 4.

Third Avenue Theatre (Emmett & Drew, mgrs.) Charles Eric Verner in *Robert Emmet* 22-27; *The Clay Baker* week 23.

Orpheum Theatre (Thomas Conditine, mgr.) Vanderville. Wardell and Zandara, Will C. Hoyt, The James Clever Conkey, Ed. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Levy, Orrin McKnight, and moving pictures.

Pantages Theatre (Alex. Pantages, mgr.) Vanderville. Ted McKenna, Roberts Sisters, Alice Raymond, Kallier, Hall and Trained Lion, Morrill and Kewer, moving pictures, and Leo White.

Star Theatre (S. Morton Cohn, mgr.) Vanderville. Monday evening a new vaudeville bill was given headed by Feichl's Tyrolean Quintet, The Brewers, Zororro, Tommy Mack, Nellie Gerin, Cole and Cole, McIntyre, Fletcher and McIntyre, and biograph pictures.

Strand Theatre (Mose Goldsmith, mgr.) Vanderville. Del Adelphi, Seton and Doagle, Nelly Cody, James Townsend, and Salome.

Norris & Rowe's Circus and Menagerie May 22-24; big business. LEM A. SHORTRIDGE.

WISCONSIN

KENOSHA—Rhode Opera House (Jos. G. Rhode, mgr.) Bennett-Moulton Co. 21-23; good business. A Little Outcast 30.

Rijou Family Theatre (O'Brien & Jones, mgrs.) Bill week 21. Alf. Holt, Flood Sisters, Harry and May Howard, Wm. Anderson, Norman, The Frogman, and moving pictures to good business. From present indications this city will have three vaudeville houses during the coming summer season.

EAU CLAIRE—Grand Opera House (C. D. Moon, mgr.) A Royal Slave 15; fair business. Mrs. Fiske 17; good business. Pittsburgh Orchestra 20; Kettle, The News Girl, June 3; Breckinridge Stock Co. week June 5.

Palace. Moving pictures and vaudeville to fair business. Circus—Gollmar Brothers June 6.

FOND DU LAC—Crescent Opera House (P. B. Haber, mgr.) East Lynne 16; capable company, good audience. A Trip to Egypt 17; pleased fair audience. Midnight in Chinatown 20; fair business. El Flankard 24. Circus—Forepaugh-Bells Brothers 31.

ASHLAND—Grand Opera House (W. T. Seeger, mgr.) Jessie James 15; fair business. A Little Outcast 17; fair house. Sweethearts 27; Flora DeVoss Stock Co. 29.

CANADA

LONDON—Grand (J. R. Torton, mgr.) My Friend The Enemy 17; pleased only fair house. John Griffith 20. Through the kindness of Manager Torton, the stage hands will receive a benefit 23. The bill will include Henry Lee and The Dollar Droupe of Acrobats.

Bennet's Vaudeville (C. W. Bennet, prop.) Good business. Bill week 15: Owen and Owen, Villiers and Lee, Primrose and Robb, Morgan and Crose, A. H. Tyrrell and Smith and Abasco, J. G. Irwin's Dogs was the feature.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Opera House (A. O. Skinner, mgr.) Anne Blanche in *A Little Outcast* 18-20; good business. Miss Blanche played a three-months' engagement here with the Valentine Stock Co. some years ago and received a very warm welcome on her return. Coming: The Gunner's Mate, Bowle Concert Co., A Wayward Son, Hunting for Hawkins, The Village Grocer, and A Hot Old Time.

York (R. J. Armstrong, mgr.) Sweet Clover 15-20; competent company and good business.

BELLEVILLE—Carmen Opera House (L. E. Carmer, mgr.) Babes in Toyland 18; packed house. John Griffith in *Macbeth* 25; Richards & Pringle's Minstrels 27.

Additional Correspondence

ARKANSAS

HOT SPRINGS—New Auditorium Theatre (Brigham & Head, mgrs.) Dark.

Grand Opera House (Brigham & Head, mgrs.) Dark entire week. Item—Frank Head and family will leave early in June on their annual trip to New York.

CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES—Mason Opera House (H. G. Wyatt, les. and mgr.) Barney Bernard, the clever Hebrew impersonator, returns to this city not as a vaudeville star but at the head of his own company. The play in which he will appear is entitled *The Financier*, and as Barney is very popular here the indications are that this playhouse will be filled to its capacity every evening of his engagement.

Burbank Theatre (Oliver Morosco, les. and mgr.) The Imperial Highway is the offering of the Burbank Stock Co. week 21. Judging from

the box office receipts of opening night and the heavy advance sale, a good run is assured.

Belasco Theatre (H. E. Blackwood, mgr.) The Belasco Stock Co. are seen to advantage in *Clyde Fish's* play, *The Girl and The Judge*. It is brim full of humor and convulsed a large audience opening night.

Grand Opera House (Thomas Baker, mgr.) *Fast Life in New York*, presented by the United Stock Co., is drawing the crowds to the Grand, where melodrama is so greatly appreciated. The scenes are well laid and the parts well taken.

Orpheum (Clarence Brown, mgr.) Mme. Slepoffski, the soprano who made such a hit here last season, returns this week crowned with eastern laurels. Lavender and Tomson present a sketch that takes well; Leadallas, Parisian dancer, make their first appearance here and were well received; May Vokes in her pleasing act; Ed. Blouddell and Julia West in new eccentricities; Klein, Ott Brothers and Nicholson furnish music; and William Tomkins, with his topical talks, round out a bill that is crowding the house every performance.

Charles Park and Theatre (Henry Koch, mgr.) Sunday, 21, the big attraction at the park was Innes and his band. This is the greatest single attraction Manager Koch has presented in the history of the park. The complete Innes Band, with its great leader, secured for two concerts only at a cost of \$1,000, the highest price ever paid to a band for a single day's performance in Los Angeles. Beginning at 2:30 o'clock the band offered a masterpiece program in the open-air band stand. Every available foot of ground in the immense park was covered by the perfectly good-natured crowd that jostled and pushed to get a nearer view of the great Innes. At four o'clock the Innes Band left the stand and Donatelli's Italian Band took their place to be greeted by round and round of applause, showing the popularity of the Italians who have been so brilliantly entertaining Chutes patrons for the past few months. In the evening a magnificent concert was rendered by Innes' Band, augmented by the superb soloists in the theatre, which was packed from pit to dome and was a fitting conclusion to a bumper day.

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COLORADO

DENVER—Business during the week just closed has been very good. This week witnesses the opening of the summer season, and the best attractions of the year will be produced.

The Orpheum closed its doors 21, and will reopen early in the fall.

The Tabor Grand is dark this week. Coming: Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. Broadway Theatre (E. F. McCourt, mgr.) Beginning 25, the great Marlowe-Sothern combination will play four performances, producing Shakespearean plays. The advance sale is good.

Elitch's Gardens (Mrs. Elitch-Long, mgr.) That well-known actress, Minnie Maddern Fiske, plays a short engagement at the Gardens, opening 25, and closing 27. She will produce *Leah Kleschna*. The advance seat sale has been very heavy.

Manhattan Beach (W. H. Lawrence, mgr.) The White City by The Lake will throw open its gates to the public 27. Manager Lawrence promises many new and pleasing attractions.

New Curtis Theatre (A. R. Pelton, mgr.) Business is very good at this popular little house. The piece produced this week is entitled *In The Hands of The Enemy*. The piece is well staged and acted by people of merit. The specialties are all good. Coming: The Young Scout.

New Crystal Theatre (Geo. I. Adams, mgr.) A very good bill is drawing large houses. Those appearing this week are Wynn and Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, Jas. E. and Maud E. Ryan, Verne McPherson, Louis Flakewalk, Queen and Ross, and the moving pictures.

Novelty Theatre (Henry Lubelski, mgr.) Business splendid. The bill this week includes *Mine Onedia*, Sam Hood, Miss Burton, Fraser Comedy Four, Tulsa, Heddendorf and Kruse, and the moving pictures. J. D. McGINNIS, 2331 W. 31st st.

FLORIDA

JACKSONVILLE—The Southern Stock Co. with Mabel Paige, opened Phoenix Park 15 to good business, playing an indefinite engagement.

GEORGIA

ATLANTA—The Grand (H. L. and J. L. De Giv, mgrs.) Closed for season.

The Bijou (Jake Wells, les.) Closed for season.

The Star (J. B. Thompson, mgr.) A strong vaudeville bill drew well for week 22.

The Casino (Jake Wells, mgr.) Olympia Opera Co. for week 22 presented *The Girl From Paris*. The bill proved a good drawing card, as the theatre was comfortably filled at each performance. Next: Wells-Dunne-Harlan Co.

ILLINOIS

CHICAGO—There is no gainsaying the fact that the teamsters' strike is seriously effecting theatrical business at our popular priced houses. With a superior line of attractions the first-class theatres, however, are not visibly effected.

Illinois Theatre (Will J. Davis, mgr.) Commencing Monday, May 29, Geo. M. Cohan in *Little Johnny Jones* for a run.

Powers Theatre (Harry J. Powers, mgr.) Commencing Sunday, May 28, the second edition of *The Isle of Bong Song*, with Charles Ross in the leading role, for a run.

Grand Opera House (Harry Askin, mgr.) Beginning Sunday, May 28, Lew Fields' Co. in *It Happened in Nordland*, for a summer engagement.

Great Northern Theatre (Fred. C. Eberts, mgr.) Commencing Sunday, May 28, for an extended engagement, *Buster Brown*.

Studebaker Theatre (R. E. Harmeyer, mgr.) *The Virginian*.

Garrick Theatre (Samuel P. Gerson, mgr.) *Piff, Paff, Pout*.

LaSalle Theatre (B. E. Mackey, bus. mgr.) *The Isle of Spice*.

McVicker's Theatre (Geo. C. Warren, bus. mgr.) All *Rebels* Chicago.

Hyde & Belmont's Theatre (Archib. H. Ellis, mgr.) *Kafooselum*. The production is being rapidly whipped into line and promises to be a winner.

Bush Temple (Elizabeth Schoeber, mgr.) *Old Heidelberg*.

People's Theatre (Lennie Davis, mgr.) *Knobs O' Tennessee*.

Thirty-first Street Theatre (Millie Willard Nelson, mgr.) *Stock*.

Criticism Theatre (Ben. Brock, mgr.) *The James Boys in Missouri*.

Howard's Theatre (Chas. W. Burdill, mgr.) *Saved From The Sea*.

Alhambra Theatre (J. H. Brown, mgr.) *The Minister's Daughters*.

Columbia Theatre (Weber Bros. mgrs.) *Stock, Olympic Theatre* (A. Jacobs, mgr.) *For Kohl & Casle*, Vanderville.

Chicago Opera House (Kohl & Casle, mgrs.) Beginning June 12, *The Land of Nod*.

Haymarket Theatre (W. W. Freeman, mgr.) *For Kohl & Casle*, Vanderville.

Broader Theatre (Bob. Falton, mgr.) *The Jolly Grass Widows*.

Folly Theatre (Bob. Falton, mgr.) *The Vagabond Burlesquers*. WARREN A. PATEICE.

ROCKFORD—Grand Opera House (Geo. E. Peck, mgr.) *Martha's U. T. C.* 15; good business. Cooper's Moving Pictures 21; Elchard Mansfield June 1.

Harlem Park opened May 20 and did a big business entire week.

DECATUR—Powers' Grand Opera House (J. F. Given, mgr.) *Merry Melodists* 17; Richard Mansfield in *Ben Brummel* 15; Lyceum Comedy Co. week 22; Ben Greet & Co. 23; The Factory Girl 19, and Dora Thorne 20; canceled.

Dreamland Park, Vanderville week 20; good business.

KANSAS

WINFIELD—Grand Opera House (E. R. Byers, mgr.) Closed 22 with the Columbia Opera Co. in *Erminie*, or *The Two Vagabonds*, to good business. Circus—Elston Brothers' Show 17; two performances to good business.

MICHIGAN

MARQUETTE—Opera House (A. Koepke, mgr.) Dvorak-Davidson Stock Co. week 15; canceled. Trip to Egypt 22; big business, best musical comedy of season. Alphonse and Gaston 20; Freeman-Fiske Stock Co. week June 19.

OWASO—Opera House (C. Nielsenbacher, mgr.) A *Burlesque's Sweetheart* 22; fair house. *The Taming of The Shrew* 25. Circus—The Wallace Shows June 10.

MISSOURI

ST. LOUIS—St. Louis this week is but fairly supporting her theatrical enterprises. The summer gardens have been doing big Sunday business, but fair attendance rules during the week. It is not due to the class of shows but the weather as yet is not just right. Down town has but two attractions, the Standard Theatre, which is on its closing week, and the Imperial Theatre, where the Rujairo Stock Co. is doing a nice business. The following is the program for the week:

Forest Park Highlands opened to immense business Sunday, and with a bill that thoroughly pleased, contained acts by McMahon and His Midgrets, Eight Vassar Girls, The Four Rianos, Therese Dorgeval, Imperial Comedy Four, Dou and Thompson, and Sebeck Brothers.

West End Heights opened their summer season Sunday to big business. Waseburn & Saylor's Comedians were the attraction and presented *The Man From Mexico*. The performance was first class and pleased greatly. Being excellently put on, an elegant impression has been made.

Suburban Park. Will's Comedians began their second week with the *Two Old Cronies* as the attraction. It seemed to offer just the right kind of amusement, as the large attendance of Sunday went away pleased. The company is above the average summer season one, and is doing a nice business.

Delmar Garden will open Sunday with *The Girl From Paris* as the attraction, and a strong company is now rehearsing the same.

Standard Theatre. Sam Devere's Own Co. is the closing attraction of the Standard. A big house greeted them at the opening performance. It is a very pleasing entertainment and well mounted. The olio includes McCrea and Pool, Gertrude LeClaire, Sam Devere, The Schrodes, Marion and Pearl and others; business fair.

Imperial Theatre. The Rujairo Stock Co. put on *The Crest of Society* and pleased a large house Sunday. The company is ably cast, and the play carefully staged; business fair.

Manager O. C. Crawford of the Crawford Springs, returned this week from West Baden Springs, where he went at the close of the season. He is prepared to equip three companies to take the road in the fall. * * John Woltjen of the Woodland Co., passed through the city Monday, after a business trip to Memphis, Tenn. He will go to the lakes of Wisconsin for the summer. He has just closed a fifty-five weeks' tour with Savage's company.

CLINTON—Bixman Opera House (W. P. Jarvis, mgr.) Closed season with Dora Thorne 12; fair audience. Circus—Wm. P. Hall Shows June 6.

MONTANA

HELENA—Edson Theatre (Jno. J. Clark, mgr.) Bill week 21 drew good business and included Fred Hayden, concertina king; Parish, singing ventriloquist; illustrated songs by Mabel Elge, and *The Three Moors in Country School* at Skinners. Item—G. W. Eastman, who has had charge of the Edson for the past two years, has retired from business and is succeeded by Jno. J. Clark.

Central Park (O. G. Fredericks, mgr.) Opened 21 to good business.

NEBRASKA

NEBRASKA CITY—Overland Theatre (Clarence Claggitt, mgr.) Cushman St. Clair Co. 18-20; fair business. F. Daniel Frawley in *Ransom's Folly* 23.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK CITY—The theatres which have closed for the season are the Belasco, Berkeley Lyceum, Broadway, Circle, Cretasco, Daly's, Field's, Garden, Garrick, Liberty, Madison Square, Majestic, Manhattan, Metropolitan, Murray Hill, New Lyceum, Princess, Savoy, Wallack's, and Weber's Music Hall.

New Amsterdam Theatre (Klaw & Erlanger, mgrs.) Truly closed at this theatre on May 27. The *New Amsterdam Roof Garden* will open June 5.

Knickerbocker Theatre (Al. Hayman, mgr.) Sergeant Brue, with Frank Daniels, is playing to capacity.

Empire Theatre (Chas. Frohman, mgr.) *Marie Tempest* in *The Freedom of Suzanne* began her

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last week, May 29, after which she will return to Europe.

Lyric Theatre (Shubert Brothers, mgrs.) *Fantasia* began its seventeenth week May 29.

New York Theatre (Klaw & Erlanger, mgrs.) Geo. Cohan closed his engagement at this theatre May 27. The *New York Roof Garden* opened May 20 with Walter Damroch and the *New York Symphony*.

Bijou Theatre (Henry B. Sire, mgr.) David Wardell in *The Music Master* began his twenty-first and last week at this theatre May 29.

Hudson Theatre (Henry B. Harris, mgr.) *The Heir to The Hoopah* is playing to excellent business.

Grand Opera House (Geo. H. Springer, mgr.) *Peggy From Paris* opened May 29 to an excellent house.

Harlem Opera House (Alex. Lichtenstein, mgr.) Adelaide Keim and her stock company are playing to capacity business.

Fourteenth Street Theatre (J. Wesley Rosequest, mgr.) *My Tom Boy Girl*, with Lottie Williams in the title role, has extended its engagement at this theatre indefinitely.

Metropolis Theatre (Henry Rosenberg, mgr.) The week of May 29 will be devoted to a straight vaudeville show.

American Theatre (Klaw, Erlanger & Wells, mgrs.) *Fedora* is the attraction at the American this week.

Yorkville Theatre (M. E. Blumberg, mgr.) *The Silver King* is the attraction presented by the Yorkville Stock Co. this week.

Proctor's Fifty-eighth Street, One-hundred-twenty-fifth Street and Fifth Avenue Theatres (J. Austin Fynes, gen. mgr.) *Stock*: Drama and vaudeville.

Third Avenue Theatre (A. H. Woods, mgr.) *Uncle Tom's Cabin* is the attraction this week. The theatre will close for the season June 3.

New Star Theatre (Wm. T. Keogh, mgr.) *The Black Mask* is drawing the usual houses to the Star.

New York Hippodrome (Thompson & Dundy, mgrs.) Circus and spectacular drama.

Wisdom Theatre (Al. H. Woods, mgr.) *The Span of Life* is the attraction this week. The house will close for the season June 3.

BUFFALO—Park Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) *The Farm Stock Co.* presented Brother Odors to excellent patronage last week. Jane Daker was charmingly clever in her role. This week, *Under The Red Robe*.

Lyceum Theatre (J. Laughlin, mgr.) East Lynne was very well liked by good sized houses last week. Miss Marion S. Barney was exceptionally good. This week, *Mildred Holland* is *The Power Behind The Throne*.

Shea's Garden Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) Al. Lawrence and Adgie and her troupe scored heavily last week. This week Lester Loorgan & Co., Chas. T. Aldrich, Pat Rooney, Ben Welch, Aurie Dargel, and the biograph.

Lafayette Theatre (Chas. M. Baker, mgr.) *The Bowery Burlesquers* gave a very pleasing performance to good business last week. Sunday, 21, Mack and Thorpe were the hit of the bill rendered as a benefit to Edward B. Shantler. This week, *The Kentucky Belles*.

The Athletic Park opened to an immense crowd 22. Helene Gerard gave the cleverest trained horse act seen here in years. The Hungarian Boys' Band of thirty-five pleased the throngs, and a good vaudeville bill, comprising Miles and Raymond, The Oysts, Corby and Burke and Beadie Lamb were very well received by the big audience in the theatre. The *Figure Eight Roller Coaster* and *The Olds Mill* did a tremendous business, not being able to accommodate all. Marion S. Barney and Aurie Webb are the features in the theatre this week, while Scinta's Band will give daily concerts. The park will not be completed until Decoration Day, so will mention a few of those that are now doing business: T. S. Mollerton is super intendent of the *Figure Eight*. Manager A. Seera has in his *Gypsy Camp* Madam Julian, Princess Noma and Queen Magalya. S. L. Robertson has *The Olds Mill*, *Cave of The Winds*, and *Haunted Castle* concessions.

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The two popular *Buffalonians*, Sammie Lynch and John J. Brown, are sure to make a big success of their *Zig-Zig Alley*. The S. L. Robertson Amusement invited the press and city officials of Buffalo and Niagara Fall to an inspection of their park, at the Falls, May 23.

A banquet at the Cataract House followed the inspection. The writer never saw a prettier or more sensational *Figure Eight Roller Coaster* than the one at this park. Mr. E. E. Gregg, the man behind all the principal roller coasters in this country, and president of the Ingersoll Construction Co., was in town Monday and Tuesday.

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LOUISIANA

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MAINE

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NEW JERSEY

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NEW YORK

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OHIO

Alliance—Lake Park, E. E. Merrill. Akron—Lakeside Park, H. A. Hawn. Springfield Lake Park, John E. Hill; Germania Park, Charles Both; Silver Lake Park, Will Lodge. Bucyrus—Secalum Park.

Cambridge—Summer Park, H. B. Marston; Electric Park, Hammond Bros., Colonial Theatre. Canal Dever—Sunnyside Park, W. D. Lynch. Canton—Lake Park, L. B. Cool; Ehret's Park, A. Ehret. Celina—Celina Park. Ceylon—Ruggles Beach, C. S. Buggles. Cincinnati—Reichrath's Park, Frank Reichrath; Elkwood Park, Gus Bielag; Krollman's Garden; Chester Park, L. M. Martin; Zoological Garden, S. A. Stephan, mgr.; Cincinnati Zoological Co. props.; Queen City Bathing Beach, W. F. Kroger; Coney Island, Will S. Heck, 1008 First National Bank bldg.; Wooddale Island Park, Frank Witte, 50 E. Eighth st.; Lagoon, J. J. Weaver, W. E. Clark, mgr.; theatre, Ludlow, Ky.; Monarch Park, Frank Krippner; Holtzgrewe Summer Garden, Westwood, Henry Holtzgrewe, mgr., Frank Young, am. mgr., Sta. L. Cleveland—Luna Park, Frederick Ingersoll, 807 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., Ingersoll Hopgins Am. Co., St. James bldg., N. Y. Co. booking agts.; White City, E. Boyce; Euclid Garden Theatre, Max Fraetkenheuer; Trosler Garden Theatre, M. M. Trosler; Euclid Beach Park, Humphrey Co.; Scenic Park, Wm. Olsen; Forest City Park, Humphrey Co.; Puritas Springs; Mulberry Park, Jake Mintz; Chippewa Lake Park, John Kingsborough; Avon Beach Park, M. Kasserman; Chesterland Caves, J. Doyle; Punderson Lake, Eastern Ohio Traction Co. Columbus—Schaefer's Garden Theatre, Frank Schaefer, Sta. C, box 121; Columbus Zoo Co., B. W. Junk, 1103-1105, 145 N. High st.; Collins' Garden, Phil Collins; Olentangy Park and Zoo, J. W. Dusenbury; Indianola Park; A. B. Hatch, 263 N. Monroe ave.; Glenmary Park, A. L. Neeramer, cr. O. D. & M. Ry. Conneaut—Lake View Park, Hayward Estate. Cuyahoga Falls—Silver Lake Park, William R. Lodge. Dayton—Fairview Park, J. L. Breen; Lucas Grove Park; Lakeside Park, J. A. Kirk. Defiance—Island Park, John W. Winne. Dennison—Island Park, Oliver Welch. East Liverpool—Rock Springs Park, J. H. Maxwell, mgr., W. B. McCallum, mgr. theatre. Fostoria—Reeves' Park, E. S. Powley. Gallon—Secalum Park, Becker Bros. Hamilton—Lindenwald Park, J. W. Foster; Woodside Island Park, Frank Witte. Haron—Rye Beach Resort, W. Burna. Ironton—Beechwood Park, A. Thuma; Clydeside Park, N. S. Smith. Kent—Lake Brady Resort, W. H. Handley. Kenton—Idlewild Park; Reeves' Park. Lancaster—Maplewood Park, F. Mattox. Lima—McBeth Park, J. Bus, Smith; McCullough's Park, B. M. McCullough. Lorain—Century Park, Ault & Grant. McArthur—Lake Alma Park, Geo. W. Shockley. Mansfield—Luna Park, G. W. Bahl; Casino Park, E. R. Endley. Marietta—Buckeye Park, Capt. E. W. Webster. Mt. Vernon—Lake Hiawatha Park, E. T. Selig, mgr. Newark—Idlewild Park, Will D. Harris; Buckeye Lake Park, Will D. Harris; Cliff Dale Park, Chas. Sumner Stubbles. Miles—Avon Park, Jos. Weas. Norwalk—Willow Brook Park, Norwalk Pleasure Resort Co., J. C. Gline. Oak Harbor—Locust Point Grove, B. B. Soncrant. Oakley—Monarch Park, Frank Krippner. Perrysburg—Eden Park. Piqua—Fountain Park, Werner Brewing Co., Dayton, O.; Midway Park, Wm. Schumacher. Plymouth—Seaton's Park, S. S. Seaton. Put-in-Bay Island—Palm Beach, Mrs. I. C. Morris. Richmond—Vernon Park, L. Miller. St. Mary's—Salem Sonol Park, F. S. Schmidt; Riverview Park, John W. Bowman. Sandusky—Cedar Point, G. A. Boeckling; Johnson's Island Pleasure Resort, O. L. Goodsite, 730 Ferry st. South Columbus—Schaefer's Garden Theatre, F. Schaefer, Sta. C, box 121. Springfield—Spring Grove Park, O. F. Powell & Son. Stensenville—Altmont Park, F. C. Workman; Stanton Park, F. C. Workman. Tiffin—Meadowbrook Park, J. W. McCormick. Toledo—Bellview Park, J. W. McCormick; Wallbridge Park, J. W. McCormick; Lake Erie Park and Casino, F. Burt; Burt Casino, O. Kilves; Farm, Jos. Pearlstein. Vermillion—Shaddock's Lake Park, C. P. Wald, Wellington—Lake Alma Park, C. K. Davis. Youngstown—Conneaut Lake, Tierney & Berry; Idora Park, E. Stanley; Avon Park, Jos. W. Weas, E. Stanley, am. mgr. Zanesville—Gaut Park, M. S. Gaunders; The Farm, C. W. Morrison, prop., Harold Keller.

OKLAHOMA TERRITORY

Oklahoma City—Riverside Park; Delmar Gardens, Joe. Marie and John Sinopoulos; Colcord Park, Col. C. F. Colcord; Putnam Park, Putnam & Jones.

OREGON

Portland—Fir Grove, Leander Bros.; Shield's Park, Edw. Shields; Hawthorne Springs Park.

PENNSYLVANIA

Allentown—Central Park, M. Eddy Heller; Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre bldg., Phila.; Dorney's Park, F. S. Kinley; Bittersville Park; Manhattan Park; Willow Grove Park. Altoona—Lakemont Park, American Street Ry. Co. owners, S. S. Crane, gen. mgr. Ames F. O., Clearfield Co.—Avondale Park, Chas. Hagan. Beaver Falls—Junction Park, Gaylord Thompson, mgr., Frank Melville, New York, booking agt. Berwick—Fairchild's Park, O. A. Rhinard. Berwindale—Mariposa Park, A. L. Pierce. Bradford—Clarkdale Park, Beaver Valley Traction Co. Brighton—Junction Park, Beaver Valley Traction Co. Butler—Alameda Park, F. Melville, booking mgr., New York City, W. H. Pape, supt., T. Kershaw, res. mgr. Cambridge Springs—Hotel Rider Summer Theatre. Carlisle—Oave Hill Park. Chambersburg—Wolf Lake Park, Aug. Wolf. Charleroi—Eldora Park, T. P. Sloan. Center Square—Central Park, Will O. Sites, Suite 4, The Maples. Chester—Third Street Park. Chestnut Hill—White Marsh Valley Park, Prof. Lingerma's Palace of Amusement. Clearfield—Clearfield Park, B. H. Shaw.

Conneaut Lake—Exposition Park, O. P. Kepler, 1416 Carnegie bldg., Pittsburg. Easton—Oakland Park, J. G. Honecker; Island Park, Eastern Transit Co.; Bushkill Park, Northampton Traction Co., props., Geo. E. Sciple, mgr. Erie—Grove House Park, Four-Mile Creek, H. T. Foster, box 225; Waldamer Park, Thos. Maloney, mgr., F. Melville, New York City, booking agt.; Frontier Park, Frontier Am. Co., State st. Greensburg—Oakford Park, M. A. Coffey, Frank Melville, booking agt. Harrisburg—Paxtang Park, F. M. Davis, box 594; Verno's Dreamland, Verno Churchill, Columbus Hotel. Kittanning—Lenape Park, Kittanning & Lehigh By. Co., F. A. Moesta. Johnstown—Valley Park, S. P. Zimmerman, Jordan bldg.; Luna Park, Phil Oaulfield, Frank Melville, booking agt. Lancaster—Rocky Spring Park, H. B. Griffiths, P. O. box 67, Edward Mozart, mgr. theatre; People's Park and Woolworth Roof Garden, John P. Peoples, mgr. Lebanon—Pennsylvania Park, A. M. Patch; Mt. Getz Park, I. M. Butler. Lime Bridge—Shawnee Park, J. R. Fowler, Bloomsburg, Pa. Lock Haven—Agar's Park, A. L. Lichenwalner. McKeesport—Versailles Park; Olympia Park, J. P. Harris. Manch Chunk—Manila Grove, Tamaqua & Lancaster Traction Co., props., A. O. Fritsch. Monongahela—Monongahela Valley Driving Park; Eldora Park. Mawcastle—Cascade Park, M. E. McCaskey, F. Melville, New York City, booking agt. Norristown—Plymouth Park; H. Hannaway. Oil City—Monarch Park, W. B. McCallum; Smithson's Park, G. H. Berbeck. Philadelphia—Willow Grove Park, Rapid Transit Traction Co., props., F. H. Lincoln; Washington Park, E. Genenger; Chestnut Hill Park, H. E. Auchy; Washington Park on the Delaware, W. J. Thompson; Torredale Park, J. M. Weiner, 631 Chestnut st.; Fox Chase Park, Heller & Glading; Woodside Park, W. I. Deering, 8 S. 14th st.; Central Park, J. F. Slomkowski, prop., Albert J. Meyers; Washington Park, Louis Goss. Pittsburg—Cahoon Park, A. S. McSwigan; Southern Park; A. S. McSwigan; Oakwood Park; A. S. McSwigan, F. M. Melville, booking agt.; Kennewood Park, Kennewood Park Co., Farmers' Bank bldg.; Olympia Park, Harris & Sons; Idlewild Park, Edgerton Valley E. & George Scott; Alquippa Park; Duquesne Gardens, A. S. McSwigan; Highland Park Zoo; Luna Park, Frederick Ingersoll, 807 Fourth ave., Ingersoll Hopkins Am. Co., St. James bldg., N. Y., booking agts. Pottsville—Ringing Rock Park, E. E. Chaner. Pottsville—Tumbling Run Park, J. B. Hoellman. Union Traction Co. Punksutawney—Highland Park, Al F. Haver. Reading—Driving Park; Carosina Park, The Interstate Park Am. Co., O. S. Geiger. Reynoldsville—Highland Park, Harris & Gilmore; Winslow Park (near Punksutawney.) Sayer—Oak Grove Park, Jas. E. Keech. Scranton—Rocky Glen Park, Rocky Glen Park Co.; Lake Ariel, Lake Ariel Imp. Co. Warren—Irvidale Park, Warren St. R. R. Co., F. R. Scott, mgr. theatre. Williamsport—Vallamont Park, Lyman A. Pray; Starr Island Park, Montoursville St. Ry. Co.; Sylvan Dell Park, John English; Nippano Park, Biester & Saxton, am. mgrs. Willow Grove—Willow Grove Park, F. H. Lincoln. Wilkesbarre—Sans Sonol Park, Jas. O. Walsh, 43 E. Market st. York—Highland Park.

RHODE ISLAND

Newport—Freebody Park, M. R. Sheedy, Chas. E. Cook, am. mgr.; Easton's Beach, J. G. Farmerter. Providence—Boyden Heights, Chas. C. Ames, 212 Union st.; Chestnut Grove Park, Chas. A. Potter, 86 Weybosset st.; Roger Williams Park, R. A. Harrington; Narragansett Park, A. H. Moore; Crescent Park, F. W. Dexter, box 700; Rocky Point Excursion Grounds, R. A. Harrington. Woonsocket—Hoag Park, Maurice Boom.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Charleston—Isle of Palms, Jake Wells; Chicora Park. Columbia—Hyatt Park, F. L. Brown; Casino, Smithell & Brown; Eau Claire Park, Columbia St. Ry. Co.; Ridgeway Park; P. I. Wells.

TENNESSEE

Bristol—Clifton Park, Oliver Taylor; Fairmont Park. Chattanooga—Olympia Park, U. S. Garrett, mgr., Y. C. Alley, mgr. theatre; Oakley Zoo. Jackson—Highland Park, Jackson & Suburban St. Ry. Co. Knoxville—Chilhowee Park, E. R. Roberts; Magnolia Park, E. R. Roberts. Memphis—East End Park, A. B. Morrison, J. J. Murdock, booking agt., Chicago. Nashville—Glendale Park, Y. C. Alley, cr. Nashville Ry.

TEXAS

Austin—Watter's Park; Hyde Park, J. A. Miller, mgr. theatre. Bryan—Kernol's Park. Dallas—Oak Lawn Park; Cycle Park and Theatre, E. McAdams. El Paso—Washington Park, Fred. C. Lemly; San Soco Park, W. Dalley, prop. Ft. Worth—Greenwald's Park, F. C. Greenwald; Herman Park, Julius Beothe; Lake Erie Park, H. B. Burton, Handley, Tex. Gatesville—Confederate Park, W. D. Johnson. Handley—Lake Erie Park, H. B. Burton. Houston—Highland Park, F. M. Bishop; Magnolia Park, T. D. Casey. Laredo—Loma Vista Park, Chas. Ross, box P. La Porte—Crescent Park (colored people only), E. H. Williams; Sylvan Beach, owned by Gulf Coast Resort Co., 612 Fannin st., Houston, Tex., H. M. Holleman, booking agt. Mineral Wells—Vichy Summer Theatre; Crazy Well Park, M. A. Westlow, box 301. Paris—Warlick Park and Eastline Theatre, Paris Transit Co., Jno. A. Porter. Fort Lavas—Fort Lavas Pier and Casino, Harry Redan, care Industrial Dept., S. F. Ry., Houston, Tex. San Antonio—Muth's Concert Garden and Pavilion, Wm. Muth; Electric Summer Park, Sidney H. Wells, cr. Grand Opera House.

Temple—Midway Park, between Temple and Belton, C. A. Wortham; Texarkana Springs Park, G. G. Leonard. Waco—West End Summer Theatre, J. Schwartz.

UTAH

Ogden—Glenwood Park, J. S. Young. Castilla—Castilla Hot Springs, J. Meyera. Salt Lake City—Lagoon Park, J. Bergerman; Saltair Beach; Colder's Park, Max A. Peters; Utahna Park, W. R. Gourley.

VERMONT

Bellows Falls—Barber's Park, C. H. Copley, cr. Bellows Falls and Saxtons Riv. St. Ry. Co. Barre—Granite City Park; Castle Park and Theatre, J. D. Ossola.

VIRGINIA

Danville—Reservoir Park Casino, J. Wells, sole mgr.; A. Jenkins, bus. mgr. Fair Oaks—Fulton Park, Fulton Park Am. Assn. Hampton—Buckroe Beach Park, J. V. Blackford, box 293. Lynchburg—Rivermont Park, Jake Wells, mgr.; Corbin Shields, loc. mgr. Manchester—Forest Hill Park, H. H. Hartsell, mgr. Newport News—Warwick Casino, G. F. Adams. Norfolk—Buckroe Park Casino, O. W. Bex; Ocean Midway, J. H. Livingston, 211 Citizens' Bank bldg.; Pine Beach, J. H. Livingston, box 706; Bay Shore Park, J. St. Claire. Ocean View—Ocean View Casino, O. W. Wells; Bay Shore Park, J. St. Claire. Petersburg—Ferndale Park, Virginia Passenger & Power Co., John B. Horvell. Pine Beach—Pine Beach Theatre, Corbin Shields. Portsmouth—Columbia Park. Richmond—Broad Street Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co.; Main Street Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co.; West End Electric Park, Va. Am. Co.; Geo. E. Governor, gen. mgr.; Reservoir Park, Va. Am. Co.; Forest Hill Park, Va. Am. Co.; Casino Theatre, Jake Wells; Seven Pines Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co.; Westhampton Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co. Roanoke—Mountain Park Casino, Harry Beractin; Crystal Springs Park, H. M. Darnell, mgr. West Point—Beach Park, G. E. Governor, Richmond, Va.

WASHINGTON

Seattle—Leschi Pavilion, Seattle Electric Co.; Madison Park. Spokane—Cour D'Alene Lake Resort, Al Kirchner, box 661; Natoratorium Park.

WEST VIRGINIA

Belva—Beach Glen. Charleston—Electric Park, F. Wilson, Norfolk, Va. Chester—Rock Springs Park, J. H. Maxwell, mgr., Samuel McCutcheon, East Liverpool, O., am. mgr. Fairmont—Traction Park, A. J. Buckman. Huntington—Clydeside Park, J. E. Gallick; Camden Park, Camden Interstate Traction Co. Parkersburg—Terrapin Park, Murray Mackey Co. Wheeling—Wheeling Park, Wheeling Park Association, props.; C. Hirsch, mgr.; City Park Casino, J. E. Speth, box 124, Bridgeport, O.; Mozart Park; Luna Park, Wheeling Am. Co.

WISCONSIN

Dartford—Terrace Park. Ocean Bay—Hagemester Park, G. A. Walter; Street Railway Park. Janesville—Electric Park, Clarence Burdick. Kenosha—Central Park, Peter Steubeck. Madison—Lake Park, Prof. F. W. Kohl. Marinette—Lakeside Park, L. J. White. Milwaukee—Pabst Park, F. W. Harland, Third and Burleigh sts.; Schlitz Park, Geo. Schubert; Blais Park; Pabst White Fish Bay Resort, H. Kenops; Wonderland, T. G. Whaling, Herman bldg.; West End Park, M. Shanly, 459 Vanduren st. Oshkosh—Electric Park, E. E. Downs. Sheboygan—Lake View Park, Lake View Beach and Amusement Co.

CANADA

Brantford—Agricultural Park and Sherman Theatre, F. C. Johnson; Mohawk Park; Grand Valley Park, Frank P. Haven. Bridgeport—Riverside Park, Berlin & Waterloo St. Ry., Ltd., Berlin, Ont. Ft. Erie, Ont.—Beach, W. Wharton. Galt—Edleywild Park; Casino Summer Park, J. D. Eagen and George Phillips; Galt Park. Gananoque—Summer Theatre, Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr. Hamilton—Sherman Park, W. B. Sherman; Nona Park, J. G. Appleton. Kingston—Lake Ontario Park, D. P. Branigan, mgr.; Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr.; Long Island Park, J. J. Brophy. London—Spring Bank Park, C. B. A. Carr; Queen's Park; Bennett's Theatre, O. W. Bennett. Montmorency—Montmorency Falls, J. W. Baker. Montreal—Riverside Park, Max Bashman, mgt., Al. E. Reed, am. mgr.; Sohmer Park, LeVigne & Lajoie; Victor Park. Ottawa—Britannia-on-the-Bay, J. E. Hutcheson, mgr.; Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr. Owen Sound—King's Royal Park, J. W. Walsh, Quebec—Exposition Park, P. P. Legare; Montmorency Falls Park, J. E. Turton. St. John—Rockwood Park; Riverview Park; Seaside Park, Ernest DeMill. St. Thomas—Pinafore Lake Park, Geo. Stacey, box 332. Toronto—Hanlan's Park, Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr.; L. Solomon, mgr.; Island Park; Monroe Park, Wm. Banks. Winnipeg—River Park, T. H. Morris; Auditorium Summer Gardens, Clarence Spence, T. H. Morris, am. mgr.; Elm Park, T. H. Morris; Winnipeg Summer Beach, T. H. Morris, attr. mgr. Woodstock—Fairmont Park.

COLORADO

Lamar—Powers Co. Fair, Aug. 30-Sept. 1. A. N. Parrish, pres.; W. C. Gould, treas.; Chas. Maxwell, sec. CONNEDTICUT

Hartinton—Hartinton Fair, Oct. 3. Lewis E. Catlin, supt. priv., E. F. D. No. 2, Torrington, Conn.

DELAWARE

Middletown—Grange Fair, Aug. 30-Sept. 1. J. Atwood Weldin, pres.; L. Scott Townsend, treas.; Frederick Brady, sec.

GEORGIA

Lexington—Oglethorpe Co. Fair, Oct. 23-28. Jno. Knox, pres. & mgr.

ILLINOIS

Camargo—Douglas Co. Fair, Sept. 4-8. Jno. B. Hammett, pres.; Tuscola; Geo. C. Jeffers, treas.; A. Hayward, sec. Effingham—Effingham Co. Fair, Sept. 5-10. W. W. Austin, pres.; T. S. Gravenhorst, treas.; J. W. Gravenhorst, sec. El Paso—El Paso Fair, Aug. 28-Sept. 1. J. F. Schofield, pres.; A. H. Waite, treas.; J. F. Bosworth, sec. Greenup—Cumberland Co. Fair, Sept. 5-9. P. J. Bowman, pres.; C. C. Leggett, treas.; H. E. Cash, sec. Jonesboro—Union Co. Fair, Sept. 19-22. S. J. Frost, pres.; Henry Trieb, treas.; Wm. M. Hurst, sec. LaSalle—LaSalle Fair, Oct. 3-7. Geo. A. Wilson, pres.; N. W. Duncan, treas.; Alfred Shelton, sec. Morrison—Whiteside Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. E. A. Smith, pres.; Wm. Boyd, treas.; W. R. Lewis, sec. Sterling—Mineral Springs Fair, Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. T. Williams, pres.; J. Harpham, treas.; W. Kilgour, sec. Urbana—Champaign Co. Fair, Sept. 12-15. W. C. Dallenbach, pres.; Champaign; J. B. Busey, treas.; W. W. Ludley, sec.

INDIANA

Boswell—Agr. Fair, Sept. 5-8. Hiram Bright, pres.; Matt Cooper, sec. Bremen—Agr. Fair, Oct. 3-6. Jno. Huff, pres.; Henry H. Miller, sec. Cicero—Hamilton Co. Fair, Sept. 4-8. C. H. Tomlinson, pres.; J. M. Achenbach, sec. Columbus—Bartholomew Co. Fair, Sept. 11-16. F. T. Crump, pres.; Ed. Redman, sec. Covington—Fountain, Warren & Vermillion Fair, Sept. 12-15. Geo. Robb, pres.; Geo. W. Williams, treas.; N. G. Harlow, sec. Crawfordsville—Agr. Fair, Sept. 4-7. W. F. Hulet, pres.; R. C. Walkup, sec. Crothersville—Crothersville Fair, Sept. 26-29. D. H. Waters, pres.; Wm. Goecker, treas.; F. E. Butler, sec. Edinburg—Johnson Co. Fair, Aug. 23-25. Elsa Breeding, pres.; I. C. Thompson, sec. Elwood—Madison Co. Fair, Aug. 22-25. N. J. Leasupre, pres.; F. E. DeHority, sec. Flora—Carroll Co. Fair, Aug. 9-11. F. C. Horner, pres.; E. J. Todd, sec. Frankfort—Clinton Co. Fair, Aug. 22-25. A. A. Laird, pres.; Chas. E. Petty, sec. Franklin—Johnson Co. Fair, Aug. 29-Sept. 2. John Tilson, pres.; C. A. Overstreet, treas.; W. S. Young, sec. Greensburg—Decatur Co. Fair, Aug. 15-18. Uriah Pruett, pres.; O. B. Ainsworth, treas.; J. E. Caskey, sec. Huntington—Agr. Fair, Sept. 12-16. Robt. Simonton, pres.; Adam L. Beck, sec. Kingman—Fountain Co. Fair, Sept. 26-29. C. H. Ratcliff, pres.; A. H. Lindley, sec. Kokomo—Racing Assn. Fair, July 25-28. H. H. Leach, sec. Lafayette—Tippecanoe Co. Fair, Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Jno. M. Gason, pres.; Adam Wallace, treas.; Henry A. Miller, sec. Liberty—Union Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. Walter Abernthy, pres.; S. M. Lafuze, treas.; Milton Maxwell, sec. Logansport—Driving Club Fair, Aug. 1-4. J. M. Elliott, pres.; J. T. Tomlinson, sec. Marion—Driving Assn. July 18-21. E. H. Johnson, pres.; L. F. Reese, sec. Muncie—Delaware Co. Fair, Aug. 15-18. C. H. Anthony, pres.; M. S. Claypool, sec. Newtown—Fountain Co. Fair, Aug. 24-25. Horace Gray, pres.; Chas. C. Palin, sec. New Castle—Henry Co. Fair, Aug. 8-11. F. P. Modlin, pres.; W. L. Risk, sec. North Manchester—North Manchester Fair, Oct. 3-7. Jno. Iseubarger, pres.; Charles Wright, sec. Rochester—Fulton Co. Fair, Sept. 6-9. Arch Stinson, pres.; J. Dawson, treas.; Frank Dillon, sec. Rushville—Rush Co. Fair, Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. J. Hames, pres.; W. L. King, sec. Salem—Big Salem Fair, Sept. 5-8. W. C. Snyder, sec. Vincennes—Agr. Fair, Sept. 18-23. M. M. McDowell, pres.; Jas. M. House, sec.

IOWA

Buffalo Centre—Dist. Fair, Sept. 12-14. C. W. Gadd, pres.; J. J. Guyer, treas.; Geo. B. Johnston, sec. Clarion—Wright Co. Fair, Sept. 12-15. F. L. Aow, pres.; E. A. Alexander, treas.; O. F. Morton, sec. KANSAS

Mankato—Jewell Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. Jos. H. Woollen, pres.; LeRoy Hulee, treas.; Henry R. Honey, sec.

KENTUCKY

Broadhead—Rockcastle Co. Fair, Aug. 16-18. Granville Owens, sec. Lexington—Colored A. and M. Fair, Sept. 12-16. J. Andrew Scott, pres.; A. L. Harden, sec. LOUISIANA

Alden Bridge—Booster Parish Fair, Oct. 27-28. Arcadia—Deinville Fair, Oct. 10-13. Calhoun—North Louisiana Fair, Sept. 13-15. Farmersville—Union Parish Fair, Sept. 19-21. Homer—Claborne Parish Fair, Oct. 19-21. Ida—Caddo Parish Fair, Oct. 31-Nov. 2. Minden—Webster Parish Fair, Oct. 23-25. Monroe—Ouachita Parish Fair, Nov. 7-10. Ruston—Lincoln Parish Fair, Oct. 3-7. Winnfield—Winn Parish Fair, Sept. 20-23.

MAINE

Cherryfield Park—West Washington Co. Fair, Sept. 19-21. J. E. White, pres., Columbia; W. H. Allen, treas.; E. F. Allen, sec., Columbia Falls. Lewiston—Maine State Fair, Sept. 12-15. B. J. Libby, pres.; N. J. Eveleth, treas.; J. L. Lowell, sec., Auburn.

MINNESOTA

Mora—Kanabec Co. Fair, Sept. 11-13. C. C. Rogers, pres.; Geo. H. Newbert, treas.; Willis Fairbanks, sec.

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New Fairs.

MISSOURI

Bunceton-Bunceton Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. F. E. Williams, pres.; Ben Hamed, treas.; W. B. Kerns, sec.
Columbus-Bartholmew Co. Fair. Sept. 11-16.
Corry-Corry Fair. Sept. 11-14. S. D. Dorn, sec.

NEW YORK

Port Richmond-Richmond Co. Fair. Dates not set. Edw. P. Doyle, sec.

OHIO

Bowling Green-Bowling Green Fair. July 4-7. E. S. Sweet, sec.
Columbus-Ohio State Fair. Sept. 4-8. W. W. Miller, sec.
Lima-Lima Fair. June 27-30. F. E. Baxter, sec.

TEXAS

Brady-Trans-Colorado Exposition. July 2-8. H. H. Rose, sec.
Taylor-Taylor Fair. July 4-6. John F. Black, sec.

WISCONSIN

Ekhorn-Walworth Co. Fair. H. C. Norris, sec.
Lancaster-Grant Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Geo. A. Moore, sec.
Mineral Point-Southern Wis. Fair. Aug. 15-18. T. M. Friesley, sec.

CANADA

Ottawa, Ont.-Exhibition. Sept. 8-16. E. McMahon, sec.

List of Fairs

ALABAMA

Birmingham-Alabama State Fair. Oct. 4-14. R. M. Williams, sec.

ARKANSAS

Rogers-Arkansas State Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. W. Walker, pres.; Jno. E. Falke, treas.; A. M. Buckley, sec.

CALIFORNIA

Colusa-National Trotting Fair. Dates not set. W. E. Merrill, pres.; Tennant Harrington, treas.; Jas. W. Scoggins, sec.
Tulare City-Tulare Fair. Dates not set. H. Whaley, pres.; W. T. Ingerson, sec.

COLORADO

Grand Junction-Mesa Co. Fair. Sept. 18-22. W. F. Ela, pres.; M. M. Shates, treas.; C. D. Fisher, sec.
Pueblo-Cororado State Fair. Sept. 11-15. J. E. Toppling, pres.; Thos. H. Devine, treas.; Thos. B. Hofmire, sec.

CONNECTICUT

Danbury-Danbury Fair. Oct. 2-7. Samuel T. Bunde, pres.; Jno. W. Balon, treas.; G. W. Bunde, sec.
Lyme-Lyme Grange Fair. Dates not set. Wm. Marion, pres.; Hamburg, H. B. Slason, treas.; Hamburg, J. W. Stark, sec.
Rockville-Rockville Fair. Sept. 26-28. Andrew Kingsbury, pres.; F. A. Randall, treas.; H. D. Noble, sec.

FLORIDA

Jacksonville-Jacksonville Fair. Nov. 16-26.

GEORGIA

Athens-Northwest Georgia Fair. Oct. 8-6. H. J. Rowe, sec.
Atlanta-Georgia State Fair. Oct. 9-21. Frank Weldon, sec.
Augusta-Augusta Fair. Nov. 6-11.
Calhoun-Gordon Co. Fair. Oct. 24-27. J. T. McVey, sec.
Chickamauga-Northwest Georgia Fair. Oct. 3-7. T. W. Lee, pres.; M. C. Bonds, treas.; E. H. Wyatt, sec.
Dalton-Fourth Annual Fair. Oct. 16-20. Frank T. Reynolds, pres.
Douglas-Coffee Co. Fair. Dates not set. J. J. Rogers, mgr.
Lawrenceville-Gwinnet County Fair. Dates not set. Maj. W. E. Simmons, pres.; N. L. Hutchins, jr., sec.
Macon-Georgia Farmers' Fair. Oct. 24-Nov. 3. Eugene Anderson, sec.
Waycross-Waycross Fair. Nov. 13-17.

IDAHO

Blackfoot-Southeastern Idaho Fair. Sept. 19-22. C. W. Berryman, pres.; G. H. Holbrook, treas.; W. H. Stufflebeam, sec.
Boise-Inter-mountain Fair. Sept. 25-30. Jas. A. Pimney, pres.; E. H. Flowhead, treas.; W. F. Dolan, sec.
Caldwell-Canyon Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14. D. D. Campbell, pres.; W. B. Sebree, treas.; J. B. Gowen, sec.
Lewiston-Lewiston-Clarkston Fair. Oct. 16-21. G. H. Kester, pres.; Jno. T. Ray, treas.; Chris F. Osmer, sec.

ILLINOIS

Aledo-Mercer Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. Lee, pres.; W. D. Emerson, sec.
Avon-Avon Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. B. Boothon, pres.; W. G. Kings, treas.; Julian Churchill, sec.
Beviders-Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. Hannah, pres.; Wm. G. Greenlee, treas.; M. D. Perkins, sec.
Bushnell-Bushnell Fair. Aug. 8-11. Geo. D. Bell, pres.; J. S. Nonnemake, treas.; J. F. Johnson, sec.
Cambridge-Henry Co. Fair. Aug. 21-26. L. J. Wilkinson, pres.; Henry White, treas.; Theo. Bollenstein, sec.
Cerrillosville-Macoupin Co. Fair. Oct. 10-18. S. T. Carnody, pres.; Niwood, A. M. Boring, treas.; Geo. J. Castle, sec.
Carmi-Carmi Fair. Sept. 5-9. J. J. Dale, sec.
Charleston-Coles Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1.

A. J. Craig, pres.; T. T. Shoemaker, treas.; W. O. Glaser, sec.
Clinton-DeWitt Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Jno. Fuller, pres.; S. T. Newell, treas.; Hugh S. McGill, sec.
Delavan-Tazewell Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. W. Crabb, pres.; J. T. Culbertson, treas.; J. O. Jones, sec.
Equality-Gallatin Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Dr. L. W. Gordon, pres.; Chas. Stein, sec.
Fairbury-Fairbury Union Fair. Sept. 4-8. J. W. McDowell, pres.; T. S. O. McDowell, treas.; F. F. Bryida, sec.
Fairfield-Wayne Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 2. B. F. Leinger, pres.; Harry L. Leinger, treas.; Chas. F. Leinger, sec.
Galena-Galena Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. Barber, sec.
Griggsville-Illinois Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. Guthrie-Agrl. Fair. Oct. 30-Nov. 4.
Highland-Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 7-10. A. H. Schott, pres.; J. N. Stokes, sec.
Joliet-Will Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. A. Roland, pres.; B. T. Kelley, treas.; Thos. J. Kelley, sec.
Joslin-Rock Island Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Wm. Filbert, pres.; Jno. Shafer, treas.; Port Byron; F. J. Whiteside, sec.
Kankakee-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 4-8. T. C. Schoberg, pres.; Union Hill; W. J. Brock, treas.; Len Small, sec.
Knoxville-Knox Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. G. L. Lacy, pres.; Gilson; Robt. Collins, treas.; E. W. Sweeney, sec.; Galeburg, sec.
LeRoy-LeRoy Fair. Aug. 22-25. John Baremore, pres.; E. D. Kline, sec.
Libertyville-Lake Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. J. Cator, pres.; E. W. Parkhurst, treas.; J. E. Morse, sec.
Macomb-McDonough Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18.
Marion-Williamson Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Jacob Goodall, pres.; Geo. H. Goodall, treas.; Geo. C. Campbell, sec.
Mt. Carroll-Carroll Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Jas. A. Warner, pres.; J. D. Turbaugh, treas.; Cal. M. Feizer, sec.
Mt. Sterling-Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Paris-Edgar Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Wm. H. Bloss, pres.; B. G. Sutherland, treas.; S. B. McCord, sec.
Princeton-Bureau Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jas. M. Ennis, pres.; Walnut; H. B. Peterson, treas.; Ohas. L. Trimble, sec.
Quincy-Quincy Fair. Aug. 22-25.
Robinson-Crawford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. S. Villa Shipman, pres.; Hardinsville; H. W. Schwenka, treas.; Henry Coulter, sec.; Hardinsville, sec.
Shawneetown-Gallatin Co. Fair. Aug. 22-29. Charles Carroll, pres.; Jno. McKelligott, treas.; Marsh Wiseheart, sec.
Shelbyville-Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. J. C. Westerwell, pres.; G. A. Roberts, sec.
Springfield-Illinois State Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 7. A. D. Barber, pres.; Hamilton; Edw. A. T. Hall, treas.; W. Garrard, sec.
Wyoming-Wyoming Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. R. McClyment, sec.
Watska-Iscoogols Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. H. H. Hotalling, pres.; Gilman; Will A. Cooney, treas.; John O. Reeder, sec.

INDIANA

Anderson-Anderson Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. B. Orr, pres.; Wm. Boland, treas.; W. H. Heritage, sec.
Angola-Stauben Agrl. Fair. Oct. 10-13. Clyde C. Carlin, pres.; Henry Lindes, treas.; Orville Goodale, sec.
Boonville-Big Boonville Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Clamer Pelzer, pres.; A. L. Beeler, treas.; J. F. Richardson, sec.
Bourbon-Bourbon Fair. Oct. 10-13. G. D. Ettinger, pres.; H. F. Bowman, treas.; B. W. Parks, sec.
Chrisney-Spencer Co. Fair. Aug. 14-19. J. C. Haines, pres.; J. P. Chrisney, sec.
Connersville-Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Francis T. Boots, pres.; Bass Sparks, sec.; T. O. McBurney, gen. mgr.
Corydon-Harrison Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Dan F. Stant, pres.; Geo. W. Applegate, jr., treas.; Frank E. Wright, sec.
Crown Point-Lake Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. A. Beattie, pres.; Fred Wheeler, sec.
Decatur-Great Northern Ind. Fair. Aug. 29-31. J. N. Nidlinger, pres.; Jno. Brown, treas.; Geneva; C. D. Kumble, sec.
East Enterprise-East Enterprise Fair. Sept. 5-8. Thos. Carver, pres.; E. L. Turner, treas.; R. S. Thompson, sec.; Bear Branch.
Evansville-Tri-State Fair. Sept. 11-16. B. F. VonBehen, pres.; Wm. L. Swormstedt, treas.; Frank R. Wright, sec.
Crown Point-Lake Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 31. J. A. Beattie, pres.; Fred Wheeler, sec.
Decatur-Great Northern Ind. Fair. Aug. 29-31. J. N. Nidlinger, pres.; Jno. Brown, treas.; Geneva; C. D. Kumble, sec.
East Enterprise-East Enterprise Fair. Sept. 5-8. Thos. Carver, pres.; E. L. Turner, sec.; R. S. Thompson, sec.; Bear Branch.
Evansville-Tri-State Fair. Sept. 11-16. B. F. VonBehen, pres.; Wm. L. Swormstedt, treas.; E. L. Akin, sec.
Fairmont-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 7-12. Foster Davis, pres.; J. Wilson, sec.
Fort Wayne-Fort Wayne Fair. Sept. 19-23. Jno. C. Peters, pres.; E. H. McDonald, treas.; Dr. Wm. F. Meyers, sec.
Hagerstown-Wayne Co. Fair. July 25-28. L. M. Pierce, pres.; Jno. Zourman, treas.; Claude C. Pierce, sec.
Huntingburg-Dubois Co. Fair. Sept. 11-16. Charles Moenkaues, pres.; E. W. Pichardt, sec.
Indianapolis-Indiana State Fair. Sept. 11-15. Mason J. Niblack, pres.; Vincennes; J. W. LeGrange, treas.; Franklin; Charles Downing, sec.; room 14, State House.
Kendallville-Eastern Indiana Fair. Sept. 25-29. U. C. Brouse, pres.; Jno. Mitchell, treas.; J. S. Conlogue, sec.
Lawrenceburg-Lawrenceburg Fair. Aug. 8-12. Geo. M. Roberts, pres.; H. L. Nowlin, sec.; T. B. Matthews, treas.; Petersburg, Ky.
Lebanon-Boone Co. Stock Fair. Aug. 15-18. Lon Vantz, pres.; Isaac N. Caster, treas.; Riley Haoser, sec.
Middletown-Henry, Madison and Dearborn Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Dr. C. B. Pendleton, pres.; T. E. Mowry, treas.; F. A. Wischart, sec.
Mount Vernon-Mount Vernon Fair. Aug. 14-19. J. M. Harlem, sec.
Mootpeller-Montpeller Fair. July 11-14. Levi Hufman, pres.; J. P. Horton, treas.; Charles L. Smith, sec.
New Albany-Ind. Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. W.

E. McCulloch, pres.; Louis H. Meyers, treas.; H. W. Fawcett, sec.
New Harmony-Posey Co. Fair. Aug. 11-25. Henry Bailey, pres.; Ezra Stebbens, treas.; Geo. C. Taylor, sec.
Oakland City-Oakland City Fair. Aug. 21-26. J. W. Cockram, pres.; Geo. E. Burbank, treas.; J. M. Vandever, sec.
Osgood-Ripley Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Wm. Rosengarn, pres.; Robt. Creigumle, sec.
Portland-Jay Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. J. G. Crowell, pres.; Walter M. Hayes, treas.; Jas. F. Glves, sec.
Princeton-Gibson Co. Fair. Sept. 4-9. Wm. F. Parrett, pres.; Stewart Fisher, treas.; Jno. B. McGinnis, sec.
Rockport-Rockport Fair. Aug. 22-26. T. C. Easpe, pres.; Jas. A. Payoe, sec.
Shelbyville-Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. S. P. Stoup, pres.; Walter Elliott, sec.
Terre Haute-Terre Haute Trotting Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. W. F. Hams, pres.; Frank McKee, treas.; Chas. R. Dunn, sec.
Valparaiso-Porter Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. P. W. Clifford, pres.; H. M. Evans, treas.; C. S. Pence, sec.
Warren-Warren Tri-Co. Fair. Aug. 22-26. Dr. W. D. Bonfield, pres.; J. L. Friddy, treas.; L. W. Pulley, sec.

IOWA

Allison-Butler Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. L. J. Rogers, sec.
Algonka-Kossuth Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. H. Wadsworth, sec.
Alta-Boena Vista Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. C. E. Cameron, sec.
Anamosa-Anamosa Fair. Aug. 14-18. H. E. Beam, pres.; C. L. Niles, treas.; A. C. Walters, sec.
Atlantic-Cass Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. F. C. Schain, pres.; J. A. McWaid, treas.; C. S. Brown, sec.
Aodobon-Aodobon Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. C. E. Breniman, sec.
Avoca-Pottawattomie Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Wm. Thies, sec.
Bedford-Taylor Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. C. Dowlin, sec.
Bloomfield-Davis Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. O. W. Wisdom, pres.; E. K. Herr, treas.; J. C. Bronhsrd, sec.
Britt-Hancock Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Jake Rohrbach, sec.
Burlington-Burlington Fair. Aug. 1-4. C. C. Fowler, sec.
Central City-Wapsie Valley Fair. Sept. 12-15. E. E. Henderson, sec.
Charles City-Floyd Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. E. Waller, pres.; A. H. Brackett, treas.; C. M. Carr, sec.
Clarinda-Clarinda Fair. Sept. 4-7.
Clinton-Clinton Dist. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. B. Aherns, sec.; Lyons.
Columbus Junction-Columbus Junction Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. J. Stapp, sec.
Corning-Corning Agrl. Fair. Aug. 23-31. J. M. DeVore, sec.
Creston-Creston Agrl. Fair. Sept. 11-14. C. D. Davenport, sec.
Decorah-Winneshiek Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. L. Coffeen, sec.
Des Moines-Iowa State Fair. Aug. 25-Sept. 1. W. W. Morrow, pres.; Alton, Ia.; G. D. Elyson, treas.; J. C. Simpson, sec.
DeWitt-Clinton Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. Armentroot, pres.; A. M. Price, treas.; P. Bntertruss, sec.
Donnellson-Lee Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. Hafner, pres.; Geo. Mattern, treas.; Chris. Hafner, sec.
Dubuque-Dubuque Tri-State Fair. Aug. 21-27. T. J. Mulgrew, pres.; W. B. Baumgartner, treas.; J. W. Patterson, sec.
Eldon-Big Four Dist. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Ed. J. Moore, sec.
Eldora-Hardin Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. B. B. Lynk, pres.; W. M. Murray, treas.; H. S. Martin, sec.
Elkader-Elkader Fair. Aug. 22-25. Joe Lamm, pres.; A. J. Carpenter, treas.; J. A. Kramer, sec.
Fairfax-Prairie Valley Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. Hatto, sec.
Fairfield-Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. P. Manstrey, pres.; H. V. Downs, treas.; R. C. Sayers, sec.
Fonda-Big Four Dist. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Jas. Mercer, pres.; C. F. Linnan, treas.; R. M. Harrison, sec.
Forest City-Winnebag Co. Fair. Oct. 8-5. J. A. Peters, sec.
Greenfield-Adair Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. E. M. Bonney, pres.; H. R. Smith, treas.; J. S. Caviness, sec.
Grinnell-Poweshiek Central Fair. Sept. 5-7. I. S. Bailey, sec.
Grundy Centre-Grundy Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. G. Ensminger, sec.
Gothrie Centre-Gothrie Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. J. G. Thomas, pres.; E. W. Rogers, treas.; A. H. Grissell, sec.
Hampton-Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. W. Cummings, sec.
Harlan-Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. L. E. Pichard, sec.
Homboldt-Homboldt Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. John Cunningham, sec.
Independence-Buchanan Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. Chas. L. King, sec.
Indianola-Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. C. Reynolds, pres.; Wm. Buxton, jr., treas.; Lee Talbot, sec.
Iowa City-Johnson Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. Ed. Hummer, pres.; Ed. Switzer, treas.; J. H. Mahoney, sec.
LaPorte City-LaPorte City Dist. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jos. Humman, pres.; B. L. Manwell, sec.
Lyons-Clinton Dist. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. L. Wilson, pres.; Almont; Fred Rixon, treas.; Clinton; J. B. Aherns, sec.
Malcom-Poweshiek Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. Geo. W. Boyce, pres.; W. J. Johnson, treas.; Jas. Nowak, sec.
Malvern-Mills Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. W. R. Johnson, pres.; O. A. Straban, treas.; I. J. Swain, sec.
Maochester-Delaware Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Ben Sheldon, pres.; Lefe Matthews, treas.; Jno. Pentony, sec.
Manson-Calhoun Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. T. Griffin, pres.; B. E. Sebern, treas.; C. G. Kaskey, sec.
Marengo-Iowa Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. C. C. Clemoets, sec.
Marion-Inter-State Fair. Aug. 21-25. E. E. Parsons, sec.

Massey-Masseea Fair. Sept. 18-21.
Mason City-Mason City Fair. July 18-20.
Perry C. Church, sec.
Maquoketa-Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jos. Dostal, pres.; Fred. Fischer, treas.; B. D. Ely, sec.
Milton-Milton Dist. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. A. Miller, sec.
Missouri Valley-Harrison Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. W. H. Whitrow, sec.
Monticello-Great Joes Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. E. E. Hicks, sec.
Mount Ayr-Ringgold Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. R. M. Bowler, pres.; F. E. Sheldon, treas.; Thos. Campbell, sec.
Mt. Pleasant-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 15-18. C. M. Clark, sec.
Nashua-Big Four Fair. Sept. 5-8. G. H. Hinkley, pres.; W. F. Getch, treas.; J. A. Yager, sec.
National-Clayton Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jos. Matt, pres.; St. Olaf; H. C. Howe, treas.; Monona; Henry Luehsen, sec.; Garnavillo.
Nevada-Story Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. P. Worsley, sec.
New Hampton-New Hampton Fair. Joes 13-15. Peter Malcomb, sec.
New Sharon-New Sharon Fair. Sept. 12-14. S. T. Harper, pres.; S. E. Moffitt, sec.
Newton-Jasper Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Andrew Stewart, pres.; S. G. Rnsell, treas.; C. W. Campbell, sec.
Northwood-Worth Co. Fair. Sept. 11-13. Nela Thorsen, pres.; Chas. Beckett, treas.; E. H. Miller, sec.
Ogden-Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 6-8. Wm. Hilland, pres.; Julios Kunts, treas.; C. B. Clark, sec.
Orange City-Sloux Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. Vander Melde, pres.; G. L. Van de Steeg, treas.; H. Sikkerver, sec.
Osage-Mitchell Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Richard Dorsey, pres.; J. J. Sweeney, treas.; W. H. Globe, sec.
Ottumwa-Ottumwa Dist. Fair. Aug. 22-25.
Pella-Lake Prairie Fair. Oct. 3-6. Chas. Porter, sec.
Red Oak-Montgomery Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. F. Schadel, sec.
Rock Valley-Rock Valley Fair. Sept. 5-7. Dennis Scanlon, sec.
Sac City-Sac Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. S. M. Lewis, sec.
Shenandoah-Shenandoah Fair. Aug. 14-18. I. White, sec.
Sioux City-Inter-State Live Stock Fair. Sept. 11-16. F. L. Eaton, pres.; A. T. Bennett, treas.; F. L. Wirick, sec.
Strawberry Point-Strawberry Point Dist. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. O. C. Gladwin, sec.
Sutherland-DeWitt Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. C. Briggs, pres.; B. O. Jordan, sec.; J. B. Murphy, treas.
Tipton-Tipton Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. W. B. Eliatt, pres.; J. W. Wright, treas.; L. J. Rowell, sec.
Toledo-Tiam Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. G. Smith, sec.
Victor-Victor Dist. Fair. Aug. 15-17. S. Munsetter, pres.; Jno. Steffy, treas.; J. P. Bowling.
Vinton-Benton Co. Fair. Sept. 13-15. Arad Thompson, sec.
Wapello-Wapello Fair. Aug. 9-12.
Waterloo-Waterloo Fair. Aug. 1-3. L. W. Stevens, sec.
Waverly-Waverly Fair. June 20-22. Ed. Curtis, sec.
West Liberty-West Liberty Fair. Aug. 22-25. W. H. Shipman, sec.
West Point-West Point Dist. Fair. Aug. 29-31. Joo. Walljasper, sec.
West Union-Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. P. Hancock, sec.
What Cheer-What Cheer Dist. Fair. Sept. 11-14. Jas. Stephenson, pres.; Rose Hill; Jno. R. Howard, treas.; Geo. A. Poff, sec.
Williamsburg-Williamsburg Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. O. Harrington, pres.; Jas. Brannon, treas.; Chas. Fletcher, sec.
Winterset-Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. T. J. Hodson, sec.
Winfield-Eastern Iowa Dist. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. Gladd, pres.; Will D. Garino, sec.

KANSAS

Anthony-County Fair. Aug. 7-12. W. W. Bird, sec.
Belleville-Republic Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14.
Chanute-Chanute Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. A. E. Timpane, sec.
Clay Center-Clay Co. Fair. Sept. 15-18. D. H. Myers, pres.; E. E. Vincent, treas.; E. E. Hoopes, sec.
Eldorado-Butler Co. Fair. Oct. 2-7. E. B. Dillenback, sec.
Eureka-Eureka Fair. Aug. 15-18. J. W. Robbins, pres.; Wm. Johnston, treas.; C. H. Weiser, sec.
Fredonia-Fredonia Fair. Aug. 22-25. T. J. Cooper, sec.
Great Bend-Barton Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Ira D. Broogher, pres.; Louis Zotavem, treas.; W. F. Feder, sec.
Hiawatha-Hiawatha Fair. Sept. 5-8. Elliott Irwin, sec.
Hutchinson-Central Kansas Fair. Sept. 18-24. E. S. Thompson, pres.; A. W. Egan, treas.; A. L. Spauler, sec.
Iola-Allen Co. Fair. Aug. 14-19. T. J. Anderson, pres.; Gas; N. E. Jones, treas.; J. T. Fredway, sec.
McPherson-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 11-16. G. L. Conn, sec.
Mankato-Jewell Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8.
Marysville-Marshall Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. E. Powell, pres.; S. C. Schmidt, treas.; E. L. Miller, sec.
Newton-Harvey Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. D. W. Wilcox, pres.; C. F. Classen, treas.; J. T. Axtell, sec.
Norton-Norton Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. Moulton, pres.; Wm. F. Garrity, sec.
Oskaloosa-Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. P. Rendon, pres.; McLouth; W. F. Loch, treas.; Geo. A. Patterson, sec.
Ottawa-Ottawa Fair. Sept. 5-9. O. M. Potter, sec.
Paola-Miami Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Bradberry, sec.
Madison-Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Mark Richardson, pres.; Geo. B. Wycoff, treas.; Riley-Biley Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Joo. W. Cone, sec.
Salina-Central Kansas Fair. Sept. 18-22. H. B. Wallace, sec.
Seneca-Nemaha Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. V. B. Fisher, pres.; C. C. Scovills, treas.; W. H. Fitzwater, sec.

Sterling—Rice Co. Fair. Sept. 4-9.
St. John—Stafford Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. H. R. Ross, pres.; O. E. Shepherd, treas.; Geo. E. Moore, sec.
Smith Centre—Smith Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. F. H. Barrow, pres.; Hy Williams, treas.; S. C. Rice, sec.
Topeka—Kansas State Fair. Sept. 12-15.
Winfield—Coville Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. T. H. Harrod, pres.; Jas. Lortou, treas.; W. J. Wilson, sec.

KENTUCKY.

Barbourville—Knox Co. Fair. Jno. C. Matthews, pres.; F. R. Barner, treas.; W. W. Tinsley, sec.
Bardston—Nelson Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Ben Johnston, pres.; B. C. Cherry, sec.
Crab Orchard—Crab Orchard Fair. July 19-21. R. H. Bronaugh, pres.
Danville—Great Danville Fair. Aug. 2-4. H. C. Bright, sec.
Elizabethtown—Hardin Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7.
Falmouth—Falmouth Fair. Sept. 27-30.
Fern Creek—Jefferson Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18.
Bryan Williams, pres. B. F. D. No. 11. Buechel, Ky.; Dr. H. P. Stivers, sec.; E. F. D. No. 11, Buechel, Ky.
Florence—Northern Ky. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1.
Georgetown—Elk's Fair. July 24-29. B. H. Anderson, pres.; S. C. Bell, treas.; J. S. Pullman, sec.
Glasgow—Southern Ky. Fair. Sept. 6-9.
Guthrie—Guthrie Fair. Aug. 17-19.
Harrodsburg—Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. W. I. Allin, sec.
Headerson—Tri-Co. Fair and Races. Sept. 26-30. Jacob Zimbro, sec.
Lawrenceburg—Lawrenceburg Fair. Aug. 15-18. D. L. Moore, pres.; J. M. B. Birdwhistell, treas.; Geo. C. Hoffman, sec.
Lexington—Kentucky State Fair. Sept. 18-23.
London—Laurel Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. J. T. Williams, pres.; E. A. Chilton, sec.
Madisonville—Hopkins Co. Fair. Aug. 1-5.
Nicholasville—K. of P. Fair. Aug. 29-31. David Bell, pres.; W. R. Smith, treas.; B. H. Webb, sec.
Owensboro—Owensboro and Davies Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14.
Shelbyville—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 22-25.
Shepardsville—Bullitt Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. S. Bates, pres.; R. F. Hayes, treas.; O. W. Pearl, sec.
Springfield—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 23-26.
Uniontown—Union Co. Fair. Aug. 8-12. Sam P. Sturgis, pres.; Dekoven, Ky.; W. C. Bland, sec.
Vanceburg—Lewis Co. Fair. Aug. 16-19. T. M. Bowman, pres.; O. P. Pollitt, sec.

LOUISIANA.

Ollinton—East Feliciana Fair. Oct. 19-21. I. D. Wall, pres.

MAINE.

Acton—Shapleigh and Acton Fair. Dates not set. Z. G. Horn, pres.; Horn's Mills, N. H.; Blanch Bray, treas.; Ross Corner; Fred K. Bodwell, sec.
Foxcroft—Piscataquis Fair. Dates not set. W. E. Parsons, pres.; C. C. Dunham, treas.; F. W. Leland, sec.; East Sangerville.
Gorham—Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. L. Robinson, pres.; So. Windham; F. D. Seaman, treas.; C. H. Leighton, sec.; Cumberland Hills.
Keefe—Kennebec Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Joo. H. Swift, pres.; Oakland; C. H. Stevens, treas.; L. O. Tebbets, sec.
Union—North Knox Fair. Sept. 26-28. E. E. Thurston, pres.; H. L. Grinnell, treas.; Geo. C. Hawes, sec.
Upper Gloucester—New Gloucester and Danville Fair. Sept. 26-28. O. H. Campbell, pres.; Sabbathday Lake; Geo. W. Haskell, treas.; J. B. P. Witham, sec.; New Gloucester, R. F. D. No. 1.

MARYLAND.

Timonium—Maryland State Fair. Sept. 5-9. Alex McCormick, pres.; Fullerton; Jas. P. Reese, treas.; Jas. Nussear, sec.; Luther-ville.
Frederick—Frederick Co. Fair. Oct. 17-20. C. N. Hargett, pres.; D. V. Stauffer, treas.; J. Roger McSherry, sec.
Hagerstown—Hagerstown Fair. Oct. 10-13.
Lutherville—Baltimore Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. Jas. S. Nussear, sec.
Rockville—Montgomery Co. Fair. Dates not set. Lee Oflut, pres.; Joo. J. Higgins, treas.; Jas. T. Bogley, sec.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Amesbury—Amesbury and Salisbury Fair. Sept. 12-14. Edw. W. George, sec.
Amherst—Hampshire Fair. Sept. 19-20. S. J. Reed, sec.
Athol—Worcester Northwest Fair. Sept. 4-5. Albert Ellsworth, sec.
Barnstable—Barnstable Co. Fair. Aug. 29-31. T. C. Day, sec.
Barre—Worcester Co. West Fair. Sept. 28-29. Math. Walker, sec.
Blanford—Union Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. W. Boise, sec.
Boston—Mass. Horticultural Fair. Sept. 14-17. Wm. P. Rich, sec.
Bridgewater—Plymouth Co. Fair. Sept. 18-14. J. H. Leonard, sec.
Brookton—Brookton Fair. Oct. 3-6. Hon. H. W. Robinson, pres.; B. M. Thompson, treas.; Ballis Sanford, sec.
Charlestown—Deerfield Valley Fair. Sept. 14-15. S. W. Hawkes, sec.
Clinton—Clinton Fair. Sept. 13-15. Col. Jno. E. Thayer, pres.; L. Field, treas.; Warren Goodale, sec.
Cummington—Hillside Fair. Sept. 26-27. Ward A. Harlow, pres.; D. E. Lyman, treas.; O. F. Burr, sec.; Ring, Ill.
Framingham—Middlesex South Fair. Sept. 19-20. G. E. Harrington, sec.
Great Barrington—Housatonic Fair. Sept. 27-28. F. J. Fuller, sec.
Greenville—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 20-21. H. J. Field, sec.
Higham—Higham Fair. Sept. 26-27. Wm. H. Thomas, sec.
Holyoke—Poultrymen's Fair. Nov. 22-25.
Lowell—Middlesex North Fair. Sept. 15-17. F. H. Appleton, sec.
Marshfield—Marshfield Fair. Aug. 23-25. Col. H. A. Oakman, pres.; North Marshfield; M. Herman Kent, treas.; Israel Hatch, sec.; North Marshfield.
Middlefield—Highland Fair. Sept. 6-7. J. Bryan, sec.
Nantucket—Nantucket Fair. Aug. 23-24. J.

F. Murphy, sec.
North Adams—Hoosac Valley Fair. Sept. 22-23. Jos. P. Reed, sec.
Northampton—Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden Fair. Oct. 4-5. C. A. Montgomery, sec.
Oxford—Oxford Fair. Sept. 7-8. J. E. Darling, sec.
Palmer—Essex Hampden Fair. Oct. 5-7. L. E. Chandler, sec.
Peabody—Essex Fair. Sept. 10-21. M. J. Danforth, sec.
South Weymouth—Weymouth Fair. Sept. 1-4. T. L. Tirrell, sec.
Spencer—Spencer Fair. Sept. 21-22. H. H. Capen, sec.
Sturbridge—Worcester South Fair. Sept. 14-15. C. V. Corey, sec.
Taunton—Bristol Co. Fair. Sept. 26-23. Jas. P. Dunn, sec.
Uxbridge—Blackstone Valley Fair. Sept. 22-23. Dr. R. B. Sharpe, sec.
West Tisbury—Martha Vineyard Fair. Sept. 19-20. F. A. Look, sec.
Worcester—New England Fair. Sept. 4-6. B. W. Potter, pres.; L. F. Herrick, treas.; M. M. Rich, sec.

MICHIGAN.

Adrian—Lenawee Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. H. Fairbanks, sec.
Allegan—Allegan Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. H. Foster, pres.; Roy Wilcox, treas.; W. H. Warner, sec.
Bad Axe—Huron Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. M. Dibb, pres.; Chas. E. Thompson, treas.; Finley D. McGregor, sec.
Croswell—Croswell Fair. Sept. 27-29. A. A. Sutherland, pres.; J. B. Nifferman, treas.; A. R. Martin, sec.
Detroit—Michigan State Fair. Sept. 11-16. Eugene Field, pres.; Bay City; C. W. Young, treas.; Paw Paw; I. H. Butterfield, sec.
East Jordan—Chaleroix Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29. Jacob Groff, pres.; Chas. Hipp, treas.; Roy Sberna, sec.
Iron Mountain Dist. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. L. Keiser, pres.; E. A. Murphy, treas.; W. Walter Smith, sec.
Ironwood—Geoghe Co. Fair. Dates not set. C. E. Hook, sec.
Lake Odessa—Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29.
Marshall—Calhoun Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. H. Goraline, pres.; T. J. Shipp, treas.; W. H. Arthur, sec.
Pontiac—Eastern Mich. Fair. Sept. 4-9. Ephraim Howland, pres.; A. F. Newberry, treas.; F. B. Gliddings, sec.
Reed City—Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. A. C. Goehring, pres.; L. K. Parkhurst, treas.; T. R. Welsh, sec.
Midland—Midland Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. H. L. Fairchild, sec.

MINNESOTA.

Albert Les—Freeborn Co. Fair. Sept. 18-20. D. K. Stacy, pres.; C. H. Freeman, treas.; Rohit. J. Tweedy, sec.
Austin—Mower Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. J. J. Furlong, pres.; Geo. Robertson, treas.; J. E. Davidson, sec.
Canby—Yellow Med. Co. Fair. Sept. 18-15. John Rowe, pres.; S. J. Forbes, treas.; F. E. Millard, sec.
Bird Island—Beauville Co. Fair. Dates not set. A. J. Richardson, pres.; J. B. Keitgen, treas.; Joe Haggert, sec.
Blue Earth—Faribault Co. Fair. Dates not set. Frank Sellen, pres.; J. M. Malmn, treas.; Frank E. Ettekkon, sec.
Jackson—Jackson Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. B. Paddock, pres.; H. G. Anderson, treas.; W. H. Miller, sec.
Kasson—Dodge Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. M. G. Smith, pres.; Abner A. Johnson, treas.; AUG. E. Anderson, sec.
Madison—Las qui Parle Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. Jas. A. Little, sec.
Marshall—Lyon Co. Fair. Oct. 4-6.
Morris—Stevens Co. Fair. Dates not set. T. H. McGinnis, pres.; Samuel Larson, treas.; D. E. Whiston, sec.
Preston—Fillmore Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Frank T. Bach, sec.
Red Falls—Redwood Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29.
St. Paul—Minn. State Fair. Sept. 4-9.
St. Peter—Nicollet Co. Agrl. Fair. Sept. 14-16. C. W. Carpenter, pres.; H. J. Essler, treas.; E. E. Miller, sec.
Winona—Winona Fair. Sept. 13-15.

MISSOURI.

Bowling Green—Pike Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Jas. E. McPike, pres.; Ed. Briggs, treas.; H. M. Strother, sec.
Cape Girardeau—Cape Girardeau Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14. D. A. Glenn, pres.; H. A. Astolita, treas.; H. H. Engleman, sec.
Carthage—Knox Fair. Sept. 5-8. Miss Emma Knell, sec.
Carruthersville—Pemiscott Co. Fair. Oct. 24-28.
Cuba—Crawford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. D. G. Garver, pres.; Newton Jones, treas.; John Harris, sec.
Dexter—Stoddard Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30.
Harrisonville—Cass Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. H. V. Hurst, pres.; J. E. Vanderventer, treas.; Duncan Russell, sec.
Holden—Johnson Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Wm. Steele, pres.; C. B. Starkey, treas.; E. K. Steele, sec.
Kennett—Dunkin Co. Fair. Oct. 18-21.
Nevada—Frank Driving Club. June 27-30. S. A. Wright, pres.; H. M. Duck, treas.; W. E. Clark, sec.
Milan—Merchants' Fair. Dates not set. C. A. Schoene, pres.; J. H. B. Smith, treas.; E. B. Ash, sec.
Oran—Scott Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. B. Stubbefeld, pres.; Elwood Allen, sec.; P. E. Marshall, treas.
Palmyra—Marion Co. Fair. Sept. 13-16. C. B. Thompson, sec.
Paris—Monroe Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. M. Alexandria, pres.; J. E. Phillip, sec.
Rich Hill—Rich Hill Fair. July 11-14. Jno. Klump, pres.; Henry Christman, treas.; W. F. Tygard, sec.
Rockport—Rockport Fair. Sept. 10-15. J. W. Young, sec.
Sedalia—Missouri State Fair. Aug. 21-26. J. A. Potts, pres.; J. E. Rippy, sec.
Shelbina—Shelbina Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. W. Worlam, pres.; N. H. Parsons, sec.
Springfield—Springfield Dist. Fair. Sept. 11-16. Ivan Link, pres.; Herman J. Meyer, treas.; W. T. Bigbee, sec.
Warrensburg—Warrensburg Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 1. Jno. Shrankill, pres.; Frank Hayes, treas.; Sy. Sanders, sec.

Washington—Frusklu Co. Fair. Sept. 7-9. Jos. F. Kabmann, sec.
MONTANA.
Bozeman—Inter-State Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. F. L. Renepe, pres.; H. L. Casey, treas.; J. M. Smith, sec.

NEBRASKA.

Albion—Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Neil, pres.; Jos. Greene, treas.; H. L. Brooks, sec.
Auburn—Nemaha Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. E. Long, pres.; W. H. Banskield, treas.; C. C. Snow, sec.
Aurora—Hamilton Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. A. Isaman, pres.; T. E. Williams, treas.; Dan L. Machamer, sec.
Battle Creek—Race Meeting. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. George W. Loser, pres.; Thos. M. Morris, sec.
Broken Bow—Custer Co. Fair. Dates not set. E. R. Purcell, sec.
Creighton—Knox Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. W. C. Caley, pres.; T. J. Buckmaster, sec.
Lincoln—Nebraska State Fair. Sept. 1-8. W. R. Mellor, pres.; Long City, Neb.; Ed. McClure, treas.; Seward, Neb.; Robt. W. Furnas, sec.; Brownville, Neb.
Hubbell—Driving Park Assn. Sept. 19-22.
Nelsoo—Nuckolls Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29.
Stanton—Stanton Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. Spence, pres.; Jno. Schindler, treas.; W. H. Hyland, sec.
Seward—Seward Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Jno. Zimmerer, pres.; H. D. Landis, sec.; M. A. Graft, treas.
York—York Co. Fair. Aug. 5-8. M. B. Atkins, pres.; C. N. Beaver, treas.; T. E. Bennett, sec.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Claremont—Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. Jno. M. Howe, pres.; Edw. J. Roslter, treas.; Joo. D. Ayer, sec.
Naubna—Naubna Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. J. Doyle, pres.; M. C. Mullen, sec.; J. Tollis, treas.
Rochester—Rochester Fair. Sept. 26-29. Geo. E. Wallace, pres.; Chas. M. Bailey, sec. aud treas.; W. G. Bradley, gen. mgr.

NEW JERSEY.

Trenton—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-29. M. R. Margerum, sec.
Mt. Holly—Great Mt. Holly Fair. Oct. 2-6.

NEW MEXICO.

Albuquerque—Albuquerque Racing Fair. May 28-31. C. E. Newcomer, pres.; P. F. McCauna, sec.
Albuquerque—New Mexico Territorial Fair. Sept. 18-23. W. H. Greer, pres.; J. E. Herndon, treas.; D. K. B. Sellers, sec.
Roswell—Roswell Fair. Dates not set. Lucius Dills, sec.

NEW YORK.

Albion—Orleans Co. Fair. Sept. 15-17. L. H. Beach, sec.
Ballston Spa—Saratoga Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Eugene Wiswall, pres.; W. L. Caver, treas.; N. V. Witbeck, sec.
Batavia—Genesee Co. Fair. Sept. 19-23. Jno. Lons, pres.; H. H. Bostwick, treas.; Albert E. Brown, sec.
Binghamton—Binghamton Fair. Sept. 26-29. G. T. Rogers, pres.; Henry S. Martin, sec.; J. P. E. Clark, mgr.
Boonville—Boonville Fair. Sept. 5-8. Henry McClosky, pres.; E. B. Palmer, treas.; H. J. Volmar, sec.
Brookport—Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 27-30. Chas. J. White, pres.; Warren B. Conklin, treas.; Geo. B. Harmon, sec.
Brookfield—Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. N. A. Crumb, sec.
Cambridge—Cambridge Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jerome B. Rice, pres.; Henry A. Qua, treas.; E. B. Norton, sec.
Carmel—Putnam Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. Weeks, pres.; C. C. Townsend, treas.; J. N. Walker, sec.
Cortland—Cortland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-26. W. J. Greenman, sec.
Cuba—Cuba Fair. Sept. 18-16. H. G. Wasson, pres.; H. O. Morgan, treas.; Geo. H. Swift, sec.
Deposit—Deposit Fair. Aug. 22-25. C. P. Knapp, pres.; O. E. Martin, treas.; Delos Ax-fall, sec.
Downsville—Downsville Fair. Aug. 22-25. M. Melnhold, sec.
Dryden—Dryden Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. Cole, pres.; D. T. Wheeler, treas.; J. B. Wilson, sec.
Fonda—Montgomery Co. Fair. Aug. 23-31. Wm. B. Charles, pres.; Edw. L. Edwards, treas.; J. B. Martin, sec.
Franklinville—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. W. N. Sill, sec.
Fredonia—Chautauque Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. H. M. Clarke, sec.
Gouverneur—Gouverneur Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. S. F. Hartley, pres.; F. T. Whitney, treas.; Edw. W. Duffie, sec.
Greene—Elverside Fair. Sept. 12-15. L. E. St. John, pres.; E. S. Walker, treas.; C. Winston, sec.
Hamburg—Erie Co. Fair. Sept. 13-16. Jno. A. Kloepper, pres.; W. H. Abbott, treas.; J. C. Newton, sec.
Hemlock—Hemlock Union Fair. Sept. 4-6. E. H. Westbrook, pres.; W. B. Thurston, treas.; F. A. Thurston, sec.
Herkimer—Herkimer Co. Fair. Aug. 28-31. H. Edick, jr., pres.; B. Manion, treas.; I. P. Rashach, sec.
Hornellsville—Hornellsville Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 1. L. D. Whiting, pres.; Charles Adsit, treas.; Clyde E. Shultz, sec.
Ithaca—Tomkins Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Fred. E. Bates, pres.; W. B. Georgia, treas.; A. G. Geming, sec.
Johnstown—Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. L. Getman, pres.; Gloverville; C. P. Willard, treas.; Elmer J. Dorn, sec.
Little Valley—Chattaraugus Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. C. R. Bodes, pres.; E. L. Campbell, treas.; J. H. Wilson, sec.
Lockport—Niagara Co. Fair. Sept. 7-10. E. N. Roberts, sec.
Marsgreenville—Catskill Mountain Fair. Aug. 22-25. H. M. Coulter, pres.; Wm. Mungle, treas.; Thos. Winter, sec.
Mineola—Nassau Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. Geo. W. Smith, pres.; Hempstead; Thos. G. Bacon, treas.; Oyster Bay; Lott Van de Walter, jr., sec.; Hempstead.
Naples—Naples Union Fair. Sept. 19-22. F. P. Byington, pres.; D. J. Dougby, treas.; C. L. Lewis, sec.
Nassau—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 4-7. W. D. Barnes,

pres.; Brainard; C. E. Husted, treas.; Delmar Lyud, sec.; East Sbocked.
Newark—Newark Fair. Sept. 21-23. J. Dulpha Reeves, pres.; P. R. Sleight, treas.; W. H. Hyde, sec.
Newark Valley—Northern Toga Fair. Aug. 29-31. Chas. H. Barnas, pres.; E. F. Beldon, treas.; G. E. Purple, sec.
Oneida—Oneida Fair. Sept. 20-23. A. L. Nix-dorf, pres.; G. L. Schunfle, treas.; C. C. Tower, sec.
Orangeburg—Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. W. Springsteen, pres.; Talman; D. T. Ingalls, treas.; Spring Valley; Elbert Talman, sec.; Spring Valley.
Owego—Toga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Lewis S. Leonard, pres.; A. W. Parmelee, treas.; L. W. Kingman, sec.
Perry—Silver Lake Fair. Sept. 26-28. S. W. Hart, sec.
Penn Yan—Yates Co. Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. J. Huson, pres.; Geo. H. Remer, treas.; Jno. E. Watkins, sec.
Poughkeepsie—Dutchess Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. M. Booth, sec.
Rome—Oueda Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Henry Bar-nard, jr., pres.; L. Mittenmaier, jr., treas.; J. B. Cushman, sec.
Sandy Creek—Sandy Creek Fair. Aug. 22-25. Ward W. Stevens, prop.; G. T. Smith, treas.; H. Loula Wallace, sec.
Sandy Hill—Fair. Aug. 8-11.
Schenevus Valley—Fair. Aug. 16-18. H. Ber-nard, pres.; E. J. Goddard, treas.; W. A. Pier, sec.
Trumansburg—Union Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. William T. Biggs, pres.; Horace A. Mosher, treas.; Guy O. Hinman, sec.
Vernon—Vernon Fair. Sept. 26-28. F. A. Cody, pres.; D. W. Hart, treas.; C. G. Simmons, sec.
Warsaw—Wyoming Co. Fair. Sept. 21-22. W. H. Roepert, sec.; Irving G. Botsford, treas.; Wm. E. Webster, sec.
Watertown—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. K. Cole, pres.; Evans' Mills; E. C. Maxson, treas.; Adams Center; W. R. Skells, sec.
Wellsville—Wellsville Fair. Aug. 21-23.
White Plains—Westchester Co. Fair. Sept. 25-30. Moses A. Gaylor, pres.; Jos. B. Lee, treas.; Edw. B. Long, sec.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Burlington—Alamance Fair. Oct. 23-25. J. A. Long, pres.; Graham; R. A. Freeman, treas.; J. A. Turrentine, sec.
Charlotte—Mecklinburg Fair. Oct. 24-27. R. J. Brevard, pres.; W. Chambers, treas.; W. S. Orr, sec.
Greensboro—Central Carolina Fair. Oct. 10-13. Dr. J. T. J. Battle, pres.; Nell Eillington, treas.; Jno. W. Cook, sec.
Raleigh—North Carolina State Fair. Oct. 16-21. Ashley Horne, pres.; Clayton; C. B. Denson, treas.; J. E. Pogue, sec.
Winston-Salem—Forsyth Co. Fair. Oct. 8-6. G. A. Hauser, pres.; G. E. Webb, sec.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Crystal—Tri-County Fair. July 3-5. W. J. Greenwood, pres.; Jno. F. Appleton, treas.; Fred. W. Stafford, sec.

OHIO.

Akron—Summit Co. Fair. Oct. 2-6. Jno. F. Moore, pres.; Copley, R. F. D. No. 89; G. W. Brewster, treas.; O. J. Swinehart, sec.
Athens—Athens Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. A. Murphy, pres.; E. R. Walker, treas.; H. H. Haning, sec.
Attica—Attica Union Fair. Sept. 26-29. H. M. Kaufman, pres.; J. Nelson Starr, treas.; Dr. D. V. Hoke, sec.
Bazant—Clermont Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8.
Bellefontaine—Logan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-23. Jno. A. Horner, pres.; Jno. P. Aiken, sec.
Blanchester—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. J. R. Ross, pres.; E. Goodwin, treas.; Miner Swau, sec.
Boston—Clermont Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. M. Bondush, pres.; Newtonsville; J. G. Rapp, treas.; John Rowan, sec.; 2118 Monroe ave.; Nuywood.
Bucyrus—Crawford Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13.
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Canal Dover—Tuscarawas Co. Fair. Oct. 17-20.
Carrollton—Carroll Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. M. O. Cooper, pres.; Magnolia; T. J. Saltman, treas.; C. A. Tope, sec.
Celina—Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. C. F. Kruger, pres.; W. H. Bomer, treas.; St. Henry; Fred Heiby, Ft. Recovery.
Chagrin Falls—Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8.
Chandlersville—Muskingum Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. K. Browning, pres.; A. F. Vest, treas.; E. Y. White, sec.
Clarksville—Clinton and Warren Co. Fair. Aug. 8-10. Warren A. Brady, pres.; F. L. Miller, treas.; Mrs. V. A. Gorham, sec.
Columbus—Ohio State Fair. Sept. 4-8.
Coshocton—Coshocton Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. W. Simons, pres.; W. B. Miller, treas.; Robt. Boyd, sec.
Croton—Hartford Central Fair. Sept. 13-14. W. E. Hatfield, pres.; Centerburg; C. L. McCracken, treas.; W. H. Slegfried, sec.
Dayton—Montgomery Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8.
Eatonsville—Preble Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. Noah Siler, pres.; West Manchester; C. F. Brooks, jr., treas.; G. W. Daugherty, sec.
Elyria—Lorain Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. H. Miller, pres.; L. D. Hamlin, treas.; Anthony Neiding, sec.
Findlay—Hancock Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Wm. Deiland, sec.
Gallipolis—Gallia Co. Fair. Aug. 16-18. W. M. Duffy, pres.; Point Pleasant, W. Va.; F. G. Musgrove, sec. and treas.; Point Pleasant, W. Va.
Greenville—Great Dark Co. Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 1. J. M. Brown, pres.; Arcanum; Ed. Ammon, treas.; Gordon; J. M. Hall, sec.
Jefferson—Ashtabula Co. Fair. Aug. 23-24. W. H. Dodge, pres.; Dodgeville; C. C. Babcock, treas.; J. M. Roberts, sec.
Kenton—Hardin Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. M. Thompson, sec.
Kinsman—Kinsman Fair. Aug. 29-31. H. J. Wald, pres.; J. A. Hamilton, treas.; H. J. Fobes, sec.
Lebanon—Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. A. D. Smith, pres.; Geo. W. Carey, sec.
Lima—Allen Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. A. States, pres.; West Cairo; G. B. Fetter, treas.; T. B. Bowersock, sec.
London—Madison Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. McConnellsville—Morgan Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29.

Benj. F. Reed, pres.; Harry M. Finley, treas.; Geo. H. Black, sec.
Mansfield—Richland Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. W. H. Shylock, pres.; Jno. Hale, treas.; Jno. H. Coss, sec.
Marlette—Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Hiram True, pres.; Lower Salem; C. W. Zim- mer, treas.; Stanleyville; Jas. F. Hovey, sec.
Marysville—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. O. Johnson, pres.; Homer Southard, treas.; W. F. Broderick, sec.
Mason—Mason Fair. Dates not set. J. A. Rebold, pres.; J. W. Buck, treas.; W. H. Williamson, sec.
Middleton—Butler Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6.
Montpelier—Williams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. C. Lattner, sec.
Mount Joy—Scioto Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. T. Blackburn, pres.; Barden; W. A. McGeorge, sec.
Napoleon—Napoleon Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Hanna, pres.; R. B. Heller, treas.; J. L. Halter, sec.
Newark—Licking Co. Fair. Oct. 3-7. W. H. Kussenmand, pres.; Greenville; E. M. Sigler, treas.; Homer; J. M. Farmer, sec.
New Bremen—New Bremen Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Theo. H. Tangeman, sec.
New Lexington—New Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Chas. C. Chappellear.
Ottawa—Putnam Co. Fair. Oct. 3-7. W. J. Varner, pres.; Sam Cartwright, treas.; A. P. Sandler, sec.
Paulding—Paulding Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Allen Bybee, pres.; Jno. A. Jenkins, sec.
Richmond—Richmond Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. L. Horn, pres.; L. P. Albright, treas.; H. C. Duke, sec.
Ripley—Ripley Fair. Aug. 8-11. L. H. Williams, sec.
Russellville—Russellville Fair. Oct. 12. J. D. Selp, pres.; T. M. Sallsbury, treas.; J. C. Miller, sec.
St. Clairsville—Belmont Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. S. Creamer, pres.; W. T. Judkins, treas.; J. H. Taylor, sec.
Sardinia—Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Farmer Kennedy, sec.
Sidney—Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. J. Cargill, pres.; Jno. Duncan, treas.; J. E. Russell, sec.
Smithfield—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29. Alouzo Hayne, pres.; Adena; Chas. McKinney, treas.; J. O. Hayne, sec.
Springfield—Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25.
Sycamore—Sycamore Fair. Oct. 17-20. J. L. Curris, pres.; Geo. A. Kilar, treas.; M. Vance, sec.
Tinn—Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. H. Knapp, pres.; Republic; E. T. Winsted, treas.; Morgan E. Ink, sec.; Republic.
Upper Sandusky—Wander Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. H. E. Hedges, pres.; Peter Frank, jr., treas.; A. F. Schenck, sec.
Urbana—Champaign Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18.
Van Wert—Van Wert Fair. Sept. 12-15. B. F. Lealle, pres.; Conroy; E. B. Gilliland, treas.; E. V. Walborn, sec.
Wapakoneta—Auglaize Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Chas. Frader, pres.; Unipolis; T. E. Bowsher, treas.; A. E. Schaefer, sec.
Washington C. H.—Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Bell G. Allen, sec.
Wilmingon—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25.
Wellington—Wellington Fair. Aug. 23-25.
Woodneck—Monroe Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. C. Mooney, pres.; Geo. P. Dorr, sec.
Woodsport—Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Jno. O. McClaren, pres.; W. A. Wilson, treas.; G. J. Ehrlich, sec.; Shreve.
Xenia—Greene Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11.
Zanesville—Mark Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. K. Browning, pres.; R. Y. White, sec.; Chaudlersville; A. F. Veet, treas.

OKLAHOMA.
Blackwell—Blackwell Inter-State Fair. Oct. 16-22. Wm. Buckholz, pres.; W. H. Thompson, treas.; E. P. Blake, sec.
Deer Creek—Grant Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. A. T. Dungan, pres.; T. J. Hartman, treas.; C. F. Ederle, sec.
Newkirk—Kay Co. Fair. Oct. 9-12. S. Spore, pres.; Harry Thompson, sec.
Oklahoma City—Oklahoma Co. Fair. Oct. 23-28.
Shawnee—Pottawatomie Co. Fair. Nov. 6-11.

PENNSYLVANIA.
Allentown—Lehigh Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Hon. Jeremiah, pres.; Milton J. Kern, treas.; H. B. Schall, sec.
Bedford—Bedford Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. Jno. Line, pres.; Wm. I. Elcholtz, sec.
Bethlehem—Pennsylvania State Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. Walter Lovatt, pres.; W. M. Apple-gate, treas.; H. A. Gorman, sec.
Bloomsburg—Columbia Co. Fair. Dates not set. E. P. Haggenbuch, pres.; A. N. Yost, sec.
Brookville—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. B. Henderson, sec.
Burgettstown—Union Fair. Oct. 3-5. D. J. Dowden, mgr.; W. A. Coryson, treas.; R. P. Stevenson, sec.
Butler—Drying Park and Fair. Aug. 22-25. Geo. A. Schaffner, pres.; E. W. Bingham, treas.; L. J. McBride, sec.
Cambridge Springs—Cambridge Co. Aug. 22-25. B. E. Humes, pres.; J. O. Shered, treas.; Albert S. Faber, sec.
Carlisle—Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. R. M. Mullin, pres.; W. H. McCrea, sec.
Clarion—Clarion Co. Fair. Sept. 5-11.
Conneaut Lake—Conneaut Lake Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Chas. T. Byers, sec.
Dayton—Dayton Fair. Sept. 26-29. Wm. Gal-lagher, pres.; O. H. Good, treas.; W. C. Marshall, sec.
Edinboro—Edinboro Fair. Aug. 15-17. C. W. Billings, sec.
Forksville—Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. Fred. Newell, pres.; A. G. Little, treas.; Ulysses Bird, sec.
Hanover—Hanover Fair. Sept. 12-15. B. M. Wirt, pres.; T. J. Little, treas.; M. O. Smith, sec.
Honesdale—Wayne Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. L. Ferguson, pres.; Seelyville; J. V. Starnes, treas.; Bethany; E. W. Gammell, sec.
Huntington—Huntington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. L. B. Leister, pres.; H. D. Belners, treas.; Hugo Mayer, sec.
Indiana—Indiana Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. M. F. Jamison, pres.; A. W. Mabon, treas.; David Blair, sec.
Johnstown—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 12-15. Chas. Young, pres.; Geo. O. Jordan, treas.; Dr. M. C. Kotler, sec.
Kittanning—Armstrong Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18.

E. J. McGivea, pres.; C. J. Jessop, treas.; W. E. Noble, sec.
Lehigh—Carbo Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. E. Brinkman, pres.; W. H. Obert, treas.; A. F. Greenwalt, sec.
Lewisburg—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Geo. B. Frederick, pres.; Reuben Kline, treas.; Bucknell; C. Dale Wolfe, sec.; Bucknell.
Madisonville—Lackawanna Grange Fair. Sept. 29-29. J. A. Yeager, pres.; R. J. Mansfield, treas.; Lionel Winship, sec.; Moscow.
Mansfield—Mansfield Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. M. Clark, pres.; W. D. Husted, treas.; H. R. Hoard, sec.
Milton—Great Milton Fair. Oct. 3-6. Wm. H. Hackenburg, pres.; Edwin Paul, sec.
Montrose—Susquehanna Co. Fair. Sept. 13-14. F. I. Lott, pres.; R. E. Beebe, treas.; F. A. Davies, sec.
Nazareth—Northampton Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. S. Messenger, pres.; Latamp; J. R. Rein- helmer, sec.
Newport—Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. D. H. Sheldy, pres.; T. H. Butturf, treas.; J. C. F. Stephas, sec.
Oxford—Oxford Fair. Sept. 27-29. S. E. Nlvin, pres.; Loudenburg; F. G. Andrews, treas.; H. C. Thomas, sec.
Pulaski—Pulaski Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1.
Punxsutawney—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Ben Record, sec.
Reading—Great Reading Fair. Oct. 3-6. Jas. McGowan, pres.; Gieger's Mills; Milford N. Ritter, treas.; H. Sedel Throm, sec.
Stoneboro—Stoneboro Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Vernon, pres.; Robt. P. Cann, treas.; Geo. H. Fowler, sec.
Stroudsburg—Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. S. Williams, pres.; O. F. Phillips, treas.; F. B. Overhill, sec.; East Stroudsburg.
Towanda—Bradford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Wil- ham J. McCabe, pres.; M. E. Horton, treas.; Chas. Culvert, sec.
Troy—Troy Fair. Sept. 12-15. Liston Bliss, pres.; L. H. Oliver, treas.; D. F. Pomeroy, sec.
Williams' Grove—Grange Inter-State Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. R. A. Thomas, pres.; Mechanics- burg.
Youngwood—Westmoreland Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. D. Barnhart, pres.; Mt. Pleasant; D. B. Fisher, treas.; F. M. Waughman, sec.; Harri- son City.

SOUTH CAROLINA.
Charleston—S. C. State Fair. Oct. 2-7.
Columbia—State Fair. Oct. 23-27. G. A. Gni- gnard, pres.; A. Gamewell LaMotte, treas.; A. W. Love, sec.

SOUTH DAKOTA.
Belle Fourche—Belle Fourche Fair. Dates not set. Frank E. Cook, pres.; A. H. Maxwell, sec.

TENNESSEE.
Alexandria—DeKalb Co. Fair. Sept. 7-8. D. D. Overall, pres.; J. W. Wood, treas.; Bob Boy.
Clarksville—Montgomery Fair. Dates not set. Jno. F. Shelton, pres.; W. E. Shelton, treas.; W. E. Beach, sec.
Cleveland—Farmers' Fair. Dates not set. M. V. Jones, pres.; Jno. V. Cate, sec.
Trenton—Gibson Co. Fair. Oct. 11-14. T. J. Hapell, pres.; W. F. McKee, treas.; Chas. L. Wade, sec.
Union City—West Tennessee Fair. Sept. 26-30. W. C. Farris, pres.; H. Dietzke, treas.; J. W. Woolsey, sec.

TEXAS.
Dallas—Texas State Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 15. C. A. Keating, pres.; J. B. Adone, treas.; Sydney Smith, sec.
Greenville—Hunt Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. J. O. Hayter, pres.; Jas. Ormisted, treas.; H. L. Carpenter, sec.
Orcidiana—C. T. N. Fair. Aug. 9-13. G. Phipps, sec.; box 494.
Kerzville—West Texas Fair. Sept. 7-9. Charles Real, sec.
Llano—Llano Co. Fair. Sept. 28-30. S. D. Rauntree, pres.; C. I. Boynton, sec.
San Antonio—San Antonio Fair. Oct. 21-Nov. 1. Jno. W. Kokernot, pres.; S. B. Weller, treas.; J. M. Vance, sec.

UTAH.
Salt Lake City—Desert Agrl. and Mfg. Fair. Oct. 6-7. J. G. McDonald, pres.; Wm. Bate- man, sec.

VERMONT.
Manchester—Battenkill Valley Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. B. Smith, pres.; D. H. Dyes, treas.; Dr. J. F. Page, sec.
Middleburg—Addison County Fair. Sept. 5-9. Frank C. Dyer, pres.; W. Sallsbury; C. E. Pinney, treas.; Fred L. Hamilton, sec.; West Sallsbury.
Morrisville—Lamville Valley Fair. Aug. 29-31. G. M. Powers, pres.; O. M. Waterman, sec.
Springfield—Springfield Fair. Sept. 12-13. E. C. Crosby, pres.; Geo. F. Leland, treas.; Fred C. Davis, sec.
Waterbury—Winooski Valley Fair. Sept. 12-14. G. E. Moody, pres.; W. B. Elliott, treas.; Chas. Keene, sec.
Woodstock—Windsor Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. A. E. Fuller, pres.; C. H. English, treas.; C. J. Faul, sec.

VIRGINIA.
Lynchburg—Inter-State Fair. Oct. 3-6. Carter Glass, pres.; S. T. Withers, treas.; Frank Lovelock, sec.
Norfolk—Norfolk Fair. Oct. 16-21. O. O. Wrenn, pres.; P. O. box 296.
Tasley—Peninsula Fair. Aug. 8-11.
Tappahannock—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8-11. J. W. Blackstone, pres.; Wm. Hopkins, sec.

WASHINGTON.
Everett—Snohomish Co. Fair. Sept. 18-23. T. F. Oliver, pres.; Jos. A. Swallow, treas.; Dan Currie, sec.
North Yakima—Washington State Fair. Oct. 2-7.
Puyallup—Valley Fair. Oct. 3-8. W. J. Bow- man, pres.; W. D. Cotter, treas.; J. F. Nevins, sec.
Spokane—Spokane Inter-State Fair. Oct. 9-15. Howell W. Peel, pres.; E. J. Dyer, treas.; Robt. H. Cogrove, sec.

WEST VIRGINIA.
Martinsburg—Innwood Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. J. F. Thompson, pres.; F. E. Wilson, treas.; O. W. Boyer, sec.
Middlebourne—Tyler Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. C. S. Stanley, pres.; W. E. Kirchner, treas.; C. B. Riggle, sec.
New Martinsville—Wetzel Co. Fair. Aug. 14-17.

Justus Eackla, pres.; J. A. Pyles, treas.; J. R. Thorn, sec.
Pensacola—Pensacola Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. E. Wells, pres.; Wm. A. Strickler, sec.
Shepherdstown—Morgan's Grove Fair. Sept. 5-8. C. D. Wepone, pres.; Joan P. Kearfoot, treas.; E. T. Licklider, sec.
Weston—Lewis Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14.
Wheeling—Expositio and State Fair. Sept. 11-15. A. Keymann, pres.; Geo. Hook, sec.

WISCONSIN.
Amherst—Portage Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. J. Niven, pres.; Sheridan; L. A. Pomeroy, treas.; A. J. Smith, sec.
Antigo—Langlade Co. Fair. Sept. 10-12.
Appleton—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1.
Augusta—Eau Claire Co. Fair. Dates not set. Geo. Bills, pres.; A. E. Braundford, treas.; Birt Fredericks, sec.
Baraboo—Sauk Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Chas. Wild, pres.; Frank Shultz, treas.; S. A. Fel- ton, sec.
Beaverdam—Dodge Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. L. Wallace, pres.; H. E. Drake, treas.; C. W. Harvey, sec.
Beloit—Inter-State Fair. Aug. 15-18. Geo. G. Cram, pres.; D. H. Tanock, treas.; T. D. Corcoran, sec.
Berlin—Berlin Agrl. Fair. Aug. 22-25. H. W. Temme, pres.; E. Grant Bunce, treas.; W. J. Clemeat, sec.
Black River Falls—Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. Bolger, pres.; O. F. Olson, treas.; E. L. Ormsby, sec.
Boscobel—Boscobel Fair. Oct. 4-6. Jacob Scott, pres.; Joe B. Naert, treas.; Louis B. Ruka, sec.
Chilton—Calumet Co. Fair. Aug. 31-Sept. 2. Fred. Horman, pres.; New Holstein; Winfield S. Lloyd, treas.; Gregory Dorschel, sec.
Chippewa Falls—Northern Wisconsin State Fair. Aug. 29-31. Robt. B. Clark, sec.
Darlington—Lafayette Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Geo. Ward, sec.
Gay's Mills—Central Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. Atley Peterson, pres.; Soldiers' Grove; N. Jurgeson, treas.; E. G. Briggs, sec.
Jefferson—Jefferson Co. and Rock River Valley Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Carlin, pres.; O. F. Rossler, sec.
Kilbourn City—Luter Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Nat. Wetzel, pres.; D. Wintermote, treas.; Geo. H. Campbell, sec.
La Crosse—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-30. T. H. Spence, pres.; E. M. Wing, treas.; C. S. VanAnken, sec.
Madison—Taylor Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. F. M. Shaw, pres.; L. A. Maier, treas.; W. G. Toop, sec.
Merrill—Lincoln Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. H. R. Merrill, pres.; Wm. F. Peterman, treas.; J. W. Bruce, sec.
Menominee—Dunn Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. B. Chickering, pres.; F. A. Vasay, treas.; Geo. Gallaway, sec.
Milwaukee—Wisconsin State Board of Agricul- ture. Sept. 1-15. Geo. McKerrow, pres.; J. J. Kempf, treas.; Jno. M. True, sec.
Mondovi—Buffalo Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. C. E. Otis, pres.; N. A. Peeso, treas.; M. C. Fisher, sec.
Monroe—Green Co. Fair. Sept. 13-16. W. Lud- low, pres.; L. A. Honger, treas.; Willart T. Sancierman, sec.
New Richmond—New Richmond Fair. Sept. 19-22. O. J. Williams, pres.; F. R. Winter, treas.; L. A. Baker, sec.
Oconto—Oconto Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. B. Chase, sec.
Nellsville—Clark Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. W. Hommel, pres.; G. L. Redmond, treas.; H. C. Clark, sec.
New London—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-29.
Newport—Columbia Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. H. Wells, pres.; E. N. McConchie, treas.; J. E. Jones, sec.
Richland Centre—Richland Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. W. Martin, pres.; Gotham, Wis.; H. C. Lybrand, treas.; W. F. Fogo, sec.
Seymour—Seymour Fair. Sept. 28-30. Peter Tubbs, pres.; H. J. VanVeen, sec.
Viroqua—Vernon Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. M. Minshall, pres.; J. M. McLees, sec.
Wausau—Marathon Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8.

WYOMING.
Cheyenne—Frontier Park Fair. Sept. 4-6. Edw. Hofmas, pres.; J. L. Murray, treas.; C. B. Richardson, sec.

CANADA.
Alexander—County Fair. Sept. 21. O. F. Mac- donald, sec.
Alvinston—Fair. Oct. 3-4.
Alymer—Canada's Great Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. D. H. Price, sec.
Bowmanville—West Durham Fair. Sept. 29. M. A. James, sec.
Brandon, Man.—Western Man. Fair. Aug. 1-4. F. J. Clark, mgr.
Brigden—Fair. Oct. 3.
Brookville—Co. Fair. Sept. 21. R. H. Field, sec.
Calgary, N. W. Ter.—Inter-Western Pacific Ex- July 19-20. Chas. W. Peterson, sec.
Campbellford—Campbellford Fair. Sept. 29. G. A. Hay, sec.
Carberry, Man.—Norfolk Fair. July 19-20. C. H. Brooks, sec.
Carman, Man.—Dufferin Agrl. Fair. July 6-7. T. Kernighan, sec.
Cartwright, Man.—Cartwright Fair. July 18-19. A. W. Bagnell, sec.
Chatham—West Kent Dist. Fair. Sept. 26-28. A. J. Dolson, pres.; R. G. Fleming, treas.; Henry Robinson, sec.
Collingwood, Ont.—Great Northern Exhibition. Sept. 26-29. W. A. Hogg, pres.; Jas. Gull- forie, treas.; J. W. Archer, sec.
Orumbo—Blenheim Fair. Sept. 26-27. T. S. Tel- ter, sec.
Crystal City, Man.—Mountain Agrl. Fair. July 13-14. W. G. Duff, sec.
Cypress River, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 21. Jas. McDole, sec.
Dauphin, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8. T. Whit- more, sec.
Deraine, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 20-21. P. O. Sheppard, sec.
Dunville—Dunville Fair. Sept. 26-27.
Edmonton, N. W. Ter.—Industrial Ex. June 29- July 1. F. Fraser Tims, sec.
Elkhorn, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 17-18. W. M. Cushing, sec.
Forest—Fair. Oct. 5-6.
Gladstone, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Bridge, sec.
Glencoe—Fair. Sept. 26-27.
Hemlo, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 11. A. D. McConnell, sec.

Hartay, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 18-19. T. B. Woodbull, sec.
Kemptville—Oxford Fair. Sept. 24-25. L. H. Guest, sec.
Killarney, Man.—Southern Man. Fair. Aug. 8-10. J. Schnair, sec.
Kingston, Ont.—Kingsota Dist. Fair. Dates not set. Mayor R. McFarland, pres.; C. W. Wright, treas.; J. Morgan Shaw, sec.
London—Western Fair. Sept. 8-10. Capt. W. J. Reid, pres.; D. Mackenzie, treas.; J. A. Nelles, sec.
Milton—Milton Fair. Oct. 13. Wm. Harbottle, sec.
Morden, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 20-21. M. O. Rumball, sec.
Morris, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 10-11. L. J. Elliot, sec.
Nelson, B. C.—Nelson Fair. Sept. 27-29. Jas. J. Johnstone, pres.; J. J. Malone, treas.; J. E. Annable, sec.
Oak Lake, Man.—Lansdowne Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10. W. J. Hellwell, sec.
Orillia—Orillia Fair. Sept. 14-16. A. B. Thomp- son, sec.
Owen Sound—North Grey Fair. Dates not set. A. G. Mackey, sec.
Paisley—Paisley Fair. Sept. 26-27. J. E. Shep- pard, sec.
Paris—North Grant Exposition. Sept. 28-29. H. C. O'Neill, sec.
Peterborough—Industrial Exhibition. Sept. 25-27. D. Hughes, pres.; F. J. A. Hall, sec.
Petrolia—Fair. Sept. 21-25.
Portage La Prairie, Man.—Portage & Lakeside Fair. July 18-19. W. Sheppard, sec.
Renfrew—Renfrew Agrl. Fair. Sept. 20-28. W. S. Smallfield, sec.
Richmond—Richmond Fair. Sept. 25-27. W. McElroy, sec.
Sarnia—Fair. Sept. 25-27.
Sault Ste. Marie—East Algoma Fair. Oct. 3-4. Jno. Dawson, pres.; Wm. Brown, treas. and sec.
Sherbrooke, Ont.—Canada's Eastern Exhibition. Sept. 2-9. C. A. French, pres.; Wm. Tomlin- son, sec.
Shoal Lake, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8. Frank Dobbs, sec.
St. Charles, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 9. A. R. Sutherland, sec.
Strathroy—West Middlesex Fair. Sept. 18-20.
Swan River, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10. E. J. Darroch, sec.
Toronto—Canadian National Exhibition. Aug. 20-Sept. 12. J. O. Orr, sec.
Watford—Fair. Sept. 28-29.
West London—Fair. Sept. 8-16.
Vanleek Hill, Ont.—Prescott Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Alex. A. LeRoy, pres.; Fred. W. Thistlewaite, sec.
Wheatbourne, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Budge, sec.
Winchester, Ont.—Winchester Fair. Sept. 6-7. Col. F. Ault, pres.; W. Ladamme, sec. and treas.

New Street Fairs.

Abion, Mich.—Free Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices W. R. K. of P. June 12-17. Pil- beam Bros.' United Carn. Co., attr.
Anderson, Ind.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Fred Hewitt's Expo. Shows, attr.
Barberton, O.—Street Fair. July 3-8. O. C. Moon, sec.; F. O. E.
Caldwell, Kan.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Echlin- Harris Am. Co., attr.
Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
Chicago Junction, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices F. O. Eagles. June 19-24. Will H. Weider Carn. Co., attr.
Clinton, Ill.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Patter- son & Brainerd Carn. Co., attr.
Council Bluffs, Ia.—Fourth Annual Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 4-9. E. A. Troutman, sec.
Pittbeam Bros.' United Carn. Co., attr.
Cripple Creek, Col.—Street Fair. June 19-24.
Defiance, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Red Great Gaskill Shows, attr.
Men. June 5-10. Will H. Weider Carn. Co., attr.
Denver, Col.—Street Fair. July 3-15. Great Gaskill Shows, attr.
Edwardsville, Ill.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Great Bausher Carn. Co., attr.
Fleetwood, Pa.—Street Fair. June 5-8. Doc's Holly, Mich.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. The Wilcox Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Howell, Mich.—Street Fair. June 12-17. The Wilcox Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Hutchinson, Kan.—Carnival. June 5-10. Great Parker Am. Co., attr.
Kutztown, Pa.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
Lapeer, Mich.—Street Fair. July 3-8. The Wilcox Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Leadville, Col.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Great Gaskill Shows, attr.
London, Ont.—Old Boys' Bannion, Semi-Centennial and Summer Carnival. Aug. 7-13. B. C. McCann, sec.
Madison, Ind.—G. A. R. Encampment. June 12-15. Jos. R. Colgate, chrm.
Madisonville, Ky.—Street Fair. Auspices Wood- men of the World. June 5-10. Seeman-Mul- lican Mardl Gras Co., attr.
Meadville, Pa.—Carnival. Dates not set.
Mt. Sterling, Ill.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Bald- win Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Nacogdoches, La.—Street Fair. May 29-June 8. Whitney's Greater Shows, attr.
New Richmond, Wis.—Street Fair. May 29- June 3. Cash Carn. Co. (No. 1), attr.
Nobleville, Ind.—Street Fair and Carnival. May 29-June 3. Fred Hewitt's Expo. Shows, attr.
Paxton, Ill.—Free Street Fair. Auspices The Paxton Club, Business Men's League. July 3-8. Lachman-Ketch Shows, attr.
Pittsburg, Kan.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Parker's Carn. Co., attr.
Plymouth, Mich.—Street Fair. June 19-24. The Wilcox Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Poak Creek, Okla.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Echlin-Harris Am. Co., attr.
Portland, Mich.—Street Fair. June 5-10. The Wilcox Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Pottstown, Pa.—Street Fair. June 29-July 5. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
Reading, Pa.—Street Fair. June 10-15. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
River Rouge, Mich.—Free Street Fair and Carni- val. Auspices K. of P. May 29-June 8.
Rock Falls, Ill.—Merchants' and Business Men's

Free Street Fair. June 19-24. Ed. Nnellen, sec.

Rockford, Ill.—Street Fair. July 10-15. Ferari Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.

Rover's Ford, Pa.—Street Fair. June 22-28. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.

Boyetown, Pa.—Street Fair. June 19-21. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.

Shreveport, La.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Whittier's Greater Shows, attr.

Sterling, Kan.—Street Fair. Auspices Business Men. Sept.

Superior, Neb.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Dixie Carn. Co., attr.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Merchants' Gala Week. June 19-24. Felix Blankenbaker, sec.

Tiffin, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Red Men. June 12-17. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.

Wabash, Ind.—Eagles' Theatre Street Carnival. July 31-Aug. 4. Fremont McZeas, sec.

Washington, Kan.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Dixie Carn. Co., attr.

Wells, Minn.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Cash Carn. Co. (No. 2), attr.

Woodward, Okla.—Red Men's Carnival. Oct. —. W. A. Briggs, sec.

Street Fairs and Carnivals.

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Alliance, Neb.—May 29-June 3. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Alpena, Mich.—Street Fair. July 10-15. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Alpine, Mich.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Arkansas City, Ark.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. C. W. Parker Am. Co., attr.

Ashland, Ky.—Street Fair. Many 22-27. Robinson Am. Co., attr.

Ashabula Harbor, O.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Baltimore, Md.—Rebuilding Celebration. Sept. 10-16. J. Harry Tregoe, pres. assn.

Bancroft, Mich.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Wilcox Bros. Carnival Co., attr.

Barnesville, O.—Street Fair. June 5-10.

Battle Creek, Mich.—Carnival at Lake View Park. Lake Goguae. May 28-June 3. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Bay City, Mich.—Street Fair. July 3-8. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Barry, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 8-12. Baldwin Bros. Shows, attr.

Bellefonte, Ont.—Street Fair and Bazaar. July 24-25. Arthur McGinnis, secy.

Billings, Mo.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Royal Am. Co., attr.

Billings, Mont.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Boonville, Mo.—Street Fair. Auspices Eagles. Aug. 14-19. M. J. Eoontz, sec.

Bridgeton, N. J.—Fourth Annual Festival and Carnival. Auspices Bridgeton Hospital and Bridgeton Athletic Ass'n. June 19-24. Chas. F. Reeves and D. H. McBride, sec's.

Butte, Mont.—Street Fair. June 28-July 1. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Canal Dover, O.—Carnival. Auspices the Eagles. May 22-27. Hoss Carnival Co., attr.

Canton, Ill.—E. of P. Carnival. Oct. 2-7. Geo. O. Hoyt, sec.

Cape Girardeau, Mo.—Street Fair. Auspices Merchants' Protective Association. May 29-June 3. Seeman-Millican Mardi Gras Co., attr.

Carroll, Ia.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Great Bogan Shows, attr.

Caruthersville, Mo.—Free Street Fair. July 3-8. G. W. Dashman, sec.

Cayuga, Ind.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Coyle Am. Co., attr.

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Ninth Annual Carnival and Horse Show. Oct. 2-7. E. J. Carey, sec.

Champaign, Ill.—Free Street Fair. June 5-10. Lachman-Keetch Shows, attr.

Chauteau, Kan.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices Osanite Fire Dept. May 22-27. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.

Charleston, Ill.—Uniform Rank K. of P. Carnival Ass'n. (Dates not set.)

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Chattanooga Spring Festival and Street Fair. Auspices Merchants' Assn. May 29-June 3. Geo. B. David, sec.

Cheboygan, Mich.—Street Fair. July 17-22. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Clyde, Kan.—Fifth District M. W. A. Log Rolling and Watermelon Carnival. Aug. 31-Sept. 1. E. J. Feise, sec.

Columbus, Ind.—Carnival. Auspices Columbus Woodmen. June 5-10. Robinson Am. Co., attr. Ralph Ellis, sec.

Connellsville, Pa.—Military Band Carnival. June 19-24. Continental Am. Co., attr.

Corbin, Ky.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Miles-May Showland, attr.

Coshocton, O.—Old Home Week. Aug. 7-12. Geo. S. Oton, sec.

Crawfordsville, Ind.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3.

Cullman, Ala.—Street Fair. May 22-27. White City Am. Co., attr.

Danville, Ill.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Ferari Bros. United Shows, attr.

Davenport, Ia.—Street Fair. July 3-7. Ferari Bros. Carnival Co., attr.

Deadwood, S. D.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Decorah, Ia.—Carnival. June 25-July 1.

Denison, Ia.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Great Bogan Shows, attr.

Duluth, Minn.—Enclosed Carnival. Auspices Third Regiment Band. Aug. 28-Sept. 2.

Dumont, N. Y.—Firemen's Fair and Carnival. Oct. 3-7. W. S. Shedman, gen. mgr.

East Liverpool, O.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Emporia, Kan.—Street Fair. Auspices Necebo Tribe No. 4 Red Men. Sept. 4-9. L. A. Newton, jr., sec.

Erie, Pa.—Odd Fellows Carnival. Auspices I. O. O. F. Temple Assn. July 17-22. O. F. Hummel, Dr. C. H. Harvey and B. B. Brown, L. G. Sternett, Committee on Arrangements. Great Mundy Shows, attr.

Fargo, N. D.—Street Fair. July 24-29. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Findlay, O.—Street Fair. May 20-27. Ferari Bros. United Shows, attr.

Findlay, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Pathfinders' Lodge. July 3-8. W. L. Teal, sec. Weider's Carnival Co., attr.

Flint, Mich.—Golden Jubilee. June 7-8. J. D. Dort and E. O. Wood, sub-committee.

Ford City, Pa.—Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. No. 2. July 3-8.

Ford City, Pa.—Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. Sept. 4-9.

Ft. Plain, N. Y.—Street Fair. Sept. 11-16. Emiel Rebell, sec.

Ft. Scott, Kan.—Street Fair. Auspices of F. O. Eagles. July 10-15. Parker Am. Co., attr.

Fostoria, O.—Street Carnival. Auspices Fraternal Order of Eagles. May 29-June 3. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.

Frankfort, Ind.—Big Pow-wow Celebration. Auspices Red Men. Aug. 22.

Gatesville, Tex.—Beanton and Carnival. Auspices the Confederate Veterans. July 18-21. W. H. Johnson.

Gouverneur, N. Y.—Free Street Fair and Firemen's Carnival. July 3-8. Pierce Am. Co., attr.

Grand Forks, N. D.—Street Fair. July 31-Aug. 5. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Great Falls, Mont.—Street Fair. July 10-15. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

Greensboro, N. C.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. American Carn. Co., attr.

Grand Lodge, Mich.—Street Fair. June 28-July 1. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Hamburg, Ia.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Great Bogan Shows, attr.

Hamilton, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Red Men No. 190. Sept. —. Wm. Trick, sec. Weider's Carn. Co., attr.

Helena, Mont.—Street Fair. July 3-8. Collin's Am. Co., attr.

High Point, N. C.—Free Street Fair. June 5-10. American Carn. Co., attr.

Homestead, Pa.—Denver Club Carnival. June 5-10. Continental Am. Co., attr.

Hopkinsville, Ky.—Carnival. Auspices Woodmen of America. May 29-June 3. Seeman-Millican Carn. Co., attr.

Ionia, Mich.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Jackson, Tenn.—Pythian Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 10-21. J. T. McCutchen, Jr., sec. and treas.

Jackson, Miss.—Corn and Cotton Carnival. Oct. —.

Jacksonville, Fla.—Carnival. Auspices Jacksonville Carnival Assn. Nov. —. W. R. Carter, pres.

Kittanning, Pa.—Fifth Annual Firemen's Free Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. No. 3. July 31-Aug. 5. Harry J. Walter, sec.

Kokomo, Ind.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Monarch Carnival Co., attr.

LaCrosse, Wis.—Street Fair. Auspices Merchants' Protective Ass'n. July 3-8.

Lansing, Mich.—Street Fair. June 1-6. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

La Salle, Ill.—Street Fair. Oct. 3-7. Alfred Shelton, sec.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Street Fair. Dates not set.

Lexington, Ky.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Auspices Tent No. 80 Knights of the Macabees. Robinson Am. Co., attr.

Lexington, Mo.—Eagle Street Fair. Auspices Lexington Eagles' Club. July 3-8. Ernest Fegert, sec.

Logansport, Ind.—Fourth Annual Spring Carnival. June 5-10. John B. McMillan, sec.

Mundy Shows, attr.

London, Can.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Mundy Carnival Co., attr.

London, Ky.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Miles-May Showland, attr.

Malvern, Ia.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Great Bogan Shows, attr.

Mankato, Minn.—Mankato Business Men's Carnival. July 3-5. O. H. Griebel, Jr.

Martin's Ferry, O.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Hoss & Naumann United Shows, attr.

Marion, Ind.—Eagles' Free Jubilee. May 29-June 3. Ferari Bros. Shows United, attr.

Mayaville, Ky.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices of the Red Men. Aug. —.

Middletown, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Shinning Light Council No. 98. June 12-17. Fred Johnson, sec. Weider's Carnival Co., attr.

Midway, Ky.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Miles May Showland, attr.

Mill Shoals, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 3-12.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Ferari Bros. United Shows, attr.

Mt. Clements, Mich.—E. of P. Free Carnival. June 19-24. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Mt. Vernon, N. Y.—Outdoor Carnival and Firemen's Convention. June 19-24.

Muscataine, Ia.—Street Fair and Carnival. Aug. —.

Nashville, Tenn.—Street Fair. May 22-27. Seeman-Millican Mardi Gras Co., attr.

Neligh, Neb.—Street Carnival. Sept. 13-15. W. W. Cole, sec.

Newark, O.—Street Fair. July 3-9.

New Castle, Ky.—Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Miles May Showland, attr.

New Castle, Pa.—Free Carnival. June 5-10. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Norfolk, Va.—Street Fair. Auspices Knights of Pythias. June —. Layton Carnival Co., attr.

Oakland, Cal.—Street Fair. June 5-17.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Street Fair. May —. Parker Shows, attr.

Oskaloosa, Ia.—Street Carnival. Auspices City Council. June 19-24. Great Parker Am. Co., attr.

Ottawa, Kan.—Carnival. May 29-June 3. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.

Paris, Ill.—Free Street Fair. May 29-June 3. Lachman-Keetch Shows, attr.

Paris, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion and Summer Carnival. Aug. 14-19. G. B. Stewart Jones, gen. sec.

Paterson, N. J.—Carnival. June 5-17. W. B. Johnson, 170 Broadway.

Peru, Ind.—Street Fair. Auspices Red Men. Aug. 7-12.

Pine Beach, Pa.—Carnival. June 11-17. Columbia Amusement Co., attr.

Pontiac, Mich.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Portland, Me.—Merchants and Manufacturers' Exposition and Military Carnival. Auspices Maine National Guard. Patronage of Board of Trade and Business Men. June 22-July 1.

Portsmouth, O.—Street Fair. Auspices A. O. U. W. June 5-10. Frank Beaumont, chm.

Prairie du Chien, Wis.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Helms Bros. National Carnival Co., attr.

Quincy, Ill.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Ferari Bros. United Shows, attr.

Reynoldsville, Pa.—Street Carnival. July 4-8. E. M. Gibson, sec.

Rome, N. Y.—Merchants' Exposition and Free Street Fair. June 5-10. Pierce Am. Co., attr.

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 Sheboygan, Wis.—Free Carnival. Aug. 14-20.
 Sheridan, Wyo.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Columbia's Am. Co., attr.
 Sheffield, Ala.—Street Fair. Dates not set.
 Seymour, Ind.—State Log Rolling, Foresters Encampment and Carnival. Sept. 4-9. L. E. Jennings, sec.
 Tarkio, Mo.—Free Fall Frolic. Sept. 5-10.
 Tomah, Wis.—Merchants' Carnival. June 19-24.
 Heinz Bros.' National Carnival Co., attr.
 Trenton, Mo.—Street Fair. July 2-7. Eagle Carnival Co., attr.
 Valajo, Cal.—Street Fair. May 29-June 2.
 Fiesta Carnival Co., attr.
 Ware, Mass.—Street Fair. Auspices Business Men's Assn. Sept. 14-16.
 Warrior, Ala.—Street Fair. May 29-June 2.
 White City Am. Co., attr.
 Warsaw, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 15-20. Edwins Bros.' Shows, attr.
 Watska, Ill.—Business Men's Free Street Carnival. June 5-10. Mitchell & Sanger's Monarch Carn. Co., attr.
 Waverly, Tenn.—K. of P.'s Street Fair and Carnival. May 22-27. W. M. Elder, sec.
 St. Louis Syndicate Am. Co., attr.
 Wellington, Kan.—Big Band Carnival. Sept. 1-3. E. Glaman, sec.
 Whitewater, Wis.—Firemen's Carnival. June 12-17. Heinz Bros.' National Carnival Co., attr.
 Wichita, Kan.—Carnival. June 12-17. H. C. Lockwood, sec. Gaakill Shows, attr.
 Winchester, Ill.—Merchants' Free Street Fair and Carnival. Aug. 21-23. E. A. Lankford, sec.
 Wilmington, N. C.—Street Fair. Auspices Cherokee Assn Haymakers No. 912. Dates not set. W. L. West, sec.
 Wilmerding, Pa.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices Fire Co. July 4-8. Thos. H. Holland, sec.
 Windber, Pa.—Firemen's Free Carnival. July 8-8. Continental Am. Co., attr.
 Winnipeg, Can.—Street Fair. Aug. 7-12. Columbia's Am. Co., attr.
 Wyandotte, Mich.—K. of P. Free Street Carnival. May 29-June 8. Pilbeam Bros.' United Carnival Co., attr.

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 Elkan Springs—July 20-23. Fred Bartella.

CALIFORNIA.

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 Clinton—Aug. 18-23. E. B. Bentley.
 Danville—Aug. 18-31. Rev. E. H. Carr.
 Decatur—July 8-18. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 DeKalb—(Indoor) Oct. 5-11. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Dixon—July 30-Aug. 14. Hon. Adam Kraps, Lena.
 El Paso—(Indoor) Oct. 19-24. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
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 Joliet—July 15-24. W. L. Miller, Pontiac, Ill.
 Kankakee—Aug. 31-30. O. W. Menzley, 8922 LaSalle st., Chicago.
 Lincoln—Aug. 18-24. S. E. Gallett, capt.; G. B. Stringer, pres.
 Litchia Springs—July 26-Aug. 15. Rev. Jasper L. Douthitt, Litchia.
 Mechanicsburg—Aug. 15-27. E. S. Bullard.
 Moline—July 12-24. W. V. Richards or E. H. Wilson.
 Matteson—Aug. 12-22. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Monmouth—Aug. 15-24. Rev. J. S. Tussey, Little York.
 Ottawa—Aug. 18-27. L. O. Baird.

EXPOSITIONS.

Boston, Mass.—International Electrical Exhibition. Auspices Natl. Association of Electrical Contractors and Electrical Contractors' Assn. of Mass. July 15-22. Chester I. Campbell, mgr., 5 Park sq.
 Milan, Italy—Exposition. April-Nov., 1906. Sig. L. Sabbatini, sec., Mt. Suenzo, W. H.
 Mitchell, S. D.—Seventh Annual Corn Palace Exposition and Free Street Attractions. Sept. 25-30. L. O. Gale.
 Norfolk, Va.—Jamesstown Tercentenary Exposition. May 1 to Dec. 1, 1907. O. Brooks Johnson, chairman executive committee pro tem.
 Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition. June 1-Oct. 15. H. W. Geede, pres.; Henry E. Reed, sec.
 Toronto, Can.—Industrial Exhibition. Aug. 28-Sept. 11.
 Washington, D. C.—Central American Exposition. Sept. 11.

HORSE SHOWS.

Berryville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Aug. 24-25.
 Brockton, Mass.—Brockton Fair Horse Show. Oct. 2-6.
 Brooklyn, N. Y.—13th Annual Horse Show. May 29-June 3.
 Charlottesville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Aug. 8-4.
 Culpeper, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. July 4-5.
 Fredericksburg, Va.—Fredericksburg Horse Show. July 13-15. Clarence B. Howard, sec.
 Front Royal, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Aug. 21-22.
 Georgetown, Ky.—Elks' Fair and Horse Show. July 25-29. S. J. Pulliam.
 Harrisonburg, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Aug. 15-17.
 Long Branch, N. Y.—Horse Show. July 26-29.
 Lynchburg, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Oct. 3-5.
 Macon, Ga.—Macon Fair Assn. Horse Show. Oct. 25-27. Winship Osbanis.
 Manassas, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. July 26-27.
 Norfolk, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Oct. 16-21. C. O. Wrenn, pres.; C. W. Smith, mgr., box 247.
 Orange, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 31-Aug. 1.
 Plainfield, N. J.—Plainfield Horse Show Assn. June 9-10. Lewis E. Waring, pres.
 Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Exposition. Horse Show. Aug. 28-Sept. 8.
 Richmond, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 8-9.
 Upperville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. June 15-16.
 Warrenton, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Association. Aug. 30-31.

LIVE STOCK SHOWS.

Buffalo, N. Y.—National Live Stock Assn. June 29-July 1. C. W. Baker, 153 Exchange bldg., Chicago.
 Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Exposition Stock Show. Sept. 19-20.

FOOD SHOWS.

Newark, N. J.—Newark Retail Grocers' Association Pure Food Show, Newark Theatre. May 22-June 2. E. J. Rows, 277 Broadway, N. Y.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENTS.

Armour, S. D.—State Firemen's Assn. Tournament. June 20-23. C. W. Gills, Mitchell, S. D.
 Binghamton, N. Y.—Aug. 24.
 Blackduck, Minn.—Northern Minn. Firemen's Tournament. June 20-23; L. G. Townsend, sec.
 Evelyth, Minn.—Aug. 7-9.
 Hagerstown, Md.—June 7-9. Edas B. Hartle, 8-11.
 Rice Lake, Wis.—State Firemen's Tournament. June 21-23. Harry L. Bone.
 Webb City, Mo.—June 19-24.

BENCH SHOWS.

Dumont, N. Y.—Bench Show. Oct. 2-7. W. S. Shedman.

MISCELLANEOUS CELEBRATIONS.

Baltimore, Md.—Rebuilding Celebration. Sept. 10-18. J. Harry Tregoe, pres.
 Baltimore, Md.—Greater Baltimore Exposition. June 12-July 4. B. Brown.
 Bonham, Tex.—Annual W. O. W. Log Rolling. Aug. 16-19. Cameron & Turley.
 Downs, Kan.—Celebration Twenty-sixth Anniversary. July 27. L. E. Fugh, sec.
 Galveston, Tex.—Confederate Veterans' Annual Reunion. July 18-21. W. H. Johnson.
 Gouverneur, N. Y.—Old Home Week and Centennial Celebration. Aug. 24-30. H. C. Rogers, chrm.
 Indianapolis, Ind.—North American Gymnastic Union National Festival. June 21-26. Endolph Zimmerman, 344 Sixteenth st., Milwaukee, Wis.
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 Mt. Vernon, O.—Centennial Celebration. July 16, indef. H. H. Greer.
 Osceola, Ia.—M. W. A. Log Rolling. Aug. 17-19. Bay Wilson, Lock Box 131.
 St. Anthony, Minn.—Semi-Centennial of Organization of City Government. July 1. Territorial Pioneers' Assn., Native Sons of Minnesota, Junior Pioneers and the Masonic Lodge.
 Siloam Springs, Ark.—Twenty-fifth Annual Celebration. June 23-24. Dr. J. W. Webster.
 Wyoming, Ia.—Fiftieth Anniversary of Founding of the Town. Aug. 6-8. Civic Assn.

PICNICS.

Cleveland, O.—Third Annual Picnic of Knights of The Golden Eagle of Niles. June 24; Luna Park. Wm. Lethbridge, capt.
 Chester, W. Va.—Tenth Annual Picnic of E. G. E. of Niles, O. July 6; Bock Springs Park.
 Clinton, Ia.—Mystic Workers of the World Natl. Picnic. July 22. J. R. Adams, sec., Plano, Ill.
 Latonia, Ky.—C. N. & C. Mutual Aid Assn. June 24. West's Garden.
 Louisville, Ky.—Cigar Makers' Picnic. June 12. Phoenix Hill Park.
 Louisville, Ky.—Shepherds of Bethlehem, Woodland Grove. June 22. Mrs. Carrie Robinson, 614 E. Kentucky st.
 Osceola, Neb.—Polk County Fraternal Picnic Assn. Aug. 26. W. H. Weeden.
 Osterburg, Pa.—20th Annual Grangers' Encampment and Picnic. Aug. 15-18. Oster Grove. Geo. W. Oster.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Odd Fellows Orphans. June 21-22; Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Joseph Casino and Congregation. June 12; Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Sixteenth Ward Public Schools. June 20; Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Augustine's Church and School. June 27; Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Homeswood Schools. June 20; Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Brushen Schools. June 30; Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Michael's Church. July 12. Luna Park.

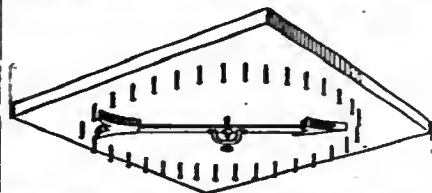
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CONVENTIONS.

The following dates have been confirmed since the publication of the last issue.

ARKANSAS.

Hot Springs—State Press Assn. Con. June 15-15. J. R. Jobe, Little Rock, Ark. Little Rock—State Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 2nd wk. F. D. Baars, Arkadelphia, Ark. Pine Bluff—State Sunday School Con. June 15-15. W. Fred. Long, 800 W. 5th st., Little Rock, Ark.

CONNECTICUT.

Meriden—22nd Annual Con. of the Ct. State Firemen's Assn. June 14-15. J. S. Jones.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington—State Medical Society Con. June 11-15. John Palmer, M. D.

GEORGIA.

Americus—F. & A. M. W. W. U. Or. Lodge Con. June 13. Sol. C. Johnson, Savannah, Ga. Gainesville—Southern Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 6-8. Frank Nelson, 217 Church st., E. Knoxville, Tenn.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago—State Woman's Press Assn. Con. June 8. Mrs. Harry Baston Boggs, 7221 Princeton ave. Chicago—American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers Con. July 7-8. Secretary, Box 1818, New York City. Kewanee—Fraternal Tribunes Gr. Lodge Con. June 13. K. M. Whitman, Rock Island, Ill. Peoria—Music Teachers' Con. June 6-9. Springfield—State Undertakers' Assn. Con. June 13-16. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill.

IOWA.

Davenport—Central Shooting Societies of N. A. Con. June 15-18. Frank Berg.

KANSAS.

Topeka—State Spiritualists' Assn. Con. June 1-4. A. Scott Bledsoe, 507 Horne st.

KENTUCKY.

Louisville—Reunion Southern War Veterans. June 14-17. B. H. Young.

MAINE.

Portland—State Homeopathic Medical Society Con. June —. Cora Johnson, M. D., Skowhegan, Me.

MARYLAND.

Hagerstown—State Bar Assn. Con. June 28-30. Secretary, 102 E. Lexington st., Baltimore, Md.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Allerton—U. O. G. Star State Con. June 8. Joseph S. Paine, 17 School st., Boston. Boston—A. & I. Order Knights of Malta Grand Commandery Con. June 13. Frank B. Hayden, 100 Boylston st.

MICHIGAN.

Albion—State Billposters' Assn. Con. June 6. J. E. Balow. Saginaw—I. O. F. High Court Con. June 13. William H. Sparling, 23 Frank st., Detroit, Mich. Ypsilanti—Allgemeiner Arbeiter Bund Con. June 13-15. George Letter.

MINNESOTA.

Duluth—International Fire Chiefs' Assn. Con. Aug. 16-19. W. R. Joyner, pres., Atlanta, Ga. Lindstrom—Luther League State Con. June 12. Rev. Frank E. Jansen. Litchfield—Interstate Firemen's Assn. Con. June —. J. S. Phelps. Minneapolis—American Institute of Bank Clerks' Con. July 21-22. George E. Allen, New York City. St. Paul—I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment. June —. A. L. Bolton. St. Paul—State Medical Assn. Con. June 1. Dr. Thomas McDavett, Lowery Arcade. St. Paul—Nat'l Guard Inter-State Con. June 15. Charles Dick, pres., Washington, D. C. St. Paul—Rebekah State Assembly. June 16. Eunice Welville, 2513 Tremont ave., Minneapolis, Minn. Winona—State Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 15. David Colville, The Ocleov, St. Paul, Minn.

MISSISSIPPI.

Meriden—Epworth League State Con. June 5-8. W. D. Hawker.

MISSOURI.

Clinton—Woodmen of the Word Con. June 1. Marshall—State Sunday School Assn. Christian Church Con. June 16-21. W. A. Moore, Mexico, Mo. Pertle Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 13-16. Dr. H. M. Whelpley, 2342 Albion Place, St. Louis, Mo.

NEBRASKA.

Omaha—State Retail Liquor Dealers' Assn. Con. June 6. Henry Keating, Krug Theatre Bldg. Superior—State Sunday School Assn. Con. June 13. Miss M. E. Adams, 129 N. 9th st., Lincoln, Neb. York—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 6-8. Oscar Beman, Grand Island, Neb.

NEVADA.

Carson City—I. O. O. F. Gr. Encampment. June 19. William Sutherland, Virginia City, Nev. Carson City—I. O. O. F. Gr. Lodge. June 20. W. H. Gilford. Carson City—Rebekah State Assembly. June 20. Mrs. Anna M. Warren, Reno, Nev.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Concord—State Historical Assn. Con. June 14. A. S. Wait, New Port, N. H. Portsmouth—A. & I. Order Knights of Malter Grand Commandery Con. June 15. Thomas D. Sale, 45 Exchange st., Portland, Me.

NEW JERSEY.

Atlantic City—Legion of the Red Cross Supreme Council Con. June 12.

NEW YORK.

Binghamton—A. & O. Order Knights of Malter Grand Commandery Con. June 13. A. K. Christler, Auburn, N. Y. New York City—Supreme Loyal Assn. Con. June 13. Frank S. Petters, 104 Wayne st., Jersey City, N. J. New York City—Amalgamated Leather Workers' Union of American Con. July 4. John Boach, 52 Forest Bldg., S. 4th st., Philadelphia, Pa. Syracuse—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 21-22. Mrs. U. C. Fulton, 209 University ave. Watertown—Sons of Auxiliary State Con. June 14-16. Adelaide Wursted, 922 Forest ave., New York City.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Charlotte—Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge Con. June 13. T. S. Franklin. Greensboro—State Teachers' Assembly. June 13-16. W. D. Carmichael, Durham, N. C.

OHIO.

Akron—State Local Fire Insurance Agents' Assn. Con. June 14. John C. Bloomfield, Hamilton Bldg. Canton—Ohio Trapshooters' League Con. June 13-15. E. O. Latham, M. D. July 5-7. Robert H. Wolcott, Lincoln, Neb. Marion—U. A. O. D. Gr. Grove Con. June 13. Adam Weber, 1023 E. 5th st., Dayton, O. Springfield—Bathbone Sisters' Gr. Temple Con. June 13. Mrs. Ruth Arnold, 2132 E. Newwood ave., Toledo, O.

OREGON.

Portland—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. June 12. James F. Robinson, Eugene, Ore. Portland—Order Eastern Star Gr. Chapter Con. June 12. Mary Scott Myers, The Dallas. Portland—F. & A. M. Or. Lodge Con. June 14. James F. Robinson, Eugene, Ore. Portland—International Pure Food Congress Con. July 10-15. B. M. Allen, Lexington, Ky.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Girard—Police & Home Guards of Ohio and Pa. Con. June 13. Dr. William Ely, Beaver Center, Pa. Milton—Ladies' Aid Society of S. of V. State Encampment. June 14-16. Wm. B. Godcharles. Philadelphia—State Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. June 14-15. F. A. Hookey, 1928 N. 6th st. Ridgeway—I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge Con. July 18-21. A. A. Anderson, McKeesport, Pa.

RHODE ISLAND.

Narragansett Pier—American Bar Assn. Con. Aug. 23-25. John Hinkley, 215 Charles st., Baltimore, Md.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Aberdeen—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June —. George Pettiguer, Sioux Falls, S. D. Watertown—State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 14-15. H. L. Sheldon.

TENNESSEE.

Memphis—Order Eastern Star Grand Chapter Con. June 20-23. W. S. Thompson, 1305 Demonbreau st., Nashville, Tenn. Memphis—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. June 21-22. W. S. Thompson, 1305 Demonbreau st., Nashville, Tenn. Nashville—U. B. Jr. O. U. A. M. Supreme Commandery Con. June 19. O. D. Hauptfeaver, 1110 E. 4th st., Canton, O.

TEXAS.

Austin—State Postmasters' Assn. Con. June —. T. L. Wren. Austin—I. O. O. G. Gr. Court Con. June 18. Mrs. A. Mitchell, 1407 San Bernard st.

Austin—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 13-16. L. M. Mitchell. Dallas—State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 13-14. J. W. Butler, Clifton, Tex.

VERMONT.

Burlington—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June 14-15. Olin W. Daley, White River Junction, Vt. Richford—Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary State Con. June 13-15. Lucy Huntley, Lyndonville, Vt.

VIRGINIA.

Lynchburg—I. O. O. F. Or. Encampment. June 13. C. W. Whitmore.

WASHINGTON.

Vanconver—I. O. O. F. Gr. Encampment. June 5. Louis F. Hart, Tacoma, Wash. Vanconver—Women's Relief Corps Con. of Wash. & Alaska. June —. E. M. Day, Bellingham, Wash.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Webster Springs—State Editorial Assn. Con. June —. Orman Randolph, Burnsville, W. Va.

WISCONSIN.

LaCrosse—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 13-14. Annie E. Noyes, Madison, Wis. Milwaukee—F. & A. M. Or. Lodge Con. June 13-15. W. W. Perry, 466 Jefferson st. Milwaukee—Brass Band Con. June 18. Major Barwig, Mayville, Wis. Milwaukee—State Millers' Assn. Con. July —. E. J. Lachmann, Neenah, Wis. Milwaukee—State Grain Shippers' Assn. Con. July —. M. H. Potter, 49 Mitchell Bldg.

CONVENTIONS

Reunions, Conclaves, Assemblies

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ALABAMA.

Gadsden—Epworth League State Con. June —. Montgomery—Gr. Lodge of the G. U. O. of O. F. Con. Aug. 1. W. T. Breeding.

ARKANSAS.

Hot Springs—State Local Fire Insurance Agents' Con. June —. J. E. Hampton. Hot Springs—State Bar Assn. Con. June 1-3. Sec'y, room 16, Moore & Turner Bldg., Little Rock, Ark. Texarkana—State Dental Assn. Con. May 23-23. Texarkana—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 11. W. L. Purify, Forest City, Ark.

CALIFORNIA.

Delmonte—Commercial Law League of America Con. July —. Los Angeles—W. C. T. U. Con. July —. Los Angeles—Natl. Council of the Knights of Columbus Con. June 7. Daniel Colwell, New Haven, Conn. San Francisco—International Pressmen's Assn. Con. June 19. J. H. Borsburg, 242 3/4 Market st. San Francisco—American Surgical Assn. Con. July 5-7. D. T. Allen, Cleveland, O. San Francisco—American Christian Missionary Society Con. Aug. 17-24. Benjamin L. Smith, Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Cincinnati, O. San Francisco—Natl. Butter Makers' Assn. Con. Oct. 1.

COLORADO.

Boulder—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 4. Harry E. Niven, Berthoud, Col. Colorado Springs—State Sunday School Assn. Con. May 30-June 1. John C. Carman, 2015 E. 20th ave., Denver, Col. Colorado Springs—State Dental Assn. Con. June —. Dr. Harry W. Bates, 237 Majestic Bldg., Denver, Col. Denver—Natl. Federation of Musical Clubs' Con. June 7-10. Denver—Natl. Railroad Agents' Assn. Con. July —. N. A. Cottrell, Bismark, Mo. Denver—Ladies of the G. A. R. Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Mrs. Mary T. Huger, pres., St. Louis, Mo. Denver—Women's Relief Corps Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Helen M. Ayers, Concord, N. H. Denver—Train Dispatchers' Assn. of America Con. June 20. J. F. Mackie, 7042 Stewart ave., Chicago, Ill. Denver—National Electric Light Assn. Con. June 6-8. J. C. Andrews, 405 17 st. Denver—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Con. June —. W. E. Lawlor, Trinidad, Col. Denver—Foresters of America Gr. Court Con. June 8-10. Kenneth Henderson, box 181. Denver—Fraternal Order of Eagles Gr. Aeris Con. Aug. 16. A. E. Partridge, Kansas City, Mo. Denver—American Osteopathic State Con. Aug. 16-20. Dr. H. L. Childs, Auburn, N. Y. Denver—G. A. R. Con. Sept. 4-7. J. E. Gilman, Boston, Mass. Denver—Natl. Wool Growers' Con. June —. Denver—Epworth League Con. July 5-9. H. M. Randall, 37 Washington st., Chicago, Ill. Trinidad—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 8. W. S. O'Brien, 210 Continental Bldg., Denver, Col.

CONNECTICUT.

Bridgeport—Sons of St. George Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 9. W. A. Certe, 83 Bishop st., New Haven, Conn. Bridgeport—Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-18. Miss J. B. Strohbridge, 58 Suburban ave., Stamford, Conn. Bristol—G. A. E. State Encampment. June 5-6. W. C. Hillard, 253 Main st., New Britain, Conn. Hartford—Natl. Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-19. Miss Emma Barnett, Etch Valley, Ind. Hartford—Natl. Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-19. Hartford—Alumni of the American College in Rome. May —. Rev. J. Emil Gaffell, Ph. D., Rochester, N. Y. New Britain—Gr. Temple of Honor State Con. June 7. Joseph A. Clark, 25 Pleasant st. Stamford—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 26. H. N. Marvin, 83 Gibbs st., New Haven, Conn.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington—Protestant Episcopal Church Diocesan Con. June 7. John A. Groba.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa. Washington—Natl. Elocutionists' Assn. Con. June 26. Robert I. Fulton, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, O. Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa. Washington—A. and I. Order Knights of Malta Gr. Commandery Con. June 6. Wm. F. Scott, 15-19 10th st., N. W. Washington—Sons of Veterans' Inter-State Encampment. June —. F. E. Cross.

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville—Turpentine Operators' Natl. Con. Sept. 13-14. J. A. Holloman. Tampa—State Board of Pharmacy Con. June 15. E. Berger, room 14, First Natl. Bank Bldg.

GEORGIA.

Atlanta—Teachers of Colored Youth's Natl. Assn. Con. June 28-30. F. G. Smith. Atlanta—Knights of Honor Supreme Gr. Lodge Con. June 13. J. E. Sheppard, Edgefield, S. C. Atlanta—Natl. Assn. of Master Plumbers' Con. June 6-8. Daniel Shannon, 120 Mills st., Boston, Mass. Fitzgerald—Retail Grocers' Assn. of Georgia Con. July 11-12. John Bratton, 1426 Empire Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Forest Park—Veterans' Assn. of 30th Georgia Regimental Annual Reunion. July 28. A. P. Adamson. Macon—Annual State Horticultural Society Con. Aug. 1. Chas. T. Smith, Concord, Ga. Macon—League of Ga. Municipalities Con. Aug. (2nd wk.) Bridges Smith. Savannah—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 13. F. M. Cohen.

IDAHO.

Coeur D'Alene City—Grand Army Encampment. June 21. J. J. Whitlier. Sandpoint—Lumbermen's Con. June 15-17. J. Ashba.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago—Advertising Novelty Mfrs.' Assn. Con. Sept. 6-7. Ben E. Stone, Coakobcon, O. Chicago—Natl. Baptist Con. Sept. 13. W. L. Casalin, Nashville, Tenn. Chicago—Inter-State Retail Coal Dealers' Assn. Con. June —. F. E. Lukens, 1419 Monadnock blk. Chicago—State Homopathic Assn. Con. June —. Burton Hazelton. Chicago—Reunion Army of the Philippines Natl. Society. Aug. —. T. E. Duncan, Kansas City, Mo. Chicago—Natl. Archery Assn. Con. Aug. 15-17. Ed. B. Weston, M. D., pres. Chicago—American Institute of Homeopathy. June 28-July 1. Chas. Getchell, M. D., 100 State st. Chicago—Natl. German American Teachers' Assn. Con. July —. Alexis Mueller, Lockport, N. Y. Chicago—Inland Daily Press Assn. Con. June 20. Will V. Tuford, sec and treas., Mason City, Ia. Chicago—Master Steam Boiler Makers' Assn. Con. June 5-7. N. L. Aldrich, 17 Battery pl., New York City. Chicago—Natl. Jesuit Alumni. July —. J. B. Denver, Equitable Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. Chicago—American Whist League Congress Con. July 10. Chicago—Natl. Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Assn. Con. June 7-9. David Staber, 1601 Anott Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. Chicago—American Swedish Singers Union Con. July 20-23. Herman Nordberg, 1634 Belmont ave. Chicago—International Woman's Label League Con. June 6-11. Mrs. M. H. Baltz, 505 E. Market st., Elmira, N. Y. Chicago—Natl. Telephone Con. June 20-21. J. B. Hoge, Electric Bldg., Cleveland, O. Chicago—Shirt, Waist and Laundry Workers' International Union Con. Aug. 3. John J. Manning, box 11, Sta. 1, Troy, N. Y. Chicago—Masters' Assn. of U. S. Con. Aug. 1. J. J. Pank, 243 LaSalle st. Chicago—Daughters of Liberty Natl. Council Con. Aug. 15. Mrs. Jennie Knapp, Whiting, Ind. Chicago—Wholesale Saddlery Assn. of the U. S. Con. June 12-16. W. E. Stone, Rochester, N. Y. Chicago—International Hahnemannian Assn. Con. June 22-24. J. B. S. King, 6718 Westworth ave. Chicago—Woman's Prohibition Club of America Gen. Council Con. June 21-22. Miss Emma S. Walker, Decatur, Ill. Chicago—Labor Con. June 27. Eugene V. Debs. Chicago—Amalgamated St. Railway Employees. Oct. —. W. D. Kahan, 221 Mitchell ave., Detroit, Mich. Chicago—International Glove Workers of America Con. Aug. 1. A. H. Coselman, 43 First ave., Gloverville, N. Y. Chicago—Stenographers and Electrotypers' Union Con. Aug. 8. George W. Williams, 534 Warren st., Boston, Mass. Chicago—College Editors' Natl. Con. June —. H. M. Pratt, Iowa City, Ia. Chicago—United Order of Box Makers and Sawyers of America Con. June 5-7. James Curran, 678 Center ave. Joliet—Krieger Societies' Natl. Con. Aug. 25-29. Wm Grobne. Joliet—Gr. Observatory North Star Benefit Assn. Con. July 18-19. G. L. Peterson, Moline, Ill. Joliet—German Army and Navy Assn. of N. A. Con. Aug. —. Mills Shoals—Reunion. Aug. 8-12. Dr. Merich, pres. Peoria—26th Annual Con. of State Retail Liquor Dealers' Assn. September —. M. J. McCarthy, 100 Randolph st., Chicago, Ill. Peoria—Auctioneers' State Con. June 6-7. Col. G. H. Read. Quincy—Y. P. C. U. of U. B. Church State Conf. June 6-8. Mrs. Pearl M. Bolton, Alexis, Ill. Quincy—International Mill Workers' Con. June 16. W. E. Kellington, Minneapolis, Minn. Rock Island—Natl. Fraternal Tribunes Con. July 11. Robert Bexdale. Springfield—Y. P. S. C. E. State Con. July 7-12. H. H. Marcusson, 1221 State Bldg., Chicago, Ill. Springfield—Y. P. S. C. E. State Con. July 7-12. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill.

INDIANA

Anderson—U. A. O. D. Gr. Grove Con. June — Stephen I. Wright, 1622 Lee st., Indianapolis, Ind.
French Lick Springs—State Editorial Assn. Con. July — W. S. Chambers, care Democrat, New Castle, Ind.
Indianapolis—P. O. S. of A. State Camp Con. Aug. 8. Sam D. Symmes, Crawfordville, Ind.
Indianapolis—Natl. Turn. Teachers' Con. June — Dr. Arthur Knoch, Cincinnati, O.
Indianapolis—State Institute of Homeopathy Con. May 30-June 1. S. Harrell, Noblesville, Ind.
Maumoon—Women's Relief Corps and Ladies of G. A. R. Con. June 13-15.
Madison—G. A. R. State Encampment. June 13-15. C. W. Scott, Warsaw, Ind.
Marion—State Barbers' Assn. Con. May — Edwin F. Richards.
Mishawaka—Indiana Catholic Order of Foresters' Con. June 13. Andrew J. Shick, 309 N. 4th st., Lafayette, Ind.
Muncie—B. P. O. E. State Con. June 8-9.
New Albany—Knights of Fidelity Gr. Grove Con. Aug. — J. C. Becker.
Richmond—International Friends Educational Conf. July 31-Aug. 3. Robt. L. Kelly, Earlham College.
Rising Sun—Reunion Masonic Assn. June — Robert C. Nelson.
South Bend—Knights of Equity Natl. Con. June 26-27. Wm. T. Dooney, 1006 The Majestic, Detroit, Mich.
Seymour—Indiana Jurisdiction Gr. Council Young Men's Institute. Aug. 22. W. M. Fogarty.
Terre Haute—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 7-9. H. S. Foulker.
Terre Haute—Glass Bottle Blowers' Union of U. S. and Canada Con. July 10. Wm. Lanier, 931 Witherspoon bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
West Baden—Natl. Water Works Assn. Con. June 14-16. George C. Seager, Rochester, N. Y.
West Baden—American Nurseymen's Assn. Con. June 14-16.
Winslow—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 9-12. Address Geo. P. Busch, adjt., P. O. box 105.

IOWA

Arbor Hill—Old Settlers and Soldiers' Reunion. Sept. (2nd wk.) C. G. Stewart, sec.
Cedar Falls—United Danish Lutheran Church of America Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. P. Jensen.
Cedar Rapids—State Graduate Nurses' Assn. Con. May 31-June 1. Miss Estelle Maxwell, 1731 Park ave., Davenport, Ia.
Cedar Rapids—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Council Con. June 9-10. Chas. E. Olmstead, Sioux City, Ia.
Davenport—Carlson Alumni Assn. of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. 23. Rev. John Phelps, Marcus, Ia.
Des Moines—Lutheran Augustana Synod of N. A. Con. June —
Des Moines—Iowa Christian Con. June — Rev. J. Nichols, Winton, Ia.
Iowa City—State Health Assn. Con. June 12-16. Dr. C. T. Lennan, Mt. Airy, Ia.
Stanton—Swedish Lutherans of the U. S. and Canada Con. June 9-16. John G. Dahlberg, 970 38th st., Rock Island, Ill.
Waterloo—United Danish Lutheran Church of America Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. P. Jensen.

KANSAS

Topeka—Royal Neighbors of America Sup. Camp Con. June — Mrs. Minnie Fielder, Peoria, Ill.
Topeka—State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 6-8. W. W. Bowman, Concordia, Kan.
KENTUCKY.
Ashland—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. July 25-26. D. Owen Robinson, care W. A. Gaines & Co., Frankfort, Ky.
Beattyville—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 12. M. C. Bane, state sec., Vanceburg, Ky.
Greensburg—Knights of the Golden Eagle Gr. Castle Con. Aug. — F. M. Griffin.
Louisville—United Confederate Veterans' State Reunion. June 14-16. N. B. Tisdal, Rust, Tex.
Richmond—Rebekah State Assembly. Sept. 27-28. Mrs. Corinne C. Graham, 1000 Sixth ave., Louisville, Ky.

LOUISIANA

Shreveport—State Con. of Y. P. S. C. E. June — Miss Ann M. Watson, Bunkie, La.

MAINE

Portland—Knights of Templars' Sup. Con. Con. Oct. 16. Chas. A. Maxwell, 8 Cedar st.

MARYLAND

Baltimore—State Democratic Editorial Assn. Con. June 9. J. M. Street, Bel Air, Md.
Baltimore—Natl. Amateur Oarsmen Assn. Con. Aug. 11-12. Frank Fitzmeyer, box 740, New York City.
Baltimore—Christian Endeavor Workers' Natl. Con. July 6-10. W. M. Robinson, 821 W. Carrollton.
Baltimore—Y. T. S. E. International Con. July 6-10. VanOrden, Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.
Hagerstown—Maryland Firemen's Con. June 7-9. H. T. Levely, Annapolis, Md.
Westminster—P. O. S. of A. State Con. Aug. 8. P. B. Engler, Taneytown, Md.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston—State Electrical Contractors' Assn. Con. July 19. W. H. Morton, 44 Whitesboro st., Utica, N. Y.
Boston—League of American Wheelmen's Natl. Assembly. May 30. J. T. Hiltan, 170 Fifth ave., New York City.
Boston—Railway Claim Agents' Assn. con. May — G. A. Theln, LaSalle st. station, Chicago, Ill.
Boston—Natl. Assn. Masters of Dancing Con. June 18. Geo. W. Smith, Gray and High sts., Columbia, O.
Boston—Home Circle Sup. Council Con. June 21. Julia M. Swain, 120 Tremont st.
Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. — Thos. H. Cannon, 1227 Stock Exchange, Chicago, Ill.
Boston—Northeastern Federation of Women's Clubs Con. Aug. — Mrs. G. C. Hawkins, Compton pl.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 19. Martin M. Wood, 113 Sixth st., Leominster, Mass.
Boston—Natl. Loomfixers' Assn. Con. Sept. 12. John J. Purcell, 191 Davis st., New Bedford, Mass.

Boston—State Dental Society Con. June 7-9. Dr. F. Kistal, Fall River, Mass.
Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters' International Con. Aug. 1. Thos. F. McDonald, 1231 Stock Exchange bldg., Chicago, Ill.
Boston—Photographers' Assn. of America State Con. Aug. 8-11. J. M. Sandtel, Milwaukee, Wis.
Boston—International Steel, Copper and Plate Printers' Con. June 21. T. L. Mahan, 319 S. st., northwest, Washington, D. C.
Worcester—Dames of Malta Sovereign Grand Body Con. June 12. Fred W. Treen, Haverhill, Mass.

MICHIGAN

Benton Harbor—Order of Patricians Sup. Court Con. July 25. F. H. Platt, Toonisher bldg., Benton Harbor, Mich.
Detroit—International Assn. of Factory Inspectors' Con. Aug. — A. C. Backus, Milwaukee, Wis.
Detroit—International League of Press Clubs July 1. Henry Star Richardson, cr. Daily News, Philadelphia, Pa.
Detroit—Dramatic Order of Knights of Kohr, Assn. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. — H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.
Detroit—Eastern Star Benevolent Fund of America Con. Aug. 22. Miss M. E. Crowe.
Detroit—Order of the Star of Bethlehem Eminent Gr. Commandery of N. A. Con. June 20. T. J. Crowe.
Detroit—State Dental Assn. Con. June — A. L. LeGro, Three River, Mich.
Detroit—State Gas Assn. Con. Sept. 20. H. W. Douglas, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Detroit—Universal Craftsmen's Council of Engineers' Con. Aug. 14-18. Robt. G. Ingleson, Whitney bldg., Cleveland, O.
Detroit—D. O. E. K. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. 15-18. H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway st., St. Louis, Mo.
Grand Rapids—Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers' Assn. Con. July 25-27.
Grand Rapids—Master Butchers of America Con. Aug. 1. C. Christofferson, Omaha, Neb.
Jackson—Rathbone Sisters Gr. Temple Con. Sept. 18. Mrs. Ethel A. Hendrick, Middleville, Mich.
Lake George—American Pediatric Society Con. June 19-21. Samuel S. Adams, M. D., Washington, D. C.
Mackinac—Natl. Fraternal Press Assn. Con. Aug. 28. A. E. Stevenson, 415 Stevens bldg., Detroit, Mich.
Saginaw—State Retail Hardware Assn. Con. Aug. 9-10. A. J. Scott, Marine City, Mich.
Traverse City—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June — Vina E. Riddell, Jackson, Mich.
Mackinac Island—Natl. Fraternal Congress Con. Aug. 27. M. W. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.

MINNESOTA

Duluth—Fraternal Order of Eagles, State Con. June 15-18. W. E. Brown, 417 W. Superior st.
Duluth—International Assn. of Fire Engineers' Con. Oct. —
Minneapolis—W. C. T. U. State Con. Sept. 18. Elia F. Hendrix.
Minneapolis—State Dental Assn. Con. June — Dr. J. F. McCrea.
Minneapolis—American Local Freight Agents' Assn. Con. June 23-27. G. W. Dennison, Toledo, O.
Minneapolis—American Grain Buyers' Assn. Con. July 11. Ed. Barrett, Atwater, Minn.
Minneapolis—Natl. Spiritualists' Assn. Con. Oct. 18-22. Mrs. M. T. Longley, 608 Pa. ave., S. E. Washington, D. C.
Minneapolis—American Opticians' Assn. Con. July 27-29. E. L. Jones, Sandusky, O.
Minneapolis—Universalists Gen. Con. Oct. 20-25. Rev. G. L. Demaree, Manchester, N. H.
Red Wing—Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran Synod of America Con. June 1-10. Prof. A. J. Lohre, Jewell, Ia.
New Ulm—Catholic Order of Foresters' High Court Con. June — P. H. Martin, Duluth, Minn.

MISSISSIPPI

Meridian—A. O. U. W. International Con. Aug. 10. Jos. Ehrlich, —any, Ga.
Vicksburg—Knights of Canaan Sup. Lodge Con. June 20-24.

MISSOURI

Grand City—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 15-18. F. P. Houser.
Kansas City—Natl. Firemen's Con. Aug. 29-31. Peter B. McCarthy, St. Louis, Mo.
Kansas City—Millers' Natl. Federation Con. June 7-10. L. T. Jamrue, 612 Royal Ins. bldg., Chicago, Ill.
Kansas City—United Amateur Press. Assn. Con. July 7-9. Frank E. Murphy, Brantford, Ont.
Mexico—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Council Con. June 9-10. A. J. Fitzpatrick, Chillicothe, O.
St. Louis—Fraternal Bankers' Assn. Con. June 20. Chas. F. Hatfield, Chemical bldg.
St. Louis—International Brick, Tile and Terra Cotta Workers' Union Con. Sept. 11. Geo. Hodge, 56 Fifth ave., Chicago, Ill.

MONTANA

Anaconda—B. P. O. E. State Con. June — Harry O'Gorman.
Butte—I. O. G. T. Gr. Lodge 57th Con. Aug. 23. J. A. Longstaff, Helena, Mont.
Deer Lodge—State Federation of Women's Clubs' Con. June 6-8. Mrs. H. B. Mitchell, pres., Lincoln, Neb.
Kallispell—State Federation of Labor Con. Aug. 21. H. O. Smith, Helena, Mont.
Missoula—Epsilon League State Con. June 15-18. Asa F. Sutton, Cascade, Mont.

NEBRASKA

Cambridge—Annual Southwest G. A. R. Reunion. Aug. 25-31. Chas. Moncell.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Dover—Catholic Order of Foresters' High Court Con. June — A. L. Pelesiore, Concord, N. H.

NEW JERSEY

Asbury Park—Reformed Church in America (Dutch) Gen. Synod Con. June 7. Rev. W. H. DeHart, Raritan, N. J.
Asbury Park—New Jersey Billposters and Distributors' Assn. Annual Con. June 6. Chas. Rosencrans, Long Branch, N. J.
Asbury Park—Sons of Temperance Natl. Division Con. July 12-13. Rose Black, 1-3 Rose st., Trenton, N. J.
Asbury Park—Natl. Educational Assn. Con. July 6-7. Irena Shepard, Winona, Minn.
Atlantic City—Genl. Federation Council of Women's Clubs Con. June 7-8. Mrs. Chas. E. Yardley, 322 William st., E. Orange, N. J.

Atlantic City—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 14-15. W. F. Ridgway, M. D.
Atlantic City—Fraternal Mystic Circle Sup. Bldg. Con. July 11. J. D. Myers, Titus bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic City—U. S. Brewers' Assn. Con. June 6-8. Chas. J. Warner, 109 E. 15th st., New York City.
Atlantic City—Independent Order of Foresters' Sup. Court Con. Aug. 1. John A. McMillan, Temple bldg., Toronto, Ont., Can.
Atlantic City—National Steam Fitters' Assn. Con. June 12-15. H. B. Gomers, N. Y. C.
Atlantic City—P. O. S. of A. Natl. Camp Con. Sept. 26-27. F. E. Steer, 524 N. 6th st., Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic City—Hotel Men's Mutual Benefit Assn. of U. S. and Canada. June 6. J. K. Blatchford, Chicago, Ill.
Atlantic City—Natl. Photo-Engravers' Assn. Con. June — E. A. LeGro, 347 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.
Atlantic City—Shield of Honor Sup. Lodge 27th Annual Con. June 7. Wm. T. Henry, Mfrs. Record bldg., Baltimore, Md.
Atlantic City—American Laryngological Assn. Con. July — Dr. James Newcomb, New York City.
Bloomfield—I. O. O. F. High Court Con. Sept. — F. A. Mackenzie, 215 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J.
Millville—Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain of N. J. Aug. 22. Thomas Hans, 110 W. Foundry st.
Newark—State Homeopathic Society Con. May 25-26. Bernard Clausen, 736 Garden st., Hoboken, N. J.
Newark—International Jewelry Workers' Con. July 10. Wm. F. Shade, 3032 N. 8th st., Philadelphia, Pa.
New Brunswick—Natl. Print-Outters' Assn. Con. May — Thos. C. Irish, 145 Broadway, Paterson, N. J.
Paterson—Post Office Clerks' Con. May 30. M. E. McGrath, New Brunswick, N. J.

NEW YORK

Albany—State Independent Telephone Assn. Con. June 21-22. T. S. Lane.
Albany—Catholic Young Men's Natl. Union Con. Aug. — Jas. H. Fitzgerald, Mechanics Valley, Pa.
Alexandria Bay—American Seed Trade Assn. Con. June 20-22. C. E. Kendel, 115 Ontario st., Cleveland, O.
Auburn—Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers' State Con. Aug. 7. Jno. A. Goodwin, 15 N. Lexington ave., White Plains, N. Y.
Binghamton—Degree of Pocahontas State Council Con. June 12. Mrs. Mary E. Boehler, Gr. K. of R., 22 E. 13th st., N. Y. C.
Buffalo—Foresters of America Sup. Con. Aug. 26-28. E. M. McMurry, 367 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Buffalo—Natl. Dental Assn. Con. Aug. 1. Dr. A. H. Peck, 92 State st., Chicago, Ill.
Buffalo—Am. Chemical Society Con. June 22-24. W. A. Noyes, Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.
Buffalo—The Gleasons U. C. T. Natl. Annual Con. July 28-30. John H. Nicholson, Janesville, Wis.
Buffalo—International Railway Master Boiler Makers' Con. May — E. C. Cook, 105 N. 7th st., St. Louis, Mo.
Buffalo—Natl. Park Supts. Assn. Con. June 28-30. J. E. Colwell.
Buffalo—Natl. Brotherhood of Operative Potters' Con. July — Edward Menge, East Liverpool, O.
Buffalo—B. P. O. E. Natl. Con. July 11-18. F. C. Robinson, Dubuque, Ia.
Buffalo—Traveling "reight Agents' Assn. Con. June 14-16. E. E. Delaney, 147 Dearborn st.
Buffalo—Brotherhood of Railroad Master Mechanics' Assn. Con. June 14-16. Joseph W. Taylor, 667 The Bookery, Chicago, Ill.
Corning—Central N. Y. Firemen's Con. July 25-27. Frank M. Shoemaker.
Ithaca—I. O. R. M. Gr. Council Con. Aug. 8-10. E. J. Boyd, 575 Blecker st., N. Y. C.
Lake George—American Pediatric Society Con. June 19-21. Samuel S. Adams, 1 Dupont Circle, Washington, D. C.
Lockport—J. O. G. T. Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 22-24. Chas. T. Tolford, Delhi, N. Y.
Manhattan Beach, L. I.—Master Car Builders' Assn. Con. June 19-21. Joseph W. Taylor, 667 The Bookery, Chicago, Ill.
Mt. Vernon—Firemen's Con. June 17-22.
Mt. Vernon—Beta Phi Fraternity of the United States Con. June — George Upson, Newark, Ohio.
New York City—Eastern Assn. of Car Service Officers' Con. June 8.
Manhattan Beach—American Railway Master Mechanics' Assn. Con. June 14.
New York City—Assn. of American Railway Accounting Officers' Con. June 23.
Newark—Stationary Engineers' Assn. Con. June 9.
New York City—United Gold Beaters' Assn. Con. Aug. — W. Norris Batters, 316 Beckett st., Camden, N. J.
New York City—Delta Tau Delta Fraternity Con. Aug. 22-25. A. J. Jones, 34 Vernon Terrace, E. Orange, N. J.
New York City—Natl. Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 21-23. W. H. Overton, Durham, N. C.
New York City—Natl. Foundry Foremen's Assn. Con. June 5-8. Chas. H. Thomas, 481 W. 159th st.
New York City—Business Women's League Natl. Con. July 1-8. Isabelle K. Church, 1133 Broadway.
New York City—International Acetylene Assn. Con. Aug. 15-17. Nelson L. Litten, 324 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.
New York City—Natl. Negro Business League Con. Aug. 16-18. Emmet J. Scott, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.
New York City—International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union Con. June 5. A. Braunstein, 23 3rd ave.
New York City—Protestant Churches of America Gen. Con. Nov. — Rev. W. H. Mobergson.
New York City—Natl. Wholesale Dry Goods Assn. Con. June 8.
New York City—Music Publishers' Assn. of U. S. Con. June 13. Charles B. Bagly, 937 Pa. ave., Washington, D. C.
New York City—International Brotherhood of Tip Printers' Con. June 12. S. J. Carolan, 187 Ferry st., Newark, N. J.
New York City—Catholic Educational Assn. Con. July 4-8. Rev. F. W. Howard, 212 E. Broad st., Columbia, O.
New York City—United States League of Bldg.

and Loan Assn. Con. July 26-27. H. F. Cellarius, Cincinnati, O.
Niagara Falls—Natl. Photo-Engravers' Assn. Con. June 19. E. A. LeGro, 350 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.
Niagara Falls—Natl. Grain Dealers' Assn. Con. June 13.
Niagara Falls—Commercial Law League of American Con. July 31-Aug. 4. C. L. Purves, Bond bldg., Washington, D. C.
Niagara Falls—Y. M. C. A. Salaried Officers' Con. May 28-31. L. L. Pierce, Y. M. C. A., Washington, D. C.
Niagara Falls—Imperial Council Nobles of the Mystic Shrine Con. June 20-23.
Niagara Falls—Templars of Honor Natl. Con. Aug. 8. Rev. C. S. Woodruff, Bloomfield, N. J.
Niagara Falls—American Protestant Assn. Con. Aug. 9-12. Wm. J. McKee, 1334 So. 22nd st., Philadelphia, Pa.
Niagara Falls—Natl. Division Sons of Temperance Con. Aug. —
Niagara Falls—N. Y. State Railway St. Assn. Con. Sept. 12-13.
Niagara Falls—American Veterans of Foreign Service Con. Sept. —
Niagara Falls—Natl. Assn. Agricultural Implement and Vehicle Mfrs. Con. Sept. 27-29.
Niagara Falls—Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. Oct. 11-13.
Niagara Falls—Railway Signaling Club Con. Oct. 10-12.
Niagara Falls—Supreme Circle Brotherhood of the Union Con. Oct. 17-19.
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Niagara Falls—N. Y. State Assembly of Mothers. Oct. 10-13.
Ossining—G. U. O. of O. F. Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 1. W. David Brow, 104 W. 53rd st., New York City.
Poughkeepsie—Master Barbers' State Con. Aug. 15. Jno. E. Bahmer, 417 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Rochester—State Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June — F. H. Shepard, School of Music, Orange, N. J.
Rochester—Sup. Gr. Lodge Order Daughters of St. George Con. Aug. 23. Mrs. M. L. Setterfield, 34 S. Washington ave., Columbus, O.
Sandvill—Natl. Machine Printers and Color Mixers' Assn. Con. Aug. 14. O. Casey, 425 Tenth st.
Saratoga—Natl. Piano Dealers' Assn. Am. Con. June 23. Curt M. Treat.
Saratoga—A. O. E. Natl. Con. July 12. J. P. Bree, 823 Chapel st., New Haven, Conn.
Syracuse—Holstein Freisian Assn. of America Con. June 7-8. F. L. Houghton, Brattleboro, Vt.
Syracuse—New York Dept. Women's Relief Corps Con. June 20-21. Miss Florence P. Westcott, 236 W. 36th st., N. Y. C.
Syracuse—American Advancement of Science Assn. Con. July 20. L. O. Howard, 2028 Hillier pl., N. W., Washington, D. C.
Utica—State Protection of Fish and Game Assn. Con. June 13-16. James Brown, 65 Taylor ave.
Watertown—Ladies Aid Society S. of V. State Con. June — Ray E. Randall, 382 Elliott sq., Buffalo, N. Y.

NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville—Kappa Alpha Fraternity Con. June 27-29. E. C. Smith, Raleigh, N. C.
Morgantown—American Instructors of the Deaf Con. July 8-15. Prof. J. L. Smith, Fairbank, Minn.
Waynesville—State Dental Society Con. June — J. S. Beta, Greensboro, N. C.
Winston—State Firemen's Assn. Con. July 18-20. W. O. VonGlabbe, Wilmington, N. C.

NORTH DAKOTA

Fargo—N. D. Assn. Con. E. P. Y. U. July — E. P. Johnson, Rolla, N. D.
Fargo—C. O. F. State Con. June 9. T. E. Dunn.
Minot—Rebekah State Assembly. June 6-7. Jennie Benedict Hill, Fargo, N. D.

OHIO

Akron—The Pathfinders' Natl. Con. June 6-9. Geo. E. McKay, Cleveland, O.
Blanchester—Universalists' State Con. June 5-9. Rev. Harry L. Thornton.
Bowling Green—K. O. T. M. State Encampment. Aug. 20-26.
Canton—State Sunday School Assn. Con. June 6-8. Joseph Clark, 79 Euggery bldg., Columbus, O.
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Cedar Point—Ohio Elks' Con. June 12-13.
Cincinnati—Natl. Sigma Chi Fraternity Gr. Council Con. July — Judge Howard Ferris, Court House, Cincinnati, O.
Cleveland—Stationary Engineers' State Con. June 23. Chas. F. Roth, 951 E. Court st., Cincinnati, O.
Cleveland—Scandinavian Brotherhood of American Sup. Lodge Con. Aug. 8-10. Jno. Schuber, Bradford, Pa.
Cleveland—Shepherds of America Sup. Con. Aug. 1-2. H. Wilke, 257 Hodge ave.
Cleveland—Natl. Railroad Master Blacksmiths' Assn. Con. Aug. 22. A. L. Woodworth, Lima, O.
Cleveland—Dist. Gr. Lodge of Ohio No. 24 G. U. O. of O. F. Con. Aug. — J. Harnaday, Yellow Springs, O.
Cleveland—American Rabbi's Central Conf. June — Rev. Adolph Guttmacher, 239 Bolton ave., Baltimore, Md.
Cleveland—American Society of Civil Engineers' Co. June 20-23. Charles Warren Hunt, 220 W. 57th st., New York City.
Cleveland—American Genl. Baggage Agents' Assn. Con. June 14. J. E. Quick, Grand Trunk, Toronto, Ont. Can.
Cleveland—Pa. Mutual Agents' Assn. Con. June 14. J. E. Quick, Grand Trunk, Toronto, Ont.
Cleveland—Master Car and Locomotive Painters' Assn. Con. Sept. 12.
Columbus—National Assn. Masters of Dancing Con. June 12. George W. Smith, Gay and High sts.
Columbus—State Master House Painters and Decorators' Assn. Con. July — Joel Kennedy, 944 Linn st.
Columbus—United Commercial Travelers' Natl. Con. June 29. Chas. C. Daniel, Park and Russell sts., Columbus, O.
Dayton—Natl. Postmasters' Assn. Con. Aug. — W. R. Hull, pres., Peoria, Ill.
Findlay—U. S. Spanish War Veterans' Con. Aug. 23-29. O. W. Damon.
Findlay—Ohio Billposters and Distributors' Assn. Con. June 18. N. W. Bugg, Newark, O.

Hamilton—Swiss American Saengerfest. July 3-4. Mt. Vernon—Beta Phi Fraternity of the United States Con. June 29. J. G. Upson, 891 Hudson ave., Newark, O. Put-in-Bay—Natl. Commission Merchants' League Con. Aug. 16-18. A. Warren Patch, Boston, Mass. Put-in-Bay—International Apple Shippers' Assn. Con. Aug. 2. A. Warren Patch, 17 N. Market st., Cleveland, O. Put-in-Bay—International Federation of Commercial Travelers' Con. July 24-26. Arthur Sheets, Omaha, Neb. Springfield—Catholic Total Abstinence Union State Con. July 11-12. Wm. A. Manning, 609 Park bldg., Cleveland, O. Springfield—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 12-17. J. B. Jones. Tiffin—Knights of Columbus State Con. May 1-5. P. J. McCarthy, 1027 Spitzer bldg., Toledo, O. Toledo—Ninth Annual Con. of the League of American Municipalities. Aug. 23-25. John Mac Vicar, Des Moines, Ia. Toledo—Natl. Hay Assn. Con. July 18-20. P. E. Goodrich, Winchester, Ind. Toledo—State Funeral Directors and Embalmers' Assn. Con. June 7-9. Edw. E. Fisher, Columbus, O. Van Wert—Sup. Home of the Home Guards of America. June — J. W. Evans, 402 S. Washington st. Washington C. H.—89th G. A. R. State Encampment. June 6-9. Jno. E. Kerr. Washington C. H.—Sons of Veterans Ladies' Auxiliary State Con. June 6-9. Mrs. J. N. Gage, Marietta, O. Washington C. H.—Daughters of Veterans State Con. June 6-9. Ella M. Ziegler, pres., Wooster, O. Wauseon—Northwestern Ohio Firemen's Assn. Con. June — Xenia—Ladies of the Golden Eagle Gr. Temple of Ohio Con. Aug. 29. Mrs. Lillian Roberts, 607 Williams ave., Bellefontaine, O.

OKLAHOMA

Guthrie—Oklahoma Editorial Assn. Con. June 6-8. W. W. Screws, Montgomery, Ala.

OREGON

Portland—State Dental Assn. Con. July 17-20. Dr. Arthur W. Chance, Dekum bldg. Portland—A. O. U. W. Gr. Lodge Con. July 18. Ollie F. Stephens. Portland—International Irrigation Congress Con. Aug. 21-24. A. King Wilson. Portland—American Medical Assn. Con. July 11-14. Dr. G. H. Simmons, 103 Dearborn ave., Chicago, Ill. Portland—State Homeopathic Medical Society Con. July 6-8. Ella K. Dearborn, M. D. 800 Union ave., N., Station B. Portland—U. C. T. Inter-State Con. June 9. George H. Cook, Seattle, Wash. Portland—American Library Assn. Con. July 4-8. J. S. Weyer, Louisville, Ky. Portland—Natl. Railroad Commissioners' Assn. Con. Aug. 16. Martin S. Decker, Washington, D. C. Portland—Natl. Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. Sept. 4-11. Ed. J. Cantwell, Hutchins bldg., Washington, D. C. Portland—International Anti-Cigarette Assn. Con. July 15-17. Elmer E. Miller. Portland—Natl. Railroad Agents Assn. Con. July 18. N. A. Cottrell, Bismark, Mo. Portland—Charities and Corrections Natl. Conf. July 15-22. Alexander Johnson, Fort Wayne, Ind. Portland—Nebraska Lumber Dealers' Assn. Con. July 17-19. Bird Litchfield, Lincoln, Neb. Portland—Associated Fraternities of America Con. July 24-28. Edmund Jackson, Fulton, Ill. Portland—National Good Roads Assn. Con. June 14-17. R. W. Richards, Omaha, Neb. Portland—America Institute of Instruction. July 10-13. Wm. O. Crawford, 80 Ashford st., Boston, Mass. Portland—National W. C. T. U. Conf. June 27-28. Mrs. Henrietta Brown, Albany, Ore. Portland—The Gr. Lodge Degree of Honor Con. July 18. Mrs. Ollie F. Stephens, gr. rec. Portland—Pacific Coast Electric Transmission Assn. June 20-21. Geo. P. Lowe, San Francisco, Cal. Portland—Natl. Conf. of Charities and Corrections. Oct. — Portland—Natl. American Woman Suffrage Assn. Con. June 29-July 5. Miss Kate M. Gordon, New Orleans, La. Portland—Natl. Supervisors of State Banks' Assn. Con. June 27-29. M. C. Bergh, Madison, Wis.

PENNSYLVANIA

Bloomsburg—State Lumbermen's Assn. Con. July 13. B. F. Landing, Scranton, Pa. Bradford—Firemen's Con. Aug. 8-11. Centre Hall—32nd Encampment, Patrons of Husbandry. Sept. 16-22. L. Rhone, chrm. Erie—International Municipal Electricians' Assn. Con. Aug. 29-31. E. P. Foster, Corning, N. Y. Gettysburg—Natl. Provident Union Congress Con. June 6. J. F. Keenan, 41 Weldon st., Brooklyn, N. Y. Harrisburg—State Encampment Dept. of Pa. Spanish-American War Veterans. July 2-4. Allen W. Hagenbach, Allentown, Pa. Milton—S. of V. State Con. June — H. Fawney, N. E. Cor. Broad and Arch sts., Philadelphia, Pa. Osterburg—20th Annual Grangers' Encampment. Aug. 15-18. Geo. W. Oster, gen. mgr. Philadelphia—United Order of Red Men Natl. Con. Sept. — George Beanger, N. Y. C. Philadelphia—I. O. O. F. Sovereign Gr. Lodge Con. Sept 18-23. J. E. Mackey, Odd Fellows' Temple. Philadelphia—Natl. Zionists' Con. June 16. Philadelphia—Internat'l Brotherhood of Teamsters' Con. Aug. 7. E. L. Turley, 147 Market st., Indianapolis, Ind. Philadelphia—Women's Single Tax League Natl. Con. June 15-17. Dr. Charlotte M. Dickens. Philadelphia—Am. Order of Steam Engineers' Sup. Council Con. June 12. Frederick Markoe, 931 N. Orinna st., Reading, Pa. Philadelphia—Knights of the Red Branch Snp. Commandery. Aug. 27-29. P. E. Braser, Troy, Pa. Pittsburg—Natl. Gymnastic Clubs' Con. June — Pittsburg—International—Steam, Hot Water and Power Fitters and Helpers Assn. Con. June 6. W. F. Costella, New Haven, Conn.

Pittsburg—Lutheran Church Genl. Synod Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. K. Feuner, 23 W. Pearl st., Cincinnati, O. Pittsburg—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Council Con. June 9-10. B. F. Dowell, 23-25 Oxford st., Philadelphia, Pa. Reading—Thirty-eighth State G. A. R. Encampment. June 7-8. Lemon Enchb. Reading—Womens' Relief Corps State Con. June 7-8. Mrs. Abbie Lynch, 1531 Market st., Allegheny, Pa. Digsway—I. O. G. T. Gr. Lodge Con. July 18. A. A. Anderson, McKeesport, Pa. Scranton—American Mechanical Society of Engineers' Con. June 6-9. Prof. F. R. Hut-ton, 12 West 31st st., New York City. Slatington—Firemen's Con. June 17. Wilkesbarre—Natl. Assn. Newsdealers, Booksellers and Stationers of the U. S. Con. Aug. 29-30. M. E. Golde, 1017 Sixth ave., New York City. Wilkesbarre—Catholic Total Abstinence Union Con. Aug. 9-11. J. Washington Logue, 1309 Girard bldg., Philadelphia, Pa. York—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. Aug. 2-8. W. C. Woods, R. F. D. No. 3. York—Natl. Chairmakers' Union Con. June 5. C. G. Miller, 1334 W. Broad st., Sta. D, Columbus, O.

RHODE ISLAND

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TENNESSEE

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VERMONT

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VIRGINIA

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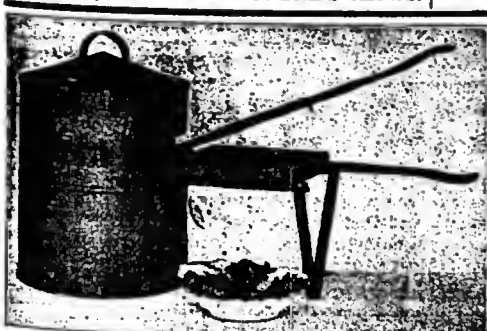
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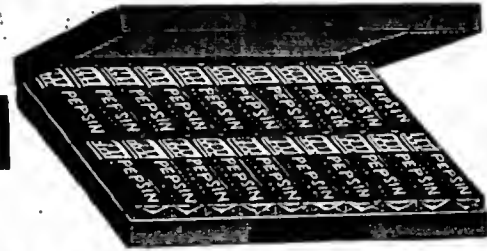
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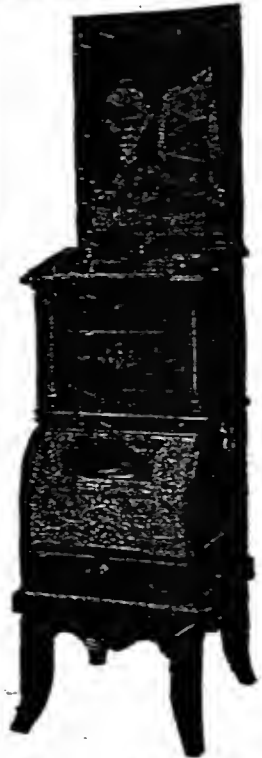
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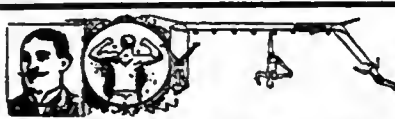
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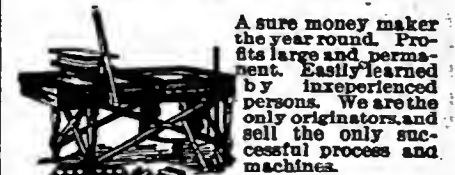
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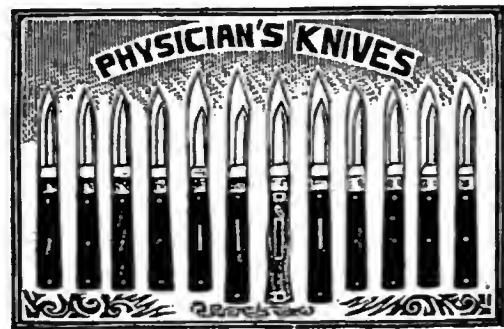
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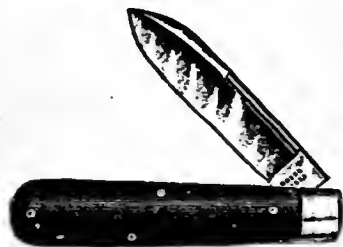
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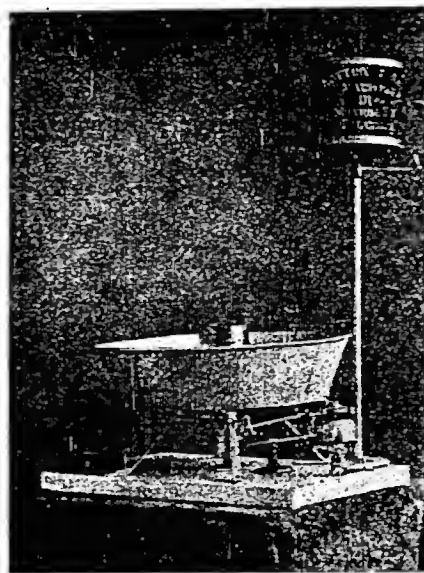
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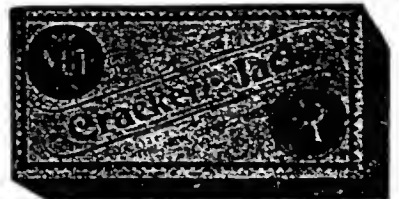


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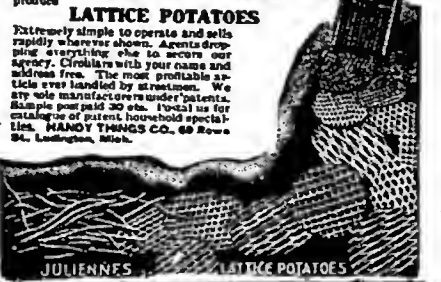


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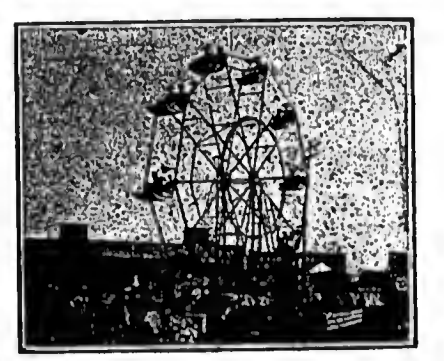
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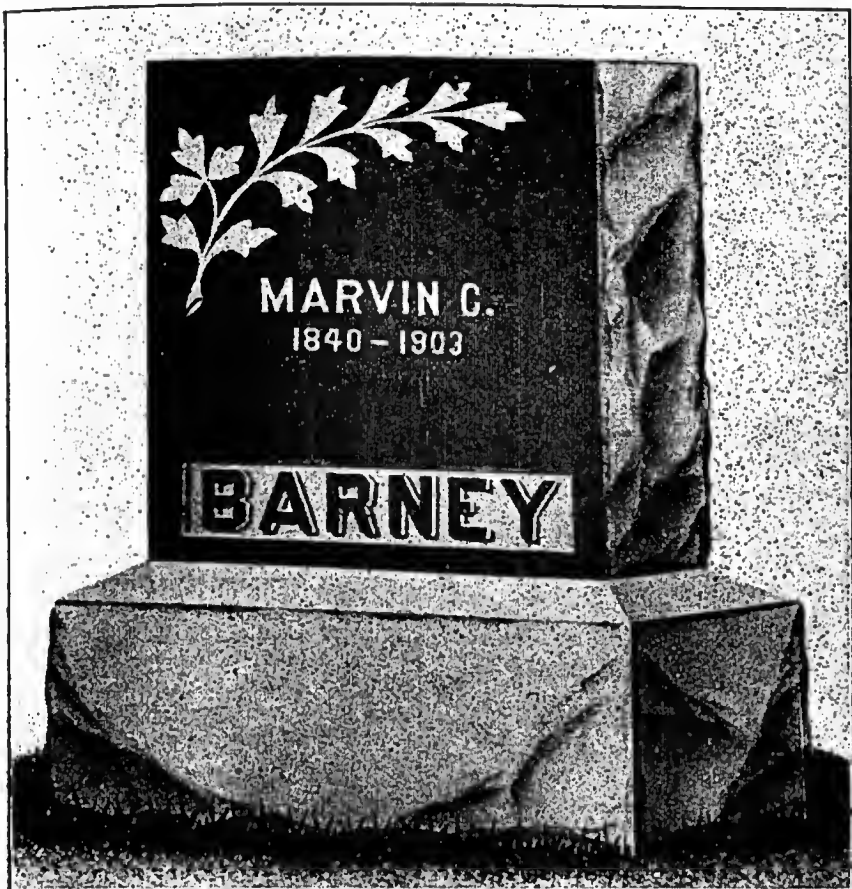
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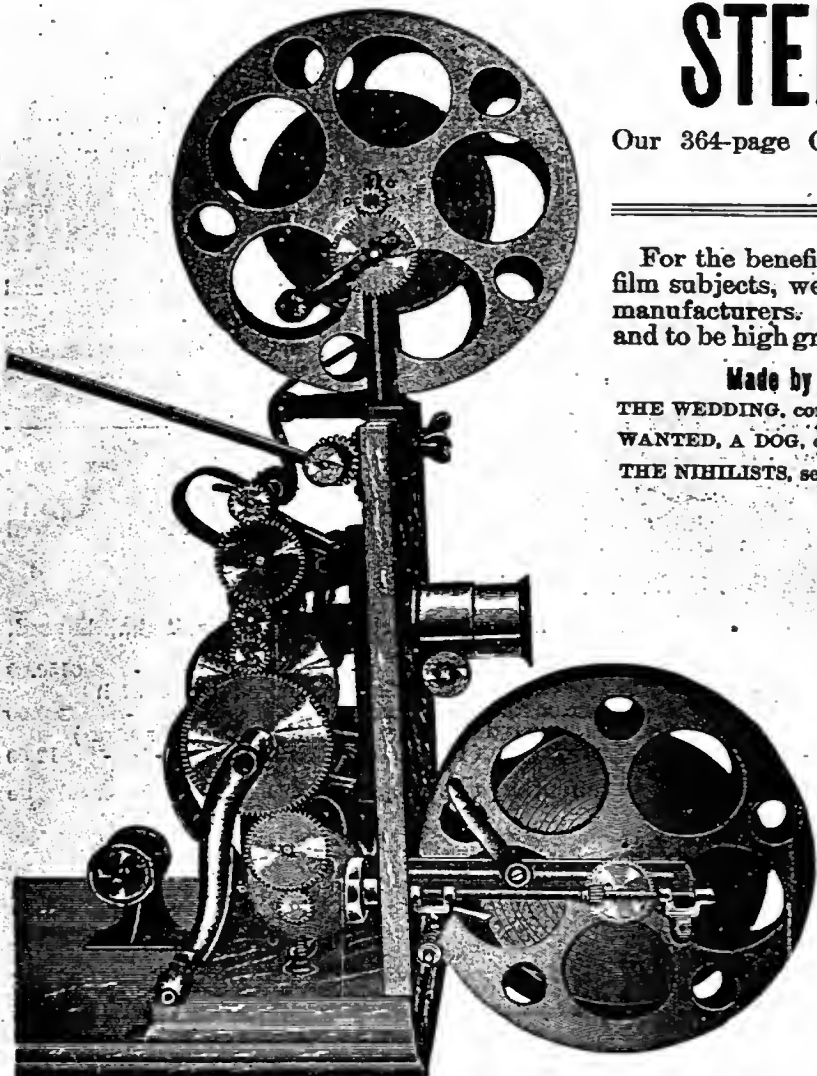
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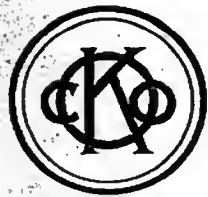


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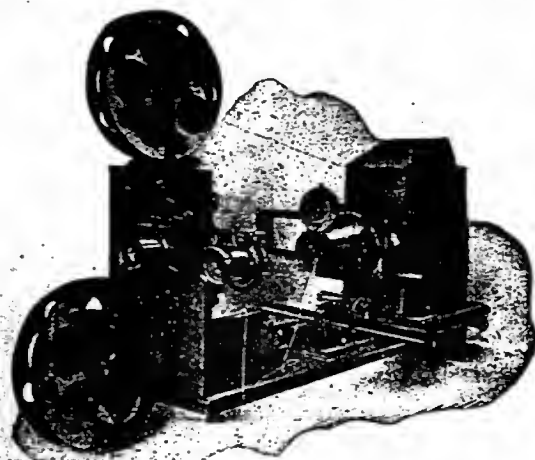
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BROADWAY GOSSIP

Personal News, Views and Items of General Interest Gleaned in the Great Metropolis

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Another young theatrical manager, Robert Fulton, was added to the death-roll of the month of May a week ago. While he was not engaged so extensively in theatrical exploitations as were Sam Shubert and Kirke LaSelle, the late Mr. Fulton was a representative man in the burlesque branches of amusement, and numbered his friends by the hundreds. He was buried in Philadelphia on Decoration Day. In his will, by the way, he left \$1,000 to Harry H. Hedges, who has served him faithfully as business manager of the Trocadero, Chicago, and he willed a half interest in the Jolly Grass Widows to Gus Hogan, who has been business manager of that company ever since the late Mr. Fulton put the organization upon the road. L. Lawrence Weber, Geo. Beltsoefer and Mrs. Fulton are the executors of the will. He left an estate, nearly all in cash or tangible investments, of nearly \$50,000.

Edwin Thanhauser, manager of the Academy of Music, Milwaukee, accompanied by his wife and son, spent the past week in New York, while Mr. Thanhauser selected plays and players for the Thanhauser Stock Co., which had been the Academy's permanent attraction for years.

Antonette Walker has again signed with David Belasco to play her old role in The Music Master, supporting David Warfield, opening the next season at the Bijou, Sept. 2, with a likelihood of running another entire season in New York.

Frances Ring, who has been so successful in the part of Lucy Rigby in The County Chairman Co., has been chosen by Henry W. Savage to assume the role of Jane Witherspoon, the college widow in the eastern company of that name, which opens its season in Boston. The western College Widow Co. will have at its head Dorothy Tennant, who played the role during the long run at the Garden Theatre in this city.

Mrs. Kate Marren, of New Martinsville, W. Va., has asked that the announcement be made to her son, James D. Marren, that his brother recently died at their home. She states that she has not heard from her son James, who has been in the theatrical profession for some time. This item is but one of a number of the same sort which come to the office of theatrical newspapers during the year. Young men and young women who leave home to enter the profession seem to disregard home ties; but why they should, is more than one can imagine. By the very nature of their calling, they are constantly holding up the beauties of human sympathy to public gaze, and still they are constantly forgetting "the old folks at home."

Although belated in its time of publication, the following tribute to the memory of a once popular idol, is so beautiful, that I beg to submit it:

JESSIE BARILETT DAVIS

In Memorium

The choir invisible shall gain
A voice so wondrous sweet and rare,
That it must feel it had been fain
Long time to have that sweetness there.

Oh voice, now stifled in hush of death,
The earthly choir remembers thee
As lingering memory whispereeth
The cadence of O. Promise Me.
—Frank P. Adams, in The N. Y. Mail.

Cecil DeMille, the young actor who recently revived Lord Chumley, evoked a remarkable comment some weeks ago from the scribe of a country newspaper. Quoth the journalist: "At the opera house last night was seen Cecil DeMille, son of the dramatist who died several years ago, and he had a warm reception."

J. C. Carter, manager of Diavolo, the "loop the loop" bicycle rider, writes from Johannesburg, South Africa, as follows: "We

have played here three weeks to packed tents and will remain two weeks longer. It is marvelous how the people of this city will continue to patronize the Filis Show, the loop is the only new feature. The population is only about 60,000 whites, and they pay from seventy-five cents to \$2.50 for seats."

Sidney J. Evans and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Winter (Emma Jack) sailed from New York on Decoration Day for a two months' European vacation trip. By the closing of Sam T. Jack's Theatre, in Chicago, Mr. Evans is given his first opportunity in eight years for a little recreation.

The talking and singing act presented last week at Tony Pastor's by Frey and Ferguson, is worthy of special commendation. They call it The Fox Hunters, and with appropriate costuming, and a good line of comedy, they made themselves pronounced favorites.

The piece that holds the world's record for the greatest number of consecutive performances, is the famous farce comedy Charley's Aunt. It is also accredited with the record of creating more laughs in its three acts than any comedy that thus far has been staged. Charley's Aunt will be produced at Proctor's 125th Street Theatre week of June 5. The part of Charley's Aunt will be played by the originator of the role, Etienne Girardot.

May Howard arrived from Chicago last Sunday to spend a fortnight on Broadway. If the present indications count for anything, there will be a May Howard Show in one of the "burlesque wheels" next season.

Seeback's bag punching specialty, which I witnessed at Fort George Trocadero last week, is the most wonderful act of its sort I ever saw. He punches the exhibition bag with the greatest dexterity and, getting down to trick work, he keeps in motion from two to seven punching bags, all at one time. He keeps knees, feet, head, hands, and elbows pretty busy, and the result is truly astonishing.

WALTER K. HILL.

STAGE CAREER OF J. C. STEWART

J. Stewart Crossy, known in the profession as J. C. Stewart, notice of whose death appeared in these columns last week, was persuaded just before the fatal illness overtook him, to write a sketch of his career. We print it herewith, without further comment.

"After leaving a seafaring life, I adopted the stage for a livelihood in 1848, making my first appearance as an Irish comic singer at Dan Wright's Music Hall, James street, New York, then at the Temple of Music, Canal street, near Broadway, and next the Anatomical Museum, Bowery and Division streets, New York.

"In 1849 I appeared at Bannan's Museum, Broadway and Ann streets, New York. My next engagement was the American Music Hall, Broadway and Grand streets, New York. I then joined the Sabel Harmonists, a minstrel troupe (traveling). Next I joined a minstrel troupe called The Fly By Night, after which I started a company of my own, called Buckley's Minstrels. In 1854 I traveled the whole season with P. T. Barnum's Museum and Menagerie, the largest concern known up to that date. I forgot to mention that before joining Barnum I played one year at the Franklin Theatre, Chatham Square, and a short season at the National Theatre, Chatham street.

"The winter of 1854 I started a company called Stewart's Minstrels and another called Northern Chimers, and established a minstrel hall in Providence, R. I.

"The summer of 1855 I traveled with S. B. Howe's Circus, singing in the side show and playing clown. The winter of 1855 I played at the Coliseum, New York. The summer of 1856 I traveled with Joe Pentlan's Circus, singing and playing clown. That winter I returned to the Coliseum, New York.

"The summer of 1857 I traveled with L. B. Lent's Circus, singing and clown. That winter I played in vaudeville at Military Hall, Philadelphia. The season of 1858 I traveled with Dan Rice's Circus; left the company in Indianapolis and went to St. Louis, Mo., where I played an engagement for the season at the Bowery Theatre. In 1859 I opened and managed Beckner's Music Hall, played an engagement at Wood's Theatre, Fourth street, and built and opened Stewart's Melodeon, Third street, St. Louis. My next engagement was at Gault's Music Hall, Chicago, Ill. In 1860 I played an engagement at Bellars' Vaudeville and Music Hall, Detroit, Mich., returning to the Bowery Theatre, St. Louis, where I remained until the Civil War broke out, returning to Detroit, where I played another engagement. My next engagements in 1861 were at 444 Broadway, New York, from there to the Palace of Mirrors, the Cantabury, Broadway, and from there to the Melodeon, Broadway. My next engagements in 1862 were at the

Olympic Theatre, Race street, Philadelphia, the Cantabury, Washington, D. C., and the Melodeon, Baltimore, Md., known at present as the Monumental Theatre; thence to Washington with a vaudeville show at Temperance Hall. In 1863 went at the Melodeon, Calohill street, Philadelphia, at Fox's Casino, Chestnut street, thence to 44 Broadway, New York, and back to Fox's Casino, Philadelphia. In 1864 I opened and ran a vaudeville and music hall of my own, called the "Apollo," on Chestnut street, Philadelphia. My next engagement was at Trembles' Varieties, Pittsburg, thence to the Palace Varieties, Cincinnati, and from there to the Bowery Theatre, St. Louis.

"In 1865-66 I played at Chadwick's Theatre, Chicago. In 1867 I opened a minstrel hall, Fourth and Gascal streets, Philadelphia. My next engagement was at Fox's American Theatre, Walnut street, Philadelphia, where I remained until the theatre burned. My next engagement was at the Boston Theatre and the Howard Athenaeum, Boston. My next opening was at Mechanical Hall, Broadway, known as the American Theatre. My next opening was at Fox's American Theatre, Philadelphia. Then I played at Harry Enoch's Varieties, Seventh street, Philadelphia. My next was Crystal's Varieties, Third street, Philadelphia. This was all during 1868, and in 1869 I opened at Hoolie's Minstrel Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y.

"My next engagement was at the Bowery Theatre, New York, thence to the Howard Athenaeum, Boston. I next started a company called Stewart's Reinforcements, and toured the country for nine months. Then I opened at the Theatre Comique, New York, where I remained for eighteen months, from there to the American Theatre, Philadelphia, now known as the Chestnut Street Opera House. In 1871 was at Front Street Theatre, Baltimore, thence to Fred. Ames, Pittsburg, thence to Frank Wild's Music Hall, Syracuse, the Howard Athenaeum, Boston, under John Stetson's management. Then I went to the Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, under Stetson's management, and back to the Howard Athenaeum, Boston; from there I opened for Wm. E. Sulz, at the Brooklyn Theatre, Brooklyn, N. Y., then to the Globe Theatre, New York. Was at the Grand Opera House, St. Louis, under the management of Fred. Ames. My next engagement was with Sam Hague's Minstrels, Liverpool, England, in 1873; returning I brought a company from England and opened at Fox's American Theatre, Philadelphia, thence to the Theatre Comique, Broadway, New York, under the management of Josh Hart, thence to Tom Donally's Brooklyn, then to Troy, N. Y., from there to Fred. Ames Opera House, Pittsburg.

"In 1874 I made a tour of the New England cities, and in 1875 opened at Fox's American Theatre, Philadelphia, leaving in 1876, when I built and opened the North Broad Street Theatre, Philadelphia, which I conducted as variety, dramatic and operatic, playing all the big operas until 1881, when I tore the building down, played engagements at the Comique, Jersey City, and the National Theatre, New York, and Gilmore's Theatre, Philadelphia, and the Monumental Theatre, Baltimore. My next engagement was with Hyde & Behman's traveling company, touring the country."

In 1882 John Hart was to have a benefit at Hyde & Behman's Theatre, Brooklyn, and invited John C. Stewart to appear. Mr. Stewart was to furnish the afterpiece, and on account of their both being very large and not unlike in appearance, he conceived the one-act farce, The Two Johns. It was such a hit that he made it into three acts, and with it amassed a second fortune.

The Two Johns was followed by The Fat Men's Club, Betsy Jane, and The Wicked City. Over three hundred farces and numerous songs were the product of his pen.

MR. NEW YORK OF BROADWAY

Mr. New York of Broadway is the name of the musical comedy which will be used by Mr. Billy Single Clifford for his starring piece next season. Mr. Clifford's present season closes July 15 at Norfolk, Va., after which rehearsals will be begun for the new piece. Mr. C. F. Whitaker announces that Mr. Clifford will next season have two car loads of special scenery and a supporting company of fifty-five people.

FROHMAN GETS MR. WRIGHT

Chas Frohman has signed Huntley Wright, the well-known English musical comedian, for a number of years. Mr. Wright was for nine years a star in all the productions at Daly's Theatre, London, and was the creator of the parts played in America by James T. Power and William Morris. He has a large following in London.

ACTORS' FUND IN LONDON

An American Actors' Fund has been started in London, where, in case of distress, the two thousand American-born performers in Great Britain can go for support. Each American actor will be given a card, which, by special arrangement, will entitle the holder in case of sudden illness to enter one of the best hospitals without the usual long-winded, red-tape operation required in England. One big fund benefit in the shape of a continuous performance will be given annually in London. It is being planned to hold the first one next July.

VIOLET BARNEY



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HERBERT STAPLES DEAD

Herbert T. Staples, a veteran showman, known professionally as Charles E. Weston, died last week at Lawrence, Mass. He was born in Old Town, Me., in 1842, and made his first appearance at the age of sixteen with the Old South Carolina Serenade, in The South Before The War. He afterwards joined the Old Peggy O'Brien and Yankee Robison Circus, and late was with the Frank K. Howe Circus. He organized the Iron Clad Minstrels, the first minstrels to show in the east, and was the inventor of the Illusion, Galatea, and the automaton, Psyche. He served as a Union soldier through the Civil War, and at the close of the war followed the theatrical business as champion bone and tambourine player of the world. He leaves a wife, one grown son, two married daughters, and five small children.

OUTCAULT WILL LECTURE

R. F. Outcault, creator of The Yellow Kids, Buster Brown, and various other cartoons for the comic supplement of the New York Herald, will take the platform next season to tell how he did it, with blackboard illustrations in crayon.

Mr. Outcault has the rare faculty in art of combining subtle suggestions with humor, thus being able to amuse the "grownups" as well as the children.

From Buster Brown's "Resolutions" and letters to Mary Ann it may be assured that his lectures will be prodigiously funny.

GORTON'S MINSTRELS CLOSE

Gorton's Minstrels closed their season of forty-five weeks at Friendship, N. Y., May 27. The itinerary, which included a trip to the coast and return by way of the South, covered total distance of 14,000 miles. Engagements were played in the principal cities and towns of twenty-eight states and territories. Business was uniformly good, and the performance received highly favorable commendations from press and patrons.

Manager Pearl has already completed arrangements for next season's engagements. The performance will include several prominent feature acts. Orders have been placed for elaborate scenery, wardrobe and printing, and next season's offering promises to be much superior in every way to any of their previous efforts.

ILL IN BIRMINGHAM

Henry Casey is ill at the St. Vincent's Hospital, Birmingham, Ala., suffering from typhoid fever. A few lines from his many friends would be greatly appreciated.

PAT CHATS

Things Theatrical North and West from a Chicago Point of View.

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In a pleasant chat the other day, Mr. C. P. McDonald, the clever song writer, who is affiliated with the W. C. Poole Co., of this city, said: "Song writing, generally speaking, is a most precarious business at best, and the man who enters the field with that sublime faith in his ultimate success which is characteristic of the native-born American, had better ponder long and deeply upon the hazards which confront him. Few, very few, indeed, are today subsisting upon the returns gleaned from a successful composition, while nine-tenths of the whole are satisfied with the modicum apportioned them. One can count on one's fingers, figuratively speaking, the song writers who depend upon the fruits of their creative genius for a livelihood.

"In the old glad days there were few writers who aspired to chase that elusive goddess, Success, until they had overtaken her or given up the pursuit. In these days, however, I do not believe I exaggerate when I say there are several thousands who give chase with an indomitable persistence which recognize no defeat. The market will bear out this assertion, for one has but to visit almost any department store to see the voluminous output of song and instrumental concoctions that predominate.

"I do not wish to be misinterpreted in this statement. It is not my purpose to discourage new talent, for it is the man with new ideas who is always to be looked upon as a possibility. All writers eventually get into a beaten path and are content to produce innumerable revamps, until the man with the new idea blossoms into popularity with a hit which startles the music publishing world, and rouses the recognized song writers from their lethargy, spurring them on to renewed energy.

"The future—who can look behind the mystic curtain of futurity and see what is in store for any of us? It is hardly befitting anyone to predict what the future generation of bards will bring forth; and, being but a mere tyro in the present crop of versemiths, I would not take upon myself the responsibility of such a prediction. I can only say, the existing tendency is toward a higher class of work, a less prolific production by capable writers, and the bringing forth of work that will stand the test of time rather than work which shows the ear marks of a feverish desire to emulate the sky rocket career of a popular hit."

"What, in your opinion, is the reason for the present scarcity of hits?" we asked.

"That is a question which is not easy to answer. My conception of the situation might be at great variance with that of the majority of writers. To substantiate this statement, I might cite the instance of Teasing. Teasing was a song of strict merit (in so far as merit is concerned in popular songs) and originality. The public was tired of waltz songs; it was tired of ballads, rustic and otherwise. It was waiting for Teasing, and therefore, Teasing was launched at a most auspicious time. Teasing created a furor, and the various publishers grew alarmed at the prospect of Albert Von Tilzer "cornering the market," as it were, for at least a few months. What was the result? Not less than half a dozen publishers got out songs of inferior workmanship, all patterned after Teasing, to stop the sale of that song. One publisher went so far as to advertise his imitation as the "successor to Teasing." Teasing was a genuine hit, while its "successors" fell by the wayside, with sales that were insignificant compared with the sale of their instigator.

"Then, again, the success of a song is dependable, to a great extent, upon the house publishing it. If the house does not get behind it, the writer alone can not make the song a success. Judicious advertising by the publisher is always productive of results—providing the goods are in the song—but an imitation, no matter how vigorously pushed, will never begin to equal in popularity the original production. While pushing the counterfeit, valuable time and energy are expended, which might otherwise have been lavished upon a song that would be a 'go' if it were given the proper attention.

"This is not a flippant criticism on my part, believe me, but I am simply giving you my opinion for what it is worth, with all due respect to the enterprising publishers to whom such an expression of my views might appeal.

"To the person who contemplates entering the crowded field of song writing, my advice would be: Get in right with the right house; be original; get a composer who can write a melody in sympathy with your verses; don't imitate, but aspire to be an Andrew Sterling or a James O'Dea, a Charles Daniels or a W. C. Powell."

Chris. O. Brown, Chicago representative of the Affiliated Western Vaudeville Circuit, announces the following acts booked to go on that circuit June 5: Williams and Gordon, singing and talking comedians; McCrea and Poole, expert rifle shots. At Butte, Mont., Family Theatre—Foster and Henderson, singing and dancing comedians, and Signorina Adeline Belloni, operatic vocalist. Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco—McCrea and Poole, who were featured with the Sam Devere Burlesque Show the past season, are engaged to play twelve consecutive weeks on the Affiliated Western Vaudeville Circuit. The Sam Devere Show closed in St. Louis, and McCrea and Poole left immediately for the west.

Chicago's First Annual Advertising Show will be held in the Coliseum, Chicago, from Oct. 11 to 18, 1905, inclusive. The most important branch of modern commercial activity is that effort which is devoted to advertising and marketing products. The exposition will gather under one roof every device for advertising purposes that has been devised by the mind of man. It will be a national exhibition, where will be shown everything that is of value from an advertising standpoint. Publishers and advertising agencies will demonstrate the value of newspaper and magazine advertising. Printers and lithographers will demonstrate the

vaudeville line. Well appointed theatres with large stages, presenting first-class acts, are what the westerners demand. It is no longer a case of one-hour shows with cheap acts.

Mr. S. Morton Cohn, president of the Consolidated Amusement Co., which owns and controls ten houses in the northwest, on the Affiliated Circuit, was one of the promoters of the new Washington Theatre, which is being erected in Spokane, Wash. This house will be devoted exclusively to popular priced vaudeville and when completed and thrown open to the public will be one of the most magnificent structures of the kind in the west. The house is being built at a cost of \$75,000.

All 'Round Chicago, at Vicker's, has struck what seems to be the right vein in musical reviews. It takes up local topics, people and places, and manages to get a good deal of fun out of the process of making them subjects for satire of a gentle sort. Incidental to the unfolding of the slender story which holds the piece together, any number of pretty musical numbers, dances, marches and specialties are introduced, the whole being served up by a host of pretty women in numerous and dazzling costumes, and a corps of well-known comedians. One of the biggest hits of the piece is Richard Carle's burlesque on Way Down East, in which

it is his intention to play days for the next year or so. If any of his plays go out it will, in all probability, be under royalty. Walters' act is one of the biggest that has ever appeared in the western houses. Aside from four people, he carries 1,600 lbs. of excess baggage, which includes special scenery, electrical effects and accessories.

William Jerome, author of the lyrics in F. C. Whitney's Piff, Paff, Poff, now running in the Garrick, and also of a number of popular songs, arrived in Chicago last week on his way to the Wisconsin lakes, where he will spend two or three weeks fishing. He, at the same time, will finish the lyrics for McIntyre & Heath's new musical piece called The Ham Tree, Joe Cawthorne's In Tammany Hall, and the new review, Lifting The Lid, which opens shortly for a summer run in the Aerial Gardens, New York. Mr. Jerome is a Chicagoan and lived in this city for years. In 1886, he made his start here as a variety performer in the old Park Theatre, and became a local favorite. He wrote verses and skits at that time. Then David Henderson engaged him to write the lyrics for his productions in the Chicago Opera House, and for years he wrote all the songs and a great deal of the dialogue that made Eddie Foy such a great favorite in this line of work, both here and in other parts of the country.

The Land of Nod chorus has a physical director who promises that her pupils will all be an improvement upon the average American chorus girls. Jessie Madcap, who is the leader and manager of the Madcap ballet of acrobatic dancers, is giving instruction to some of the native girls, and her efforts in their behalf are bearing returns to the surprise of Stage Director Gus Sohlke. Many of the chorus people were so intensely interested in the work of the Madcap, that they began immediately to study the foundation of all their grace. Jessie Madcap, who seems to be the leader of the troupe in all matters pertaining to business, readily found listeners, and now every morning, before active rehearsals begin, this director can be seen putting the female members of the chorus through a rigid series of physical culture exercises.

The DeMuths, whirl-wind dancers, opened for twelve consecutive weeks on the Affiliated Circuit at Butte, and jumped into immediate favor with the patrons of the Family Theatre.

The Isle of Bong Bong, in the second edition, now playing in Powers' Theatre with its many changes in scenery, cast and costuming, makes it a pleasing entertainment. The changes in the cast are: Charles Ross, in the role of Gordan, who proves himself more than capable of handling that part, and Henry Leone, as the sultan, who also proves himself a pleasing addition to the comedy. Some of the song hits are My Illinois, sung by Miss Olive Vall, and the Brownies by George Mackay. The real hit of the performance is In The Bloomin' U. S. A., sung by Charles Ross, Cecil Lean and Florence Holbrook, in which all three do some very clever burlesquing.

Robt. A. Brackett writes from La-Porte, Ind., under date of May 21: The Lyman H. Howe Moving Picture Co. No. 4, closes a season of forty weeks at Meyerdale, Pa., June 10. During that forty weeks we have covered 30,000 miles of railroad, introducing America's Greatest Exhibition of moving pictures in entirely new territory. Mr. Howe is now covering the entire United States with his several companies. The roster of our company is as follows: S. M. Walkenshaw, general manager; Robt. A. Brackett, business manager; Chas. H. King, advance and booking; Frank H. Clifford, electrician and operator; Leroy Langford, stage manager and effects, and Max Vincent VanDyke, musical director.

Through the courtesy of J. A. Sternad, manager of the Trans-Continental Vaudeville Association, Ye Scribe had the extreme pleasure of attending a banquet arranged by Mr. Sternad and W. H. Huppeler, the popular proprietor of the Chicago Opera House Cafe, Wednesday night, May 31. A lack of space prevents enlarging upon the pleasant features of the occasion, but suffice it to say the menu was all that the most exacting epicure could have wished for, while the flow of wit from the assembled guests made the oratorical portion of the event one long to be fondly remembered. Among those who gathered around the festive board were Mr. Wolfenden, passenger agent of the Pere Marquette Railroad; Robert Hammond, city passenger agent of the Big Four; A. R. Schultz, city passenger agent Pere Marquette; George K. Spoor, western film magnate; Ticket Agent Keeny of the Marquette; Frank B. Winter, manager Crystal Theatre, Milwaukee; Manager Tagge of the Postal Telegraph Co.; George H. ("Pop") Robertson, passenger agent of the Wabash; James Marks, city passenger agent Rock Island; and William Jacobs, manager Baker Drug Co. The Musical Foresters entertained the company with a few choice selections. WARREN A. PATRICK.

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Things in the vaudeville way are thriving on the Pacific coast, and daily western promoters are securing leases on theatres that were formerly devoted to popular combinations and turning them into vaudeville houses. The time has passed when a store show can thrive in the west, as the western public is fast becoming educated to and expects the best there is in

James J. Corbett, Dick Bernard, Hans Robert, Frank Hatch, Tony Hart and others take part. This bit of excellent fooling is received nightly with convulsing laughter, and the evident delight of the big audiences which are assembling to see and hear All 'Round Chicago. The review is sure of a long run and much prosperity during the summer.

John L. Sullivan, after playing his two weeks' engagement at the Star Theatre, Portland, Ore., will remain in that city at least four or five weeks before playing California houses. Sullivan has met with tremendous success in the northwest, and his engagement has proved a big thing financially for the managers as well as himself. From the way Sullivan was greeted in Spokane, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland, it shows that the old-timers hold him in warm esteem and that the younger generation is desirous of seeing him.

That George M. Cohn, "Little Johnny Jones," his admirable company and splendid chorus, have lost none of the popularity gained on his previous visit to Chicago, is amply demonstrated in the Illinois Theatre, where this attraction is playing to capacity at every performance. Little Johnny Jones is just as amusing as before, while Tom Lewis as The Unknown, is as popular as ever.

James Walters and company are in their third week on the Affiliated Circuit, and have been a big feature in these houses. This is Walters' first experience in vaudeville and



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Business is Buiness, Mr. Tree's latest production at His Majesty's, is powerful or trivial, striking or tedious, absurd or a masterpiece, according to the individual point of view. It is an adaption from the French of M. Octave of one dominating personality than a play. Mirabeau's "Les Affaires sont les Affaires." It may be said to be rather a full length portrait. The theme has been handled by playwrights many times and oft. Balzac, Dumas, Angier, Anthony Hope have all built stories around the character of a "Napoleon of Finance." In this adaptation Mr. Sydney Grundy has well named the principal character, Isidore Izard, the mere initials "I. I." represent in characteristics fashion the blatant egotism of the financier and newspaper proprietor, who overrides all difficulties by mere personal force and cuts every Gordian knot with the most complacent and reckless disregard of such ordinary human feelings as affection, justice, esteem and love. The actual play, with its somewhat episodic treatment (for the hero's career is revealed to us in a series of scenes very loosely connected) falls into the background by the side of this absorbing, engrossing portrait of a vulgar parvenu, big as all elemental things are big, the incarnation of an unscrupulous cupidity. And rarely has Mr. Tree been seen to greater advantage. As a piece of character acting he has done nothing like it since his incomparable Svengali.

Another adaptation of the week was *Belinda* at the Court Theatre. There is no need to expound more than a few words upon the story. Enough that the piece was well received on Monday.

An interesting item of the news of the week is the announcement of the engagement of Mr. George Alexander, the actor-manager, for the fall production at the Drury Lane, at the magnificent salary of £250 a week, the highest salary on record paid to an English actor.

Mr. Charles Frohman is to be largely represented in the provinces next autumn. Under his management Miss Ellen Terry goes on tour with *Alice Sit-by-the-Fire*, and he is also booking dates for Miss Marie Tempest in *The Freedom of Suzanne*. Further, he is arranging to send out two companies with Leah Kleeschna, and one with *The Dictator*. In addition, he will pilot Miss Ellaline Terriss and Mr. Seymour Hicks through the country. For five years these accomplished artists have been appearing at the Vaudeville, but towards the end of the next month—soon after the souvenir performance of *The Catch of The Season*—they will sever their connection with Messrs. Gatti's theatre. Their tour begins at Douglas, Isle of Man, on September 11, but at Christmas, or thereabouts, they return to town to open the new Aldwych Theatre, under the direction of Mr. Frohman.

Lovely green and yellow bills tell us that we are to be dictated to by that agreeable Dictator, Mr. Collier, to our heart's content. For Mr. Frohman announces that arrangements have been made whereby that eminently successful piece will be continued at the Comedy as long as the present "capacity" patronage continues.

Miss Maxine Elliott has concluded negotiations with Mrs. Brown Potter for taking over the Savoy Theatre, with the consent of Mr. J. H. Leigh, the lessee, and transferred Her Own Way from the Lyric Theatre to the Savoy on Monday, May 23.

The extraordinary run of *The Orchild* at the Gaiety Theatre will terminate on Wednesday evening, May 24, when this highly successful and popular musical play will be performed for the 558th, and last time.

An exciting performance is promised early next month at the Coliseum. The great revolving stage will become during a part of the program a race-course, on which many of the best-known trotters in the country will compete in a grand trotting tournament for a prize of £1,000 offered by the management. The tournament will be carried out with the same exactness of detail, speed tests, and handicapping as is exercised in trotting races on an ordinary track. The distance will be exactly a mile, and the first heat will be run about June 5. The judges will be the committee of the Haverstock Amateur Trotting Club.

From time to time the performers of England are heard to complain of the num-

bers of foreigners engaged at the local music halls. This "Little Englandism" has recently cropped up again. How ridiculous it is, is best proven by the howls heard at times in all countries, but of course, the stay-at-home do not know it. And those who travel know the injustice of the complaint. If the "Little Englanders" would take the trouble to count the number of English artists abroad they would find that the number compares not unfavorably with the number of foreigners in England. Vandeville is today an international calling. One country, even the largest, is too small for a performer to attain the best results from his enterprise. To cross the Atlantic nowadays is not considered more of a jump than going from New York to Chicago, or Chicago to Denver was not so many years ago. That nearly any act that can do well in America is suitable for England is proven by the diversity of American acts seen on nearly every music hall bill. Here in London we have Everhart and Morton and Elliott at the Hippodrome; Bailey and Madison, Leona Thurber and the Earl Trio at the Empire; Robertus and Wilfredo, The Levittos, The Harmony Four and Daisey Meyer at the Pavilion; Will H. Fox at the Tivoli; Alice Raymond and John Kurkamp and The Musical Johnsons at the Lyceum; Frobel and Benge at the Metropolitan; Kelly and Gillette at the Paragon; Swan and Bamard, Johnson and Dean, Casino Comedy Four and Ollie Young and Brother at the Coliseum; Carl Hermann at Shepherds Bush Empire. In the Provinces: Howard and Harris at the Ipswich Hippodrome; Happy Fanny at the Liverpool Empire; and DeBlere at the Hippodrome in that city; The Relft Brothers and Conway and Leland at the Hull Palace; Houdini, with his own company, including Altus, at the Grand Opera, Leicester; Hale and Francis at the Palace that city; Margaret Ashton and The Gothams at the Swansea Empire; Chas. Leonard Fletcher at the Empire, Wolverhampton; The Cole de Loose Duo at Newport; Chung Ling Soo at Swansea; The Great Welland at Birmingham, Barton and Ashley and May Moore Dupres at Cardiff; W. E. Bates at Bradford; Rosalre and Doreto in Glasgow; Collino and Hart at the Hippodrome, Manchester; Marba and Verity and "Billy" Manning's Entertainers at the Ardwick Empire in the same village, not forgetting Whallen's boy, Mike, at the Empire, South Shields. There must be scores of others but this list, which contains almost every style of act imaginable, is sufficient to prove that any good American act can do well in England. But the managers of the present, in all countries, seem to all hail from Missouri—you must show them before they will give an order for your goods. And they are far better judges here than some people give them credit for, as some who have come from across the water from all sides, to sell gold bricks, have learned to their sorrow.

Mr. Geo. Gray, who has been prominent in the "aketch" controversy here, is having law suits on all sides. Today a lithographer secured judgment against him for not using up a quantity of lithos ordered. At the same time establishing a precedent as to the length of time in which such lithos should be taken, which the learned gentleman in the white wig says is two years. Tomorrow Mr. Gray will test the question whether or not a manager must pay an act engaged, which the authorities have restrained from playing. And on Thursday next as one of the committee of the Music Hall Artists' Railway Association, he will be defended in an action which I have previously mentioned.

The manager of a theatre in South Wales has had his day bills printed in English, Welsh, French, Spanish, German and Yiddish. But this is due to his enterprise in catering to the seaman who will visit the town, as it is a seaport.

The Wakefield Hippodrome closed for the season on Saturday, and will re-open on August 7.

In theatrical cases it is accepted as a custom in English law that the agent's commission is due at the time the contract is signed and delivered. The commission, however, is usually paid when the engagement is fulfilled. However, in a case which was recently instituted by Messrs. Galenzi & Sherek against the Sisters Maccarte, now at the Hippodrome, for the recovery of the commission due on a Continental engagement, which the latter had not fulfilled by arrangement with the management, the judge decided against the custom. The defense urged was that, although the contract had been secured by Messrs. Galenzi & Sherek, this firm had not been specifically employed by the Sisters Maccarte to act as their agents, and therefore, no commission was due, which the judge held to be vital and dismissed the case with costs.

In a business hinging altogether upon contracts, it is naturally of the greatest importance to know just what the law is. And here we have again a decision, exactly opposite that of numerous former cases, involving the same point. Whether the agent acts for the manager or the artist is a question all artists would

like to see decided in some high court, where decisions alone have real weight.

Another point advisable for those to know who may have occasion to sign contracts for England, is that the law holds all partners in acts individually and collectively responsible for all contracts entered into by that act. Therefore, should a team make a contract for any given engagement, then dissolve partnership, not only the agent who arranged the contract, but also the manager can collect full damages for the non-fulfillment of the contract from either of the partners. The fact that they have dissolved partnership does not liberate either of them from the responsibility incurred in signing the contract.

Following the success of selections from grand opera it is proposed to include in the Lyceum program, selections from English operas and a selection from *The Bohemian Girl*—the opening work of the series—will be given next Monday.

Thursday night Messrs. Livermore and Volpi celebrated the anniversary of their Royal Italian Circus, after having performed twice daily for twelve months in succession. Their performers, nearly all four-footed, were honored by the royal command last year to perform before their Majesties the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace, and all the visitors yesterday evening were presented with a beautiful souvenir, containing the royal portraits on the outside, and lifelike presentment of those who were at Buckingham Palace last year on other pages. Mr. Livermore's speech, in which he announced that his idea was to treat his animals kindly and to give London an amusement on plain, straightforward lines of the first-class, was well received, and there seems no reason why an entertainment, which contains so many brilliant numbers, should not celebrate just as good an anniversary in 1908 as it has done this year. C. C. BARTRAM.

THE STROLLER

The Stroller ran down into the country last week to visit a boat-show. These attractions, by the way, are indigenous to the waterways of the west and middle west, having never been popular with the inhabitants of the eastern river valleys. The one the Stroller visited was making a stand at a small town on the Ohio river, in the state to which the beautiful stream gives its name. The show is very popular in this territory, having made an annual descent of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers for many years, being controlled during that time by two generations of showmen.

The town was very small and very dark, the all-enveloping blackness of a starless night, being enhanced by an occasional stream of light from the shop windows. People en route to the show, passing through these splashes of brightness, resembled bugs about a candle, seen for a brief moment and then lost in the impenetrable gloom all about.

The calliope on the show-boat was playing merrily. The whole world seemed a vacuum of stillness with the voice from the hoarse throat of the steam organ expanding, spreading out and re-echoing to fill up the void.

The short stretch of shrub-grown beach was brilliantly illuminated by flaring torches. Beyond was the boat, the destination of a mirthful crowd, happy in anticipation of an evening's novel entertainment. How different was it all from Broadway, or the ritalto of any other of our large cities! It seemed of a different world or at least of another age.

The performance was well suited to the tastes and understanding of the audience. But many of the acts were good. Indeed, he of peregrinative propensities, wondered if some of the performers were not putting in a season in this way as a sort of vacation, the pure air of the river and life on the boat being conducive to health and enjoyment in a degree approaching a holiday for recreation alone. He had heard that this is often done. The truth of this surmise was obvious when, under cover of an assumed title, the Stroller recognized a performer who, only last winter played all the exclusive eastern circuits.

It was all right but the concealing of his identity, which was, no doubt, done for business reasons. Why should

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Is it necessary? An act is an act, and it's worth the money or it is not, irrespective of other considerations. If a performer finds it to his liking to put in a summer on a small boat, playing "Rube" towns at a small salary, that's his own business. The nomadic life is exhilarating and refreshing. A summer season spent in this way is not as devoid of interest as it might seem. The experiences are new and the performer with a sense of humor can find enough that is amusing to furnish him with anecdotes that will delight his friends for a long time.

Joseph Jefferson, in the days of his budding genius, spent at least one season with a boat show on the Ohio, and Dan Rice first discovered his ability as a comedian while amusing the rough denizens of the towns along the same stream.

CONRIED GETS CARUSO

Heinrich Conried, of the Metropolitan Opera House, New York City, has arranged with Caruso, the well-known French singer, to sing Faust in French next year at the Metropolitan. Mr. Conried left London May 27 for Paris accompanied by Mrs. Conried and his daughters. The well-known impresario will see a number of operas while in the French capital, and will make it a point to witness the presentation of Adrien Lecouvreur, the old play which an Italian composer has set to music.

Mr. Conried will return to London in time to witness the first production of *The Butterfly*, the exact date of which has not yet been decided upon.

FROHMAN GETS TWO NEW PLAYS

Daniel Frohman has arranged with Arthur W. Pinero for two new plays, one serious and the other a comedy. The first will be a modern society drama and will be produced in London in January. The other will be a comedy along the line of *Trelawny of The Wells*, which was so popular in America.

WILL FORM CIRCUIT

A. R. Pelton, manager of the Curtis Theatre, Denver, Col., has leased the Grand, Colorado Springs for the Denver Theatre Co., of which he is a prominent member. The lease is for nine years, the consideration being \$51,500. The house will be remodeled during the summer and will be added to a circuit of five theatres in Utah, Colorado and Wyoming, which the Denver Theatre Co. is organizing.

PERFORMER INJURED

Mr. Al. G. Belford, of the Two Belfords, had the misfortune to receive a broken leg at Central Station, W. Va., while playing there with the Allen Comedy Co., May 22. After the evening performance the large center pole fell upon the performer's right limb, breaking it in two places. Mr. Belford is laid up with his injuries at Central station, Doddridge County, and would like to hear from his friends.

PAYS HONOR TO LASHELLE

The Press Club of Chicago and a number of professional people belonging to the different companies controlled by the late Kirke LaShelle, met at the club rooms May 18 to do honor to the memory of the playwright and manager. Nearly every member of The Virginian Co. were present. Resolutions of respect, framed by members who had been intimate with Mr. LaShelle, were adopted as follows:

Whereas, Kirke LaShelle has passed from earth, and

Whereas, In his death the Chicago Press Club has lost an honored member and the world a good and worthy citizen, therefore; be it

Resolved, That we express our deepest sorrow over his untimely demise. And be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be recorded in the Press Club and that a copy of them be sent to Mrs. LaShelle.

VAUDEVILLE EMPIRE CIRCUIT

Edward Ackerman, manager of the California Theatre, has embarked in vaudeville, and becomes interested in the Empire Theatre and Circuit business. The new combine is incorporated as The Empire Theatrical Corporation. Directors: Edward Ackerman, William A. Weston, I. H. Wise, Hal A. Curtis and William Z. Tiffany. Edward Ackerman, president; I. H. Wise, vice-president; William A. Weston, secretary. The objects of the corporation are to build or acquire vaudeville theatres in San Francisco or elsewhere, and to enlarge the Empire Circuit's business, which is already booking for seventeen theatres, all in California.

PANIC IN THEATRE

During the evening performance at the Grand Opera House, Pittsburg, Pa., May 20, an audience of about 2,500 people was thrown into a panic by the sight of smoke issuing from under the stage. The orchestra stopped playing and someone shouted "Fire." Turmoil raged for a few minutes in spite of the efforts of the attaches. The rush of fire engines to the scene added excitement. At last quiet was restored, and when the crowd was informed that a large store box underneath the stage containing old programs had been ablaze, but soon extinguished, many of them returned and witnessed the remainder of the performance. A number of persons were bruised, though none were seriously injured. The only damage resulted from the smoke.

GERMAN ACTRESS DEAD

Amalie Schoenchen, known upon the German stage for fifty years and has appeared in this country, died in Munich, Bavaria, May 23, at the age of seventy-one. While rehearsing her role in the Deutsch Theatre several weeks ago, the actress suddenly forgot her lines and fell to the stage from weakness. She was taken to Munich where she gradually passed away.

DRAMATIC.

Minnie Sellman will appear in a new play next season.

Nell Burgess will probably be seen upon the stage again next fall.

Jane Kennard will head a stock company this summer at Peaks Island, Mo.

Barney Bernard will produce The Financier at the Grand Opera House, San Francisco, Cal.

Will A. Peters' Stock Co. opened at Latta Park Auditorium, Charlotte, N. C., June 5, in The Devil's Lane.

Mr. Hugh Adams, of the Verna May Stock Co., has gone to his home in Ludington, Mich., for the summer.

William Faversham will spend his vacation in Europe, after which he will open in New York in The Squaw-Man.

Chas. Hawtrey begins his London engagement June 19, at the Avenue Theatre. His American season was very profitable.

Veronique, one of the recent London successes and still doing business there, is to be among the importations the coming season.

Charles Kent will spend the summer at his home on Prince Edwards Island, where he will finish his play, entitled The Punctured Anra.

Mrs. Leslie Carter is slowly recovering from the injuries to her ankle, though she is not yet permitted to leave her apartments.

Mrs. Fiske is underlined for the Majestic Theatre in San Francisco. The stock company will be laid off during her engagement.

Frank Curtis, manager of Florence Roberts, was presented with a beautiful testimonial by the members of his company before his departure for home.

The Frank E. Long Stock Co. will stay out all summer playing the copper counties of Michigan. The entire company has been re-engaged for next season.

Kathryn Kidder will appear in New York next season, provided she can find a suitable play. Frederick Warde will devote his time to the lecture platform.

Chas. Sellon, stage director for Lincoln J. Carter's attractions, is in San Francisco, directing the eight Carter plays to be produced consecutively at the Central.

Gertrude Dion Magill is winning much favor as leading lady of the Buffington Stock Co., playing a summer engagement at the Bijou Theatre, Fall River, Mass.

Dore Davidson sailed May 30 for London, via Liverpool. He will visit Paris and Berlin, returning to New York about Aug. 1. He takes the trip entirely for pleasure.

Grace Hopkins, late of William A. Brady's Way Down East Co., is the new leading woman at the Central Theatre, San Francisco. Theo. Gamble is the new leading man.

Mr. P. P. Craft is booking and arranging for the tour of Conroy and Mack, the versatile comedians who will have one of the largest repertoire companies on the road next season.

The Kolb & Dill Co. sail from San Francisco June 14 for Seattle, Wash., where they open June 18 with a company of fifty people. Millard H. Krenfer is manager and Lee F. Stone is advance agent.

Thomas Meighan, of the Amelia Bingham Co., was entertained by the Knights of Columbus during the engagement of his company in Youngstown, Ohio, recently. Mr. Meighan is a prominent member of the local lodge.

Harry Blaney is to be starred next season in a sequel by Charles E. Blaney to Across the Pacific, entitled The Boy Behind The Gun. The cast will include a number of Japanese performers, the scenes being laid in Port Arthur.

William Stuart and Anna Hollinger will continue under the management of the Charles E. Blaney Amusement Co., and will be prominently associated next season with Mr. Howard Hall in his new play, The Millionaire Detective.

Mary Hall, formerly of the Pike Stock Co., Cincinnati, who it is understood will play leads with Otis Skinner next season, will play a summer engagement in stock at Boston with the Boston Stock Co. She left for that city June 3.

Miss Mabel Bullon, of Chicago, made her debut at Miss Middleberger's School of Expression, Cleveland, Ohio, recently in a sketch entitled The Man in The Case. Miss Bullon exhibited considerable histrionic talent, and received an ovation.

Kirke LaShelle's attractions, which will be continued by his estate, include a new play by Augustus Thomas for Lawrence O'Grady, The Helix to The Hoorah, The Virginian, The Education of Mr. Pipp and Checkers. The Bonnie Belar Bush is to be retired.

The Gertrude Ewing Co. will open its season Aug. 14, and will tour the middle west and South. Miss Ewing will carry eighteen people, and a car load of scenery. O. A. Clarke has signed as representative, making his third season with the company.

The following is the roster of the Lyceum Comedy Co.: Al. S. Evans, G. Ed. Nattger, Arthur Savidge, Ed. H. Branch, Baxter Newton, Will W. Sterling, Geo. Lanahaw, Marion March, Edie Hooters, Myrtle Branch, Vivian Nattger and Lucile Branch.

The Princess Comedy Co., recently organized at Hastings, Neb., will open its season Aug. 31. Mr. Geo. Stevenson, formerly manager of the Kerr Opera House, will be business manager for the new company. Harvey Choate and Bee Raymond will play leads.

Harry J. Jackson, a member of the Beasey Stock Co., was suddenly taken ill during the engagement at Lincoln, Ill., May 16, his ailment being typhoid pneumonia. Mr. Jackson was at once removed to the Catholic hospital of that city, where he is rapidly convalescing.

Mrs. James Brown-Potter is said to be seriously ill at her home in London, caused by her failure at the Savoy Theatre and the reported refusal of her friends to come to her support. Mrs. Potter's losses on DuBarry are said to be considerable. It is reported that the actress has given up all idea of appearing in London again this season.

Mme. Ika von Palmay, the famous Hungarian actress, has obtained a divorce from Count Kinsky, a prominent Hungarian nobleman, declaring that she can not endure the tedious, unemotional life of an aristocrat. The stage has proved eminently more attractive for the actress, and she has decided upon a foreign tour which will embrace England.

The old Argentine Opera House at Rome, Italy, is to be transferred into a theatre for the production of Italian plays. Conte di San Martini is president of the organizing committee, and Prof. Edvardo Boutet is manager. Up to the present time the Italian capital has had only touring companies, but the present plan provides for a stock company. Signor Gabriele d'Annunzio, and other dramatists have promised plays.

Notes from the Sites Stock Co. (northern): We open our tour of forty weeks at Centre Square, Pa., with a company of fourteen people, special scenery, plays and paper. Our route embraces the larger cities in New York, Canada, North and South Dakota, and the west. Mr. H. S. Gilbert is manager of the northern company, and Will O. Sites is managing the southern company, which opens for a southern tour in September.

Mr. Ted E. Sparks, theatrical representative, now located at Kansas City, Mo., writes that he has completed arrangements to establish an office in Chicago, Aug. 1. Mr. Sparks will continue his Kansas City office, which will be managed by his present assistant. Among the interests that will be represented will be a new ten cent vaudeville circuit, which is now forming. Mr. Sparks will continue to promote summer celebrations and a general theatrical agency.

Notes from the Steelsmiths: We will have three attractions on the road the coming season, having leased for one-night stands the western rights to Earl Burgess' comedy drama, entitled To Be Buried Alive. We will have two repertoire companies, a northern and a southern. The northern will play three-night stands only. The following people will be seen in the different attractions: Ray Steffan; Ben. F. Simpson, Eleanor Franklin, C. T. Jackson, Raymond Ketchum, Frank Varo, Jack Parsons, Lillian Douglas, W. A. Hurdley, Elmer and Mrs. Hamlyn. The northern show will open in Bethany, Mo., Aug. 3; the southern at Bethany, Mo., Aug. 21, and To Be Buried Alive at Moberly, Mo., Oct. 2.

The Baker Theatre Summer Stock Co. at Rochester, N. Y., opened its summer season Saturday, May 27. The production will be strictly melodrama throughout the season, and three weekly matinees will be given. Popular prices will prevail. The company engaged includes Lee Willard, leading man; Miss Louise Vale, leading woman, from the Walter Clarke Stock Co.; Maurice Wilkinson, from the Margaret Anglin Co., for heave; George C. Robinson, character comedian; Miss Virginia Zollman, second woman, from the Pittsburg Stock; J. Hecker Wright, from the American Stock, Chicago; J. W. Hartman, of the Harry Beresford Co.; George J. Morgan, juvenile; Louis Ancker, light comedian and stage manager; Jack Sharkey, from the Murray Hill Stock Co., and Pearl Ford as ingenue. The productions will all be under the personal direction of Travers Vale. The opening play was the stirring southern romance, Old Plantation.

SYRACUSE ALLIANCE ELECTIONS

At the annual meeting of the Syracuse, N. Y., Actors' Church Alliance, held at the home of Dr. Helen Cullings, the following officers were elected: Rev. R. W. Betts, president; Miss Estelle Bogardus, first vice-president; Mrs. G. Atwood Langford, second vice-president; Miss Ada F. Thayer, secretary; Frank Stewart, treasurer.

PLAYHOUSES.

Alfred Urry is now in charge of the ushers of the Alcazar Theatre, San Francisco, Cal.

L. D. Stockton, of Carrollton, Ohio, is planning to erect a vaudeville theatre in Kansas City, Kan.

Manager Daum, of the Grand Opera House, Huron, S. D., has secured a new fire curtain for his house.

The Eagles of Wabash, Ind., began work upon their new theatre May 29. Toledo parties will lease the house when completed.

E. S. Brigham has purchased the Blake Theatre, Webb City, Mo., from Frank P. McClure, the consideration being \$27,000.

Manager Chas. B. Scott, of the Lexington (Ky) Opera House, has been in New York City looking after bookings for next season.

Fred. Felton, manager of the Bell Opera House, Benton Harbor, Mich., has taken the management of the public park in Michigan City.

Mrs. Fred. Belasco, known professionally as Juliet Crosby, attended the opening of the new Belasco Theatre in Portland, Ore., May 27.

Weber's Music Hall at San Francisco, Cal., opened May 25 instead of 20, on account of alterations not being made by the former date.

S. W. Berry has leased Hinton's Opera House at Finch Creek, Alberta, Can., and opened the same June 6 with Hillis' Hottest Coon in Dixie.

The opera house at Taylorville, Ill., is assured, provided \$1,500 worth of stock, remaining unsold, is taken up by the business men of that city.

Messrs. Singler & Smith have leased the Nelson Opera House at Sandosky, Ohio, again for next season. Many high-class productions have been booked.

The builders of the new Burwood Theatre, Omaha, Neb., claim it the most complete fireproof structure in the state. The house is being erected for Woodward & Burgess.

San Francisco will have two new theatres within a year, according to reports. One in the Palace Hotel and the other adjoining the St. Francis, San Francisco's highest classed hotel.

The Jonesville (Mich.) Opera House Co. will open its new theatre early next fall. The building is 63x100 feet, and has a seating capacity of 500 to 700. It will be up-to-date in all its appointments.

A new popular priced house for Macon, Ga., is promised by a person who does not desire the publication of his name until the project has further developed. Melodramas will alternate with vaudeville.

Mr. F. J. O'Brien, of the new Bijou Circuit which includes Kenosha, Racine, Sheboygan and Manitowac, is a very busy man these days looking after the opening of new house and otherwise furthering the interests of the circuit.

The explosion of a gasoline tank, May, 22, in the Jasper (Mich.) Opera House,

did considerable damage to the house and about \$300 worth of costumes belonging to the Imperial Theatre Co. playing an engagement at that time.

Work was begun upon the foundation of a new \$14,000 opera house on South Cleveland avenue, Focastello, Idaho. Mr. J. H. Young, who now controls the Bon Ton at Salt Lake City and the Lyceum at Ogden, Utah, will be proprietor of the new house.

Plans have been consummated whereby a theatre will soon be erected by a stock company at Gallinas Park, Las Vegas, N. M. The city has secured the Fraternal Sanitarium, which will increase the population some 8,000, and a theatre well conducted should be a success.

The New Plainfield Theatre at Plainfield, N. J., now in course of construction, will open its season Aug. 24. The stage of the new theatre will be sufficiently large to accommodate any traveling company, and the seating capacity will be 1,500. Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger will book for the house. Plainfield possesses a population of 30,000 with 15,000 more to draw from.

Several thousand dollars worth of scenery and a portion of the stage of the Mattson (Ill) Theatre, were destroyed by fire which broke out about 2:15 a. m., May 20. The asbestos curtain was down and no damage was done to the main auditorium. The origin of the fire is unknown as fire in the furnace beneath the stage was out and the electric lights were all turned off.

The Kerr Opera House at Hastings, Neb., which closed its season May 26, will be thoroughly renovated before next season, and a thirty-foot extension will be added to the rigging loft. Also a new dock and an outside elevator will be added. Manager Geo. Stevenson, who has had charge of the house for the past three years, will be succeeded next season by Mr. Thomas Kerr.

Mr. I. Wise, of the Central Theatre, opened the Dewey Theatre, Oakland, Cal., as a continuous vaudeville house, June 2. The corporation of which he is vice-president is headed by Edward Ackerman, manager of the California Theatre, San Francisco. They expect to have a chain of vaudeville houses on the coast. Mr. Wealon, of the Empire Theatre, San Francisco, is also interested.

Representative citizens of Centerville, Md., met May 27, and discussed ways and means for raising funds for the erection of a new opera house. The theatre in that city at present is located upon county ground, and it is understood that the county desires to erect a jail upon the site. The citizens are very much interested in building a new house and the Odd Fellows and K. of P's have signified their approval by subscribing \$2,500 toward such an enterprise.

The proposed model theatre which Coquelin is going to erect in Paris is now fully planned and its construction will begin shortly. Neither smoke nor fire can enter the house, and 3,000 people can be gotten out of the building in less than two minutes. A site has already been selected upon which the model will be built, and the projectors, when the house is completed, will shut themselves in the building while attempts are made to burn it. The experiment will be watched with the greatest interest by the theatrical world.

Mr. Chas. Trimble, formerly manager of the Armory Theatre, Corry, Pa., for the Verbeck Amusement Co., has leased the house for next season and will be sole manager. Mr. Thornton states that several new dressing rooms will be added and the seating capacity increased; also that many other improvements will be made. Some very good attractions have already been booked. The house will open about Aug. 15. During the past season Manager Trimble has made many professional friends, all of whom will be glad to hear of his enterprise.

Mr. Geo. N. Shepherd writes as follows concerning the proposed opera house at Harriman, Tenn.: At last, after patient and persistent effort on the part of those interested, Harriman is to have a theatre. Having well in mind the distinct advantages as to geographical location, the promoters have considered nothing but the best in the way of equipment. The new house will have a seating capacity of 900 to 1,000 people. It will be on the ground floor. The depth of the stage will be thirty-five feet and the curtain opening thirty-two feet. The house will cost in the neighborhood of \$17,000. This is a splendid show town and is fast filling up with show-going people. The new house is a much needed institution. It will open up not later than Nov. 1.

COMPANIES CLOSING.

The Little Outcast Co. closed its season at Kenosha, Wis., May 30.

The Sanford Dodge Co. closed its season at West Point, Neb., May 31.

Al. W. Martin's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. closes its season June 3 in Chicago.

Rowland & Clifford's Dora Thorne Company closed a very successful season of forty weeks June 10 at Minneapolis. Next season they will have out four companies playing Dora Thorne. Miss Cuba Niblo has been re-engaged for the leading part in No. 1 company.

The Castleton Opera Co., which had been rehearsing in New York City for a summer engagement at the Olympic Theatre, Milwaukee, Wis., disbanded. Disagreement, it is said between Manager Castleton and Angel Chappell of Lima, Ohio, is given as the cause of the disbandment.

The Goodhue Stock Co. at McCauley's Theatre, Louisville, Ky., disbanded May 27. Emmett O. King was leading man, and Miss Carolyn McLean leading woman. The company was to have played an engagement of sixteen weeks in the Louisville theatre, but adverse business necessitated the closing.

SAILED FOR ENGLAND

Mr. E. S. Willard sailed last week for England with his company for a three months' stay. Mr. Willard's next season begins at Montreal, Can., Oct. 2, when he will produce *The Fool's Revenge*, which play will be the feature of his next year's work.

MUSICAL.

Prof. A. H. Knoll will be at the Majestic Hotel, Hot Springs, Ark., the entire summer.

John A. Himmlein, the well-known manager, is spending the summer on the shores of Lake Erie.

J. B. Carlisle's Orchestra has been engaged for the season at Miller's Pavilion, Eleventh Minn.

Chas. Ackley, musical director of the St. Plunkard Co., is spending a few weeks visiting his brother in London, Wis.

It is reported that Florenz Ziegfeld has contracted with Alice Neilson for a concert tour of the principal American cities for next season.

Fay Templeton has now the transcript for the new play, entitled *The Maid and The Millionaire*, which Geo. M. Coban has just written for her.

Jerome and Schwartz have signed contracts with Klaw & Erlanger to furnish all the music for *Lifting The Lid*, in Tammany Hall and *The Ham Tree*. The contract is also said to be for several years.

Chicago theatregoers will be blessed with musical shows this summer, not less than a dozen being scheduled for the Windy City. This is the largest number of such attractions to be in Chicago in any single summer, except during the World's Fair.

The Banda Rossa has been engaged to play at the Mitchell (S. D.) Corn Palace this year. A feature of the band this season will be a big scenic production of the Resurrection of Christ, for which the band's management will carry a carload of scenery and a company of selected singers.

Hammond and Forrester, the clever vaudeville team, are featuring *Big Indian Chief* and *The Countess of Alagaram*, two songs hit published by Jos. W. Stern & Co. They are playing the western vaudeville circuits at present and report that both songs are received with unusual and great applause.

Notes from A High Old Time Co.: We take the road next fall and prospects are bright for a successful season. Time is being filled rapidly and only the best of territory in Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois will be played. Jesse L. Fumer is proprietor and Wm. Stanford business manager.

Adele Ritchie opened her vaudeville career at Hammerstein's, New York, May 21. The success which attended her first performance was emphasized by her good fortune in securing in Central Park, a new and clever song by Frederick Logan, one of Chas. Frohman's musical directors. In Central Park has one of the most fetching acts ever given to any summer song.

Notes from Ward's popular orchestra: We opened our season of twenty weeks May 15 at the Park Hotel, Sulphur, L. T., one of the most popular summer resorts in the southwest, and are assured of a very pleasant season. The roster is Fred. E. Ward, director; Jode P. Parker, Eugene White, Mrs. Chas. Ward, Will D. Roland, Doris B. Ward, Thos. Giacomin, Jack D. Palmer and Mrs. Fred. E. Ward.

Many prominent singers are now using the two great ballads, *When You're Away* and *I Never Know*. These two songs are the recipient of many encores wherever sung. Decoration Day will find all the prominent bands playing the grand instrumental number, *Slippery Day*, a two-step. Orchestra leaders as well as handmasters are very enthusiastic over this new hit, published by the Golding Music Co.

The opening of Allan Lowe & George Rosey's musical extravaganza, *Kafoselum*, in Chicago, on May 21, was one of the successes of the season. A number of the songs, including *Molly Malone*, Mr. Fox, *I'm Sorry For You*, *The Coming U. S. A.*, *Lulu Come Into The Zoo*, *Tubal Cain*, *Love, Love, What is Life Without You*, were splendidly received and earned several times. *Kafoselum* is Mr. Rosey's initial effort in the operatic field. The musical numbers are published by Jos. W. Stern & Co.

The music and lyrics of *Simple Simon* Simple, which opened May 15 at the Park Theatre under the management of Nixon & Zimmerman to an audience that crowded the house from pit to dome, is pronounced by musicians to be one of the biggest successes ever produced in Philadelphia. The big songs hits are *Picanniny Mose*, *The Cow and The Bee*, *When You Are Really It*, *My Oskaloosa*, *Lon, Mamma's Lover Dear*, *Simple Simon* Simple, *Tulips*, *Ma Southern Oriole*, *Froggie Frog* and *Dear Old College Days*.

Mrs. Cornelia Osgood Tyler, who wrote the book and the lyrics of *The Girl and The Bandit*, and the Venetian Romance, sails for Europe July 1, where she will complete the book for a new opera not yet named. The music for her new opera will be written by Mr. Frederick Colt Wight, who has made a great hit this season with the music which he wrote for *The Girl and The Bandit*. All the prominent New York bands are featuring Mr. Wight's *Patrol from The Girl and The Bandit*, which was first played at the inauguration of President Roosevelt. In the new opera we have every reason to expect a high-class production and one that will be successful.

The Government Indian Band which starts upon a short tour of eight weeks in July, under the management of Lem H. Wiley, is

composed of representative young men from seventeen different Indian tribes, fourteen of them being full blooded Indians. There is a full and standard instrumentation in this band for special attractions. Mr. Jacob Morgan, a full blooded Navajo, is a cornet soloist of very considerable ability. Mr. Alberta Desais is a full blooded Pueblo Indian, and his wonderful work on the clarinet is the talk of all who have heard him. Mr. Wallace Springer, an euphonium soloist who plays this difficult instrument with a touch and feeling seldom shown, is a full blood Omaha. A saxophone quartet is composed of four full blood Pueblos. They are all well educated and well behaved young men, quite handsomely uniformed in two suits, one gray, the other a concert uniform of dark green. The repertoire of music is composed of the very best standard overtures, popular selections, waltzes and medleys. Wherever these boys have appeared they have made an undeniable hit. An overwhelming ovation was tendered them whenever they played at the St. Louis Fair, where they furnished music for the Government Indian Exhibit. They played fifty-seven different engagements of more or less importance, dedicating many of the state buildings, giving concerts in many of the buildings and plazas, heading all of the principal parades, and, in short, doing all the difficult work that any musical organization could be called on for.

SHUBERT BROTHERS, PERHAPS

The Lyric Theatre, Philadelphia, is fast approaching completion, and rumor has it that the playhouse will next season open under the management of the Shubert Brothers. Nothing definite has been made public in regard to the management.

MINSTREL.

Vic Faust joined Cildard's Inter-Ocean Circus for a little vacation.

Tommy Donnelly will complete the tour of his summer company July 6, and rehearsals for the Donnelly & Hatfield Minstrels will begin about July 12.

Ted E. Galbraith writes that he has been engaged as general agent for the Ted E. Faust Minstrels for next season.

The McGregor & Townsend Union Minstrels are being organized for the summer season at New Philadelphia, Ohio. They are booked for the smaller towns in Ohio.

The Hi Henry Minstrels closed their season May 31 at Hoopstown, Ill., after a very successful season. The members of the company left for their respective homes.

Paul LaLonde, musical director for Al. G. Field's Minstrels, is spending the summer at his home in Belleville, Ont., Can. He has lost none of his old time popularity and is receiving the glad hand from all sides.

Notes from the Al. G. Field Minstrels: Al. G. Field has left New York for the west. After a week in Buffalo, and a short time in Columbus, Mr. Field will take a trip along the Great Lakes and through the woods of the northwest hunting and fishing. Walt M. Leslie has been installed as New York representative of Mr. Field, with offices in the New Amsterdam building. Mr. Leslie will also take charge of the bookings and business pertaining to the Donnelly & Hatfield Minstrels. Joe Hatfield is in New York for a few days on matters pertaining to the Donnelly & Hatfield Minstrels. Edward Conard has charge of the home offices in Columbus, Ohio, during Mr. Field's absence, and Doc Quigley will have charge of all business pertaining to the formation of the company.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Chas. A. Garlock and Will Kelgley have joined the Stevens & Mossman Comedy Co., the latter to do his barrel jumping act.

Miss Beatrice Thorn has been engaged by Gordon & Bennett to play the part of the countess in *A Royal Slave* for the coming season.

M. C. Berg, trick cyclist, has closed with a Country Kid Co., and joined the Irving French Co., playing a summer engagement at Joliet, Ill.

Miss Virginia Richmond, recently of the Fitz, Post, Pont Co., has been engaged for the east of the Empire Stock Co. at Providence, R. I.

Dorothy Hunting, of Hamilton, Can., has joined the Jack and The Beanstalk Co. in Boston. Miss Stella Carey, a young singer of promise, went with her for a three weeks' engagement.

Harry L. Webb, who has been with the Hi Henry Minstrels the past season, has accepted a position with the International Stock Co. at Niagara Falls, and will direct the staging there for the summer season.

Recent engagements through Bennett's Dramatic Exchange, Chicago, include the following: Emmett King, Geo. A. Beane and Alexander Kearney for stock at Louisville, Ky.; Miss Mina Phillips, Lauretta Allen Montague, Lonette Babcock, Jack Ferguson, Beresford Webb and Joseph Sullivan for the National Theatre Stock Co., Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. Margaret Hatch, S. D. Merrill and William Fitzsimmons for the Krug Theatre Stock Co., Omaha, Neb.; Jane Evans for leads with the Columbus Theatre Stock Co., Chicago; Frank Mitchell, May Niblo Drew and LeBrah for the People's Theatre Stock, Chicago; Paul Harris with the Bush Temple Stock Co.; Elsie Wenger with Escaped from Sing Sing Co.; Ella Yuffl with the Minister's Daughter Co.; Mignon Oxer and Walter McCullough for stock at Houston, Tex.; J. B. Murray and Dave Morris with the Davy Crockett Co.; Agnes Bruce and J. Martin McKee with the Bob Fitzsimmons Co.; Laura Sawyer and Wilbur Martin with the Avenue Theatre Stock Co.; John Gordon, Mark J. Ellison, Fletcher Harvey, Catherine Tabor, Robert Harland, Leon McReynolds and Miss Elysiann Holmes with the Empire Theatre Stock Co., St. Louis, Mo.

ACTRESS ILL FROM OVERSTUDY

Pauline Maulnacht, who took a prominent part in the recent production of *Ben Hur*, has been removed from her hotel in New York to Bellevue hospital because of the effects of overstudy. Miss Maulnacht took rooms in the Park View Hotel recently, and began studying for a more prominent role for the road tour next season. On May 25 the guests were disturbed when she suddenly became hysterical and violent. A number of officers were required to take her to the hospital, where she was put into the psychopathic ward. It is evident that her malady is only temporary, and with the proper treatment she will soon be able to resume her studies. Miss Maulnacht is a handsome brunette, and her father is a prominent real estate man.

RETURNED TO SAN FRANCISCO

Mr. E. D. Price, general manager of the Belasco and Mayer enterprises, returned to San Francisco, Cal., May 20, after a month's absence in New York and other eastern cities, engaging talent and securing plays. Mr. Price was very successful on his eastern mission.

VAUDEVILLE.

Arthur Byron is to appear in vaudeville in *The Mirage* by Paul Armstrong. Norman, the Frogman, will open his summer season at Chester Park, Cincinnati, June 11.

J. C. Jacobs, of Jacobs and Sardell, mourns the loss of his mother, who died recently.

Mr. F. Elliott Jenkins opened with the Torcedor Trio in Baltimore, Md., Monday, May 29.

Wilson and Moran, now in the west, write that they have some good time booked in the eastern resorts.

Major O'Laughlin played Oak Park, Sterling, Ill., week of May 29, with Dubnque, Ia., and Waterloo to follow.

It is rumored that a number of wealthy Frenchmen will erect a vaudeville theatre on Broadway, N. Y.

Summer vaudeville opened May 29 at Chatanqua Park, Owensboro, Ky., under the management of Robert Wayne.

Edwin Keough & Co. sailed June 12 on the Crown Prince William, for London, where they open at the Palace Theatre.

Nora Bayes has gone to Paris, where her voice will receive proper training. Miss Bayes has been appearing in vaudeville.

The Marten Family closed with the Hunter Yagol Wonder Co. They contemplate opening a summer theatre in Joplin, Mo.

The Twelve Navajo Girls and the Eight Vassar Girls in a consolidated act, open for the summer on the New York Roof Garden, June 12.

Miss Nettie M. Cayce, lessee of the Saroy Theatre, New Bedford, Mass., announces that she will present vaudeville at her house all summer.

LaAdella writes that she had a very pleasant week while playing Rock Island, Ill., being entertained by the members of the VanDyke-Eaton Co.

James Calvin, comedy juggling clown, opened at the Lyceum Theatre in Ogden, Utah, May 22, with the Edeson Theatre in Helena to follow.

Edward S. Marlow, of Santoro and Marlow, mourns the death of his mother. The remains were interred May 6 at Mount Olivet Cemetery, Chicago.

Fox and Ward, comedians, have joined the Cushman Minstrels for the summer. They are engaged for the Frank Dumont Minstrels for next season.

Will Bensley, novelty foot juggler, spent a few days with his mother in Belleville, Ont., last week. Billie is looking fine, and reports excellent business.

The attention of the performers is called to our editorial in the park department of this issue regarding the quality of vaudeville performances at big city resorts.

Flood Sisters received such an ovation at the Bijou Theatre, Kenosha, Wis., that they were held over for the week of May 21. They do a clever globe and ladder act.

Harry and Laura Gilliam will spend three weeks at their home in Wells, Minn. They have just completed a twelve weeks' engagement in the leading houses in the west.

Florilla Sanford and Bert White write that they have been very successful in the west, having played eight weeks on the Labeleski Circuit, and are now on the Considine Circuit.

William Pruette, of Lulu Glaser's A Madcap Princess Co., and Sophie Brandt, who has been playing in Princess Chic, are arranging to go into vaudeville with a burlesque on Carmen.

McGinnis and McGinnis and Al. Martella were in Park City, Utah, week of May 22, where both acts played at the Family Theatre. They were favored with a banquet by the Elks.

Music Hall at Brighton Beach, Coney Island, N. Y., opens June 10, when a strong and excellent vaudeville bill is promised. The

place has been renovated and greatly improved in appearance.

Frank Binney, of Binney and Chapman, was initiated into the T. M. A. No. 35 at Los Angeles, Cal., May 23, while playing a very successful two weeks' engagement at the new Angeles Theatre.

Montell's Electric Marionettes are in their sixth week on the Affiliated Western Circuit with the coast to follow. This act opens in Iowa on the Nash Circuit, November 6, with ten weeks to follow.

Al. and Pearl Zimmerman were guests of Frank and Emily Young at their home in Westwood, May 22, and opened at the Casino, Wallace Park, Paducah, Ky., May 29, with other good parks to follow.

Babb Bryl, the talented young vocalist, has accepted an engagement for the summer season with Mr. Stuart, manager of the New Crystal Theatre, Wausau, Wis. He will sing several selections at each performance.

The American Newsboys' Quartet write that they are being featured on every hill. Manager Geo. E. Henry, of Lincoln Park, Vincennes, Ind., was so well pleased with the act, that the boys were engaged for a second week.

Danny Mann and Lola Haines write that they are in their twenty-fifth week on the Sullivan & Considine Circuit, and that they are booked solid in California until September, when they play back over the northwest. Their acts are in demand.

DeVaro and Curtis closed with the Swallow & Markle Floating Palace, May 27, at Parkersburg, W. Va., and opened May 29 at Lindenwald Park, Hamilton, Ohio. They open upon the Shaysne Circuit of parks June 25, at Chester Park, Cincinnati.

Hubert Deveau, artist in chalk, writes that he will introduce a new picture into his act next season. It will be a travesty on Shakespeare's seven ages of man. Mr. Deveau will condense the act to four scenes instead of seven, better suiting it to the vaudeville stage.

The people appearing at Miller's Theatre, Lima, Ohio, week of May 20, were Wrockford and May, Robinson Sisters, Lillian Marr, Sisters Bayne, Rose Louella, Thomas West, Dora Wilford and Mand Hart. Agnes Atherton is stage directress and Prof. Greene, musical director.

Preston Lombard and Georgene Carter have joined and will produce a comedy sketch, entitled *My Funny Irish Uncle*. The team will be known as Carter and Lombard.

Sims, native son of the golden west, was a pleasant caller at the office of The Billboard last week.

Harry Devere, blackface comedian, and Frank Blonedell, tramp comedian, have joined and will hereafter be known as Blonedell and Devere. They will open June 12 with two new acts, entitled *The Great Train Robbery* and *Always in The Way*. They are booked solid until August.

Jacob Adler, the Yiddish tragedian, has been engaged by Mr. Percy G. Williams for a vaudeville season beginning June 5 at his Brooklyn home. Mr. Adler will present the trial scene from *The Merchant of Venice*, appearing as Shylock. He will be supported by an English speaking company.

The team formerly known as Hyland and Grant will hereafter be known as The Three Hylands, Baby Hyland having joined the team. Hyland and Grant have been touring the west for the past two years and report success. The Three Hylands are working their way east on the Crystal Circuit.

Addison and Livingston write: We are now in our ninth week with the Swallow & Markle Floating Palace, and it is just like a vacation. We close about the middle of December, when we open upon the Nash Circuit with the western circuits to follow. This will be our second trip to the coast.

Jean Melville, the dancer, reports success on the New York Circuit, she having begun her thirty-fourth week May 22. She opened at the Dewey Theatre, Utica, N. Y., May 29, for two weeks, and on June 12 opens in stock at the Genesee Theatre, Syracuse, N. Y. It will be her third time at that house this year.

Mr. Geo. E. Raymond, resident manager of the Orpheum Theatre at Minneapolis, Minn., left that city recently to accept a position with Pain's Spectacle of Port Arthur, which opened at Nashville, Tenn., May 18. During Mr. Raymond's absence Business Manager C. W. Henderson will have charge of the Orpheum.

While striking a match on the wall in the dressing room at the theatre in Richmond, Ind., Joseph Mazziottas, of The Mazziottas, refined musical artists, had the misfortune to break a needle off in his right forefinger. They managed to finish the week out and jumped to Columbus, Ohio, where the injured member is healing.

Will H. Reno, of Reno and Murray, writes: I noticed in The Billboard of May 6 that the Three Renos are not going to South America. I wish to state that there has not been a trio entitled the Three Renos since Jan. 1 of the present year. Will H. Reno, the founder of the original trio, is now working with May Murray.

Myles McCarthy and Aida Woolcott appear to have a very strong sketch in *The Under Dog*. The story surrounds Bill, Conrlet 04, a considerate free hearted fellow with thoughts always bent for the good of others. Mr. McCarthy described his sketch as not only a hit but a sensation. Miss Woolcott is exceptionally excellent in her role of Mamie.

The following vaudeville features were engaged to open the theatre at Dreamland Park, Decatur, Ill., week of May 30, but owing to the park not opening on that day they appeared at Power's Grand Opera House: Hatch Brothers, comedy musical act; The Pelots, comedy jugglers; Marvell and Gleason, comedy sketches; and Belle Belmont, con shouter.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Tivoli. This theatre was opened 22 to a large house with The Tenderfoot, which has the snap and go characteristic of the productions of this house. There is bright dialogue, pretty songs and plenty of comedy in this piece, and it should have a long run.

Alcazar. Presented A Fool and His Money, by Geo. H. Broadhurst and written for Collier; large and enthusiastic house. The play is full of bright comedy and the advance sale for the week is very large. John Craig, John B. Maher, Lillian Lawrence and the balance of the cast are very well received. Next week, Tennessee's Partner.

Columbia. Chauncey Olcott opened Monday night, 22, in A Romance of Athlone to a large house. Mr. Olcott is well liked on the coast and made a great hit here. Next Monday night, 29, John Drew comes in The Duke of Killcrankie.

California. Florence Roberts opened 22 in The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch, under the direction of Frederic Belasco. This is Miss Roberts' farewell appearance under the direction of Mr. Belasco. Next week she will present The Country Girl. Miss Roberts is a great favorite in this city and is attracting large audiences.

Grand Opera House. Florence Stone and Dick Ferris presented Way Out West to a large house last night, it being the Newsboys' night. Next week they will produce The Holy City, by Thos. Broadhurst.

Central Theatre. Gave a very fine performance of The Convict's Daughter 22 to a large audience. The advance sale for the balance of the week is very large and a great success is anticipated.

Majestic. Opened last night to a large audience in Old Jed Prouty, which delighted both young and old. They will again produce Misspah, which seems to delight San Franciscans.

Orpheum. Has a show this week that the people can not stay away from. It is one of the record breakers for merit. Della Fox reappeared in this city after an absence and was warmly received. Among the attractions for next week will be LaJolle Titcomb, John C. Rice and Sally Cohen, Empire City Quartet, Warren and Gardner and Sisters McConnell.

Weber's Music Hall. Will open on Thursday evening, May 23. A dress rehearsal will be given May 24, to which all press representatives and prominent citizens are invited. This hall is centrally located, and I think will do very fine business. A. W. THOMPSON.

COLORADO.

DENVER.—Business during the last week was very good considering that two of the theatres were closed, and two open only three days. E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe, in Shakespearean repertoire, vied with Mrs. Fiske in Leah Kleshus and from all appearances Mrs. Fiske came out ahead.

Nothing but praise can be given to the production of Leah Kleshus as portrayed by Mrs. Fiske and an excellent company at the Gardens 27-29. John Mason, George Arliss and Chas. Cartwright all did excellent work. People showed their appreciation of good acting by going two miles through the rain and cold to witness the performance.

E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe presented As You Like It, Romeo and Juliet and Hamlet at the Broadway 27. Mr. Sothern and Miss Marlowe had a good supporting company and gave very finished performances.

Broadway Theatre (E. F. McCourt, mgr.) T. Daniel Frawley & Co., are presenting Ransom's Folly, for a week, and pleasing their audiences very much. Henry B. Harris is managing the production. Coming: Margaret Anglin.

Tabor Grand Theatre (E. T. McCourt, mgr.) After a period of darkness the Tabor offers Polard's Lilliputian Opera Co. in The Belle of New York, Pinafore, A Runaway Girl, The Gusha and A Gaiety Girl. The little people are all good and give excellent performances.

Eltch's Gardens (Mary Eltch-Long, mgr.) The Gardens, more picturesque than ever, opened their regular season 28. Mrs. Eltch-Long has added many new features this year, such as a vaudeville theatre, Katzenjammer Castle, Temple of Mirth and a \$20,000 Merry-Go-Round. The theatre is to be run on the same high-class plan as last year, under the direction of Walter Clarke-Bellows. My Wife's Husbands was the opening bill. The stock company includes such well-known people as Miss May Buckley, Miss Edna Og, Bruce McEneaney, Theo. Roberts, Ed. Mackay and several others. A special free attraction this week is Dr. Carver's High Diving Horses.

Manhattan Beach (W. H. Lawrence, mgr.) The White City by the Lake opened 27. Many new features have been added and several more are in process of construction. The new roller skating rink vies with the dancing in point of popularity. The opening bill in the theatre includes The Marvelous Spandling, Tom Hopley, Edward LaVine and Lillian Walton, Minor and Galbreth, Don and Mse Gordon, and the moving pictures. Taken as a whole the Beach promises to prove very attractive.

New Curtis Theatre (A. R. Pelton, mgr.) The Young Scout, with four big vaudeville acts, is proving very popular at the Curtis' this week. A very good company is presenting the piece. Coming: Daughters of a Great City, and East Lynn.

New Crystal Theatre (Geo. I. Adams, mgr.) Business is very good. The bill includes The Sloan Family, Leona and Leota, Hillary C. Sloan, Sid Baxter, Louis Balukowski, Chas. Orin, Cowles and Dorothy Alden, and moving pictures.

Novelty Theatre (Henry Lubelski, mgr.) Business is excellent. Those appearing this week are The McCarvers, Jim Dalton, Howard and Campbell, Miss Blanchard, Neef and Miller, Miss Barton, Canton and Harvey, and moving pictures. J. D. McGINNIS.

CONNECTICUT.

HARTFORD.—Parsons' (H. O. Parson, mgr.) A Friend of the Family 27; fair house. This engagement concluded the regular season here. Next week the Hunter-Bradford Players will open a summer season of stock, presenting Christopher, Jr. The proceeds of the first performance will be given to the Hartford hospital.

Hartford Opera House (Jennings & Graves, mgrs.) A performance of Hazel Kirke, given

for the benefit of the employes of the house, closed the season 27.

Poll's Theatre (L. C. Kilby, mgr.) The Twelve Navajo Girls, with their musical act, and Coraas, the magician, with his mystifying illusions, were the favorites week 22. Good houses. Bill week 28, which will conclude the regular vaudeville season, includes Henry E. Dixey, Katie Rooney, Nat Clifford, Irving Jones and Tamur and Gilbert. A special feature will be the appearance of three local amateurs, Mrs. F. C. Looser, Mrs. Paul Schoenborn and Mrs. John Murphy in No Man Wanted. Poll's Stock Co., with Daniel F. Ryan and Alice Fleming, will open the season of summer stock June 5.

Waterbury. Poll's Theatre (Jean Jacques, mgr.) Waterbury Symphony Orchestra 25; pleased fair house. Viola Allen in The Winter's Tale June 2; vaudeville for benefit Jacques' and Poll's stage bands 7.

Jacques' Opera House (Jenn Jacques, mgr.) Poll's Own Co. week 22. In A Stranger in a Strange Land, pleased crowded houses. Prince Otto week May 29; Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hill June 5. Two changes occur in the Poll's Co., May 27, Mrs. Anna L. Bates leaving to join one of Proctor's companies in New York, and Cameron Clemmons, who also joins a New York production, and is succeeded by E. D. Burch.

Bridgeport. Poll's (Jos. Cridde, mgr.) Lawrence McGill and Miss Gertrude Shipman in the leading roles, in The Wife, to top-notch business. My Wife's Husband week 29; Under Two Flags week June 5.

PETERSBURG.—Teasdale Glass Blowers May 23-27; good business.

INDIANA.

MARION.—Grand Theatre (H. Sommers, mgr.) Gordon and Hafa, Frank Dunn, The Fowlers, Hazel Robinson, and Tatam, week 29. Crystal Theatre (J. H. Ammons, mgr.) Bill week 29: Demaria and Oriando, Fagan and Merriam, The Leslies, Irene White, and the Minodrome.

The Ferari Brothers opened 29, under the auspices of the Eagles, with prospects for a good week's business.

MUNCIE.—Star Theatre (R. H. Osgoodby, mgr.) Bill week 29: Holmes and Waldron, Gordon Eldrid, Marbelle Gage, Francis Lippincott, and the staroscope to good business.

West Side Casino (Matt Kusell, mgr.) A Gay Matinee Girl 29-31; Hooligan's Troubles June 1-3.

Riverside and Westside Parks opened 28.

FRANKFORT.—Bilham Theatre (Langebrake & Hufford, mgrs.) Railroad Jack June 2; Berry Stock Co., week 5.

IOWA.

CEDAR RAPIDS.—Greene's Opera House (J. B. Henderson, mgr.; W. S. Collier, bus. mgr.) Mrs. Fiske in Leah Kleschna 22; capacity house. Henderson Stock Co. week 23; well filled houses. Richard Mansfield in Beau Brummel 29; Howard Dorset Co. canceled. Henderson Stock Co. week 30-June 4; Vnudyke & Eaton June 5-11.

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Steeplechase Island Theatre. Arthur and Mildred, Boylan & Co., Capital City Four, Alice Alva, Barrington and Clarice, The Plotits and The Settles.

ILLINOIS.

DANVILLE.—Grand Opera House (W. L. Kelley, res. mgr.) H. Henry's Minstrels May 30; excellent satisfaction; company closed season here.

New Bijou Theatre (Walter Eudall, res. mgr.) The Calumet Amusement Co., which has had charge of this house for the past few weeks, closed the season 27. The Bijou will open Sept. 1, with E. T. Royle as proprietor and manager.

Wonderland Park (Geo. Breinig, res. mgr.) The Elbery Band 25-26; good business. Bill week 29: Mabel Cassidy, balladist; MacCane and Grant, comedy sketch; Hurley and Stevens, acrobats; Garrety Sisters and Three Jacksons, trick bicyclists. Item—The Eagles will have a jubilee week June 5, at Ellsworth Park. The principal attraction is Ferari Brothers' United Shows. WILL BECKWITH.

DECATUR.—Power's Grand Opera House (J. F. Given, mgr.) Lyceum Comedy Co. 24-27; only fair business. Items—Barnum & Bailey Circus June 15. * * * Rollan N. Mallory will have entire charge of the theatre at Dreamland Park.

DIXON.—Opera House (Charles Eastman, mgr.) Dark. Item—First-class tent show making Dixon, will have their lot rent, water and license paid by the business men of the town. Wm. Kennedy is secretary.

GALESBURG.—Forepaugh & Seils Brothers' Circus 18; good show, large crowd afternoon and night. Hagenbeck's Car No. 1, with nineteen men in charge of P. W. Harrell, billed one town 24, for June 7.

People's Theatre (Edward Curran, mgr.) Week 29: Sully and Phelps, Frank J. Williams, The Dayton Sisters, Ray W. Fay, and the polycope; good attendance. Circus—Gentry Brothers' Show No. 1, May 23, delighted splendid audience.

WATERLOO.—Brown's Opera House (O. F. Brown, mgr.) Dora Thorne 27; fine show, good house. Vandyeke & Eaton Co. week June 12.

Johnson's Electric Theatre (E. H. Johnson, mgr.) Week 22: Clem McGee, crayon artist; James Ruvane, The Dayton Sisters, and moving pictures to good business. Next: Mitchell and Browning, Feldman and Ball, James Ryan and others. Circus—Gentry Brothers' Circus 24; packed the tents at both performances.

DUBUQUE.—Grand Opera House (Wm. T. Roehl, mgr.) Howe's Moving Pictures 26-27; good business. Richard Mansfield 31; big business.

Bijou Opera House (Jake Rosenthal, mgr.) Closed a very successful season 27; S. R. O. Manager Rosenthal opens the summer season at Sohntzen Park, June 12, with high-class vaudeville.

KANSAS.

WICHITA.—Crawford Theatre (E. L. Martling, mgr.) Closed June 1 for the season. Toler Auditorium (H. G. Toler & Son, props.) Toler Stock Co., indefinitely.

Crystal Theatre (A. E. Hutchinson, prop.) Crystal Stock Co. to fair business. The same company continues indefinitely.

Lyric Theatre (A. E. Hutchinson, prop.) Closed for the season.

Summer Theatre (Lewis & Lake, props.) This theatre opened up 27 under canvas for the summer months. The tent was packed opening night and hundreds turned away. The attraction was the Godley Stock Co. This company is composed of the following people: Mr. and

Mrs. Jim Godley, Wm. Hunt, Joe Fox, Albert Payne, Mchforie Lake and Grace Lewis. Items—The Wichita Carnival and Good Spring Jubilee taken place June 12-17. The Great Gaskill Shows being the attraction. * * * Elstun Bros.' Dog and Pony Show gave two performances 27 to fair business; weather bad.

PARSONS.—Electric Park Theatre (H. C. Morehead, mgr.) Dixie Land 23-24; good business. Was She to Blame 25-27; good houses. Down on The Farm 29-31.

KIOWA.—Stowe's U. T. C. 18; big business. Their band is a pleasing feature. Bonheur Brothers' Show 23; good crowds. Norton Brothers 27.

HUTCHINSON.—Home Theatre (W. A. Loe, mgr.) Wright Stock Co. closed three weeks' engagement 27 to good business.

NEWTON.—Ragsdale Opera House (D. S. Williams, mgr.) Closed for season. Circus—Elstun Brothers' Dog and Pony Show 29.

SMITH CENTER.—Opera House (Ed. Miller, mgr.) Mamie Sheridan Wolford Co. 25-27; good company and business.

KENTUCKY

LOUISVILLE.—Hopkins' Fontaine Ferry Park (Wm. Reichman, mgr.) Vandeville bill for week 28: Smith and Cook, the two millionaires; Dougherty Sisters, singers and dancers; Imperial Male Quartet, Al. Carleton, comedian; Arthur Don and May Thompson in Enticing Recruits for Father, and Schenk Brothers, acrobats. The Seaside Railway, Roller Coaster, Bumping The Bumps, Loop The Loop, and the Circle Swing are doing a land office business. Bill week June 4: Mason's Society Belles, Newell and Niblo, Phillis Allev, Crawford and Manning and Apollo.

Riverview Park (Lum Simons, mgr.) Prof. Elchorn's Band has been engaged for another week, owing to the great increase of business, and as an extra attraction Prof. Boynton and his troupe of trained dogs have been engaged.

Hammer's Park (Casper Hammer, mgr.) Prof. Andy Siebert's Band to good crowds week 28. Summer's Ninaweb Park (Summer Brothers, mgrs.) Morlach Concert Band and Orchestra 28-June 2; good business.

Jockey Club Park (Matt Winn, mgr.) J. S. Dusa Concert Band week June 11.

Masonic Theatre (C. A. Shaw, mgr.) Marvin Hart's All-star Vaudeville Co. (local talent) 28-29; only fair business. Dark.

Macaulay's Theatre (John T. Macaulay, mgr.) The Goodhue Stock Co. closed a two weeks' engagement 27. Manager Goodhue having mysteriously disappeared, the company was compelled to give a benefit performance 27, with Lost Paradise as the bill, to enable them to get back to New York. The house was packed to the doors, as several lodges took tickets to help the stranded performers.

Circus Grounds (Jas. B. Camp, mgr.) Pain's Fireworks week June 12. Items—Wm. Noble of Irwin's Show, is home visiting his people. * * * John T. Macaulay has gone to Washington to spend a few days. * * * VanAmburg's Show train passed through town recently on their way South. * * * The Twentieth Century Show Boat passed down the river en route to Evansville. ORVILLE B. TAILOR.

LEXINGTON.—Notwithstanding the inclement weather, the Maccabees' Street Fair and Carnival opened most auspiciously 29, with the Robinson Amusement Co. as the feature attraction. The shows are clean and entertaining, and with fair weather the carnival will be a big success.

OWENSBORO.—Chautauqua Park (Robert Wayne, mgr.) Early and Late, song and dance; Bissonette and Newman, electric novelty jugglers; Senator Frank Bell, monologue; American Newsboys' Quartet, and the biograph, make the vaudeville bill week 29.

MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE.—Academy of Music (Nixon & Zimmerman, mgrs.) Miss Grace Cameron who made herself famous in Piff, Paff, Poo, was engaged to play the leading role in The Lady Slavey, which she did with great success. Supported by a splendid cast and a well-trained chorus, she was well received by a large and enthusiastic audience.

Auditorium Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) The Fays in their wonderful act of Thanmaturgy were held over for another week owing to their great success. In addition The Sisters Rappo, Phil Staats, A. F. Rostow, Reidy and Currier entertained the audiences.

Electric Park (Ang. Tenneman, mgr.) A splendid bill marked the opening of this famous resort. Noctross, Blain & LeMars' Minstrels, Carolyn Williams, Belclair Brothers, Deveaux and Deveaux, and Foster. Many new permanent attractions have been added to make this a delightful and refreshing spot for the summer.

Blanca's Theatre (O. M. Ballan, mgr.) Xong Infano, King of The Wild West, marks the closing of a remarkably successful season. The play is one of the dime novel variety and teems with exciting situations which afford considerable interest to the young generation. The players give a very good performance which pleased large audiences.

Monumental Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) M. M. Thiese's Wine, Woman and Song Co. entertained good audiences. Bonita and other good features were introduced. The many pretty girls were very pleasing. Item—Miss Maida Snyder, like Miss Elsie Janis in The Little Duchess, was the recipient of many floral tributes during her engagement. Both young ladies made personal hits. The patrons were profusely enthusiastic in their admiration for these talented players. S. SCHEMTEAL, 224 Laurens st.

MASSACHUSETTS.

NEW BEDFORD.—New Bedford Theatre (Wm. B. Cross, mgr.) Kellar, magician, assisted by Paul Valladon, a clever disciple of necromancy, mytified a good audience 25.

Hathaway's Theatre (John H. Hathaway, mgr.) The summer stock company presented Little Lord Fauntleroy week 22; fair business. The title role was delightfully sustained by little Violet Holliday.

Savoy Theatre (Nettie M. Cayce, mgr.) A strong vaudeville bill week 22 included Kitty Hoffman, singer and monologist; Avoy and Hughes, bag punching; Ellis and Deavenport, two local experts on the banjo; Anderson and Goin, colored team; Koppie Juggler; The Marquanda, slack wire, and Wally and Wally in a musical act. Items—Advertising Car No. 1 of the Ringling Brothers' Circus was in town last week billing for June 20. * * * Lincoln Park, under the

management of Isaac W. Phelps, will open 30, and will make a stronger bid than ever for public patronage. Many improvements are noticeable.

SPRINGFIELD.—Poll's Theatre. Week 29: May Bolton & Co. are the headliners and are scoring a pronounced hit, as is also A. O. Duncan, ventriloquist. All other acts are good and include Albertus and Miller, Harry Devine and Belle Williams, Musical Lowe, Bob and Geo. Quigley, The Zarrow Trio, and the electrograph. This is the last week of vaudeville, and beginning June 5, Poll's Own Stock Co., under the direction of Frederick Bond will be the attraction, opening with Soldiers of Fortune. The company is headed by Miss Beth Franklin and Paul McAlister. Charles Barringer is the heavy man and Miss Fremont Benton has the ingenue roles. Others are Paul Barnett, Olive West, Soldo Powell, Bertram Hardcastle and Lillian Schorelin.

FALL RIVER.—Academy of Music (Cahn & Grant, mgrs.) Kellar, magician, 27; fair business. This engagement closed the house for the season.

Sheddy's New Bijou. The Buffington Stock Co. presented Woman Against Woman week 27, and delighted good audiences. Bill week 28, The Charity Ball.

Nickelodeon (M. F. O'Brien, mgr.) This house is meeting with great success and played to good business week 27. Bill week 28: Newton Brothers, Ralph Holland, McLaine Sisters, Mamie Otto, and the vitagraph.

MICHIGAN.

BAY CITY.—Washington Theatre (W. J. Daunt, mgr.) Yerna May Stock Co. 25-28; fair house, good company. This closed the season here. During the summer the house will be renovated and improvements made wherever necessary.

Wecoma Beach Park opens June 4, with many new attractions. Items—Wallace Brothers' Shows are well billed for June 9. Tom North, last season manager of The Old Clothes Man, is home for a summer engagement at Wecoma Park.

H. Seach, mgr. Vandeville 22-27; good business. SAULT STE. MARIE.—Soo Opera House (W. Neas, mgr.) Old Arkansas June 1.

MISSOURI.

ST. JOSEPH.—Lyceum Theatre (G. U. Phily, mgr.) T. Daniel Frawley in Ransom's Folly 25; good business. Fulton Brothers' Stock Co. are presenting Man and Master as their final bill of a successful three weeks' engagement closing June 3. Jess B. Fulton and Enid Jackson have again proved themselves very popular in the title roles. E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe June 1.

Lyric Theatre (H. Walter VanDyke, mgr.) The Vandye Co. is producing with success a four-act melodrama entitled A Brother's Crime. Special scenery and costumes have been provided.

Crystal Theatre (Fred Cosman, mgr.) Hendford and Hart are the headliners of a good bill including Trash and Gladden, Mario, Wells Brothers, Ida Beale, and Cosman's moving pictures; good business week 28.

Casino Theatre, Lake Country Park. Beginning June 4 this theatre will open as a popular priced vaudeville house under the management of Frank DeAtley.

Japanese Palm Garden (Frank Lorenz, mgr.) This new garden will throw open its gates to the public 30, with a varied line of attractions. Fryer's Concert Band will furnish the music throughout the season. Items—The annual spring festival, as prepared by The Modern Woodmen's Fraternity, opened the Gala Week 29. Gaakill Carnival Co. furnish all amusements. The Central Labor Council holds their annual jubilee June 5-10. Attractions are to be furnished by the Cosmopolitan Carnival Co., and large crowds are expected during the two weeks' entertainment. A large gathering of Sir Knights attended the annual convocation of Knights Templars held 23-24; a varied line of entertainments were furnished visiting delegates. Joplin, Mo. was selected as the city for the 1906 Conclave.

KANSAS CITY.—The Willis Wood (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe in Shakespearian repertoire, attracted big business 29-31. Season at this house closed with this engagement.

The Gillies (E. S. Brigham, mgr.) The Scout's Revenge, a good melodrama well enacted, brought out fair sized houses week 28. Next: Across the Desert.

The Auditorium (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) The Woodward Stock Co. in Ten Nights in a Barroom fared very well week 18. Next: Graustark.

Forest Park (Jbo. D. Hopkins, les.; A. G. Peterson, res. mgr.) Paul Conchas, the juggler, headed an excellent vaudeville bill, which attracted good business week 18.

Electric Park (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) Season opened 18 to an enormous crowd, with Lib-erati's Military Band as the feature. Vaudeville in the German Village was well patronized. Fairmount Park (Ben Boegenthal, mgr.) With many new attractions this beautiful resort was opened 18 and throughout the week big crowds were in evidence. Kilpatrick's daring automobile ride was the big feature, while an excellent vaudeville bill in the theatre drew audiences of fair size. C. H. S.

JOPLIN.—New Club Theatre (L. F. Ballard, mgr.) Club Theatre Stock Co. in Just Plain Folks 25-27. Bill changes twice weekly.

Lyric Theatre (Chas. E. Hodkins, mgr.) D's and D's, Raimund and Good, LeRoy Benson, Edna Short, Illustrated songs and moving pictures week 21; S. E. O. Circus—Wm. P. Hall's Circus is billed for June 12.

WEBB CITY.—New Blake (E. S. Brigham, prop.) Chase-Lister Co. 28; fair house and show. E. S. Brigham has purchased this house. New Orpheum (W. H. Van Eppen, prop.) Vandeville 20-27; good houses.

NEBRASKA.

OMAHA.—Boyd Theatre (Woodward & Burgess, mgrs.) The Ferris Stock Co. now in its third week is pleasing large audiences. The specialties introduced by Hattie Carmontelle, Billie Kent, James L. Todd, McKee and Rutherford, and Baby Jack are excellent. The bill for week commencing 28 are The Danites and Turned Down.

Krug Theatre (Chas. S. Bred, mgr.) Mel-bourne MacDowell and Miss Ethel Fuller in La

Tosca week 28. The company is an excellent one and was well received by large attendance on the opening night.

Orpheum (Carl Reiter, mgr.) The regular vaudeville season for this house is closed but a special engagement of Frank J. Keene in the Irish comedy drama, A Daughter of Erin, 28-29, drew fair sized audiences.

During the past two weeks we have had continual rainy weather which has been unfavorable to the parks.

Krug Park opened the season 15, and the attendance was large. Manager Cole secured the Royal Canadian Band consisting of thirty pieces, which was most enthusiastically received by the large crowds. The new moving pictures which were imported from Europe are attracting much attention. The new feature of the season, Wonderland, will not be ready for opening for another week. This attraction is promised to be one of the best ever offered to patrons of a park. The following attractions of other seasons are continued this year: The Roller Coaster, Laughing Mirrors, Penny Arcade and menagerie of small animals. Prof. Hall will make balloon ascensions every Sunday.

Manawa. This beautiful summer resort opened 28. A continued rain during the entire day prevented a very large attendance. Manager Byrnes has spared no expense in making this resort one of the best in this locality. Co-vault's Band has been re-engaged for the season, much to the satisfaction of the patrons of this park. The floral display is on a larger scale than ever before and many new settees and swings have been placed throughout the park. At the Casino the latest and most attractive pictures have been seen every evening. The Altons, contortionists, have been engaged for two weeks, and Prof. Andrews will make a balloon ascension and parachute jump each day. Billy Byrnes, the popular manager, is to be congratulated for the many improvements made this season. Circus—Gentry Brothers' Shows were with us 29-30, and did an excellent business. The show has been enlarged since last season and up to its usual high standard. Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers exhibit here June 12. H. J. ROOT.

LINCOLN.—Oliver Theatre (Frank C. Zeh-rung, mgr.) T. Daniel Frawley in Ransom's Folly 24; good business. Richard Mansfield in The Merchant of Venice 25; capacity house. E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe in Romeo and Juliet June 5; Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. June 6-7.

Auditorium. May Festival 24-25; featuring Chicago Symphony orchestra and a chorus of two hundred voices; good business.

The Lyric (H. M. Miller, mgr.) Good business week 22.

The Gentry Brothers' Combined Shows 31.

NEBRASKA CITY.—Overland Theatre (Clarence Claggett, mgr.) T. Daniel Frawley in Ransom's Folly 23; pleased good business. On The Frontier, June 2.

HASTINGS.—Kerr Opera House (Geo. Stevenson, mgr.) A Banker's Child 24; fair business. Sanford Dodge 26; fair business. House closed for season.

NEW JERSEY.

ATLANTIC CITY.—Continued big business is the rule and an extraordinary large crowd was here last week. All the amusement places present a flashy appearance, flags, banners and patriotic colors everywhere. The bathing season has started, and a striking novelty for the thousands of visitors is the Life Guard drill every day. There are over one hundred life guardsmen, with their life saving apparatus, and their drill is a wonderful exhibition in itself. The same kind of a drill is being used by the Buffalo Bill Shows in Europe, and is making a tremendous hit, and such an exhibition would be a big attraction for some of the larger tent shows.

Young's Pier and Theatre. Black Patti Troubadours week 29; gave a great show, and opened to immense business.

Savoy Theatre. Vaudeville the past week to S. E. O. May Irwin & Co. in Mrs. Black Is Back 29-30; opened to big business. Vandeville 31-June 3.

Tilou's Steeplechase Pier. Novelities, opera, vaudeville, dancing, moving pictures, trained animals, minstrel, cakewalks, variety and anything and everything in the amusement line is Manager Giles Clement's offering to the large crowds who daily visit the ever popular pier. New features are being constantly added.

Steel Pier. Band concerts, minstrels, vaudeville and cakewalks please everyone.

Johnstown Flood is doing a great business, the S. E. O. and wait for the next performance signs being frequently displayed.

Dentzel's Galloping Horses and Amusement Palace is coining money for its owners and is crowded at all times, as people never seem to tire of this attraction.

Helms Pier. Good business and no cause to complain.

Garrick Theatre. The Stock Co. presents a new bill and is meeting with big success.

Free Arcade, with its many automatic novelties, is doing a fine business.

All the Penny Machine Parlors are doing big business, as the people seem to take to them.

The Olde Mill is still grinding out large receipts for its owners.

Fighting The Flames, with its engines, horses and fire fighters, is doing a capacity business at all times.

The Baby Incubator, Figure Eight Roller Coaster, Miniature Railroad, Pleasure Wheel, Scenic Railway, Palace of Illusion and Moorish Maze are all doing big business.

New aerial bridge with the airship exhibition, Ferris Wheel and various attractions, is doing a remarkable business. It is a winner and a big success for a new venture.

Col. Westlake, the amusement manager and promoter, was a welcome visitor 24-25. He is looking over the field and will probably locate here for the summer season.

The Battle of Gettysburg, as an extra attraction has installed a miniature soldier camp, with a company of old soldiers, veterans of the civil war, who participated in the famous battle at Gettysburg. They have full equipment for actual field service, and visitors find much to entertain them. FRANK B. HUBBIN, 813 Boardwalk.

NEW YORK.

BROOKLYN.—The warm weather is here and thousands of visitors are seen at the beaches, most of the summer amusements now being open. Luna Park and Dreamland are drawing big crowds. The Brighton Beach Park, with

the Boer War as the big drawing attraction, did a big first weeks' business. The Manhattan Beach Theatre and Pain's Fireworks open soon. The Brighton Beach Music Hall opens June 10, and Morrison's Theatre at Rockaway Beach opens the middle of June. Bostock's Animal Show at Coney Island is doing big business. The theatres in Brooklyn are about all closed. Manager Percy G. Williams has begun a month's season of light opera and is meeting with his usual success.

Orpheum Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) The Orpheum Opera Co., with Miss Elsie Janis, presented The Little Duchess and pleased good business. Next: The Calmes of Normandy.

Broadway Theatre. The stock company here presented Barbara Fritchie this week. Next: The Christian.

Bijou Theatre (Mary G. Spooner, mgr.) The Spooner Stock Co., supporting Edna May and Ceil Coooper, presented The Shaughraun to well filled houses. Next: The Austrian Dancer.

Payton Lee Avenue Theatre (S. S. Allen, mgr.) The closing week's bill here was The Three Guardsmen, which pleased large crowds all the week. The season at this house has been a very successful one.

Star Theatre (A. H. Schenberg, mgr.) Miner's American Burlesques played a return date here to big business. Next: The Yankee Doodle Girls.

Gayety Theatre (James Clark, mgr.) The Yankee Doodle Girls was the burlesque attraction here this week. Good business was the rule. This theatre has had a very successful season.

Luna Park (Thompson & Dundy, mgrs.) This beautiful amusement enterprise is doing big business and last week the big park was hardly large enough to hold the thousands of visitors. Most all of the big shows here are now open, the latest show to open being The Fall of Port Arthur, which is the coming climax of all Luna Park's new attractions. This new attraction is located where the Dunbar was last season. The Dragon's Gorge, which is L. A. Thompson's latest railway device, is attracting big crowds. The Igorrote Village is a new attraction that is also very popular. The Big Fire Show and A Trip to the Moon are as popular as ever. The big, free, open-air circus has many interesting acts. Many new features will be added during the season.

Manhattan Beach Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) High-class vaudeville will be given here this season.

Brighton Beach Music Hall (Wm. T. Grover, mgr.) The regular season will begin here June 10. A big vaudeville bill will be given.

Morrison's Theatre. This theatre will open the middle of June, and the management and policy of the house will be the same as last season.

Steeplechase Park, Coney Island (Geo. Tilou, mgr.) The Steeplechase Park is as popular as ever, and big crowds are seen here daily. Many societies have arranged to have their outings here this summer.

Bergen Beach is now open and is drawing big crowds. The new attractions here this season are all very good ones and are doing well. A few concessions are still left unsold.

Brighton Beach Park (W. A. Brady, mgr.) The Great Boer War, under the management of Capt. A. W. Lewis, the originator, with over one thousand Boer and British veterans, is the leading feature here. The opening week was the largest in the history of the Boer War, and the success of the attraction is assured. Two performances are given daily, afternoon at 3:00 p. m., and evening at 8:30 p. m. Aside from The Boer War, Brighton Beach also furnishes many other attractions. Most of the concessions are taken up and are doing well. A special station has been built by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Co. at the entrance to The Boer War.

The Galveston Flood (James McKane, mgr.) This big scenic production is drawing well here this season. James B. Driscoll is acting manager and lecturer again this season. He reports business very satisfactory.

Midget City, Dreamland (L. J. Rodrigney, mgr.) The Midget City is the most unique attraction at Coney Island. Many new Illiputians are seen here this season. Mrs. Tom Thumb, Count Magni and brother are the principal celebrities. The Midget City Theatre and Circus are doing well. The Flea Theatre, adjoining The Midget City, is attracting many people.

From New York to The North Pole (E. J. Austin, mgr.) The second week of this big scenic attraction began to big business. The attraction has made a big hit and no doubt will have a successful season. The scenic effects are perfect and are the best ever given.

Johnstown Flood (H. A. Bradwell, mgr.) The Johnstown Flood is as popular as ever, the scenic effects are new and those who have seen it before should visit it again this season.

Bostock's, Coney Island (Frank C. Bostock, mgr.) Capacity business is the rule here and several turn aways are reported. On Sunday the crowds were so great that it was almost impossible to accommodate them. Bonavita and his lions were the feature act this week, the others being Morelli, the jaguar queen, Aurora and Polar bears, Prof. Miller and many others.

Creation, Dreamland, Coney Island (E. F. Girard, bus. mgr.) Creation is probably the biggest scenic illusion ever exhibited. The combination of scenic and electrical effects are superb. The attraction has proved to be one of Dreamland's features, and it is without a doubt one of the best illusions ever given.

Pain's Fireworks will open the middle of June at Manhattan Beach, and Port Arthur will be the name of the big spectacle this summer.

Dreamland, Coney Island (W. H. Reynolds, pres.) Dreamland, with all its attractions, is one of the biggest outdoor amusement enterprises attempted, and this season it is far superior to last season's efforts. The big attractions are Creation, Touring Europe, Hell Gate, The Midget City, The Flea Circus, Bostock's Animal Show, Fighting The Flames, The Air Ship and many others. The big free attraction is the Hippodrome at 3:00 and 9:00 p. m. Business here last week was very large and the big attractions all did well. The concessions are all doing very good business.

The Automobiles that start from Broadway and Twenty-second street, Manhattan, for Coney Island, are well patronized, and it is indeed a novel way for people to attend Coney Island. GEO. H. HAKES, 303, 290 B'way, N. Y. C.

NORTH CAROLINA.

CONCORD.—Opera House (J. B. Caldwell, mgr.) The season is now closed and house will reopen in August. Circus—Miles Orton Shows May 30.

RALEIGH.—Academy of Music (J. Sherwood Upchurch, mgr.) The Osman Stock Co. week 22; good business.

OHIO.

CLEVELAND.—Monday, 29, ushered in the last week of the regular theatrical season, the Opera House, Keith's, Cleveland and the Lyric closing their doors, completing a very successful season. The summer season will be on in full blast, with the opening of White City on the Lake, Saturday, June 3. The Avenue Gardens and the Coliseum opened their doors 29, and despite a heavy sky which emitted small showers at different intervals during the evening, both theatres were well attended. The Coliseum, under the management of Max F. Trotter, furnished a very agreeable surprise. The site was formerly known as Halnorth's Gardens, but the building and grounds have been greatly changed. On entering, one passes through columns of pillars. On the left is a lagoon with gondolas floating about. The auditorium has been surrounded with a broad gallery, where one can sit and smoke. The proscenium arch has been widened and gives ample width for the spectacular performances that are booked. The bill was made up of four parts. Jack Beck, with fifty picked musicians, gave a very enjoyable program. Mr. Trotter's pupils showed excellent training and had decided talent. Chas. Hauford, Miss Dronab & Co. made an excellent impression in a condensed version of The Taming of The Shrew. This was a rather unique offering for one evening's pleasure, and midnight sounded before the finale. The Euclid Avenue Gardens entered its second year with the Princess Chic, a very tinsel opera, and gave the concessions every sort of liberty, with its elastic humor. Manager Fautschner is to be congratulated upon his selection of his company, for if last night's program is any criterion of what his patrons will receive, we are in for a summer season of pleasant entertainment. Miss Estelle was a charming Princess Chic, her voice is a trifle light, but her acting was admirable. Forrest Huff, Lyman Wheeler, Harry Lane were in good voice, and won instant favor and many rounds of applause. Jack Henderson and Clarence Harvey made an excellent impression by their clever work. Countess VanHatsfeld and Miss Buesing were pleasing. The chorus sang well, looked better and were admirably drilled.

Chas. Hawtrely appeared in A Message From Mars, at the Opera House last night, and pleased a fair sized audience.

This is the closing week at Keith's, and tops off a season of decided excellence. Mr. Keith made the occasion to linger in the memory. Jean Marcel's new living pictures were the hit of the bill. Mr. Marcel has developed a series of bronze that are wonderful in their effects; Kathryn Osterman & Co. gave a very amusing sketch; The Three Nevaros, acrobats; Kelly and Mack and others completed a very good bill.

Because She Loved Him So is the offering of the stock company at the Colonial. Mr. Waldron, Mr. Camp and Miss Adair won favor by their clever work.

The Carrier's Daughter, a melodrama of stirring scenes, cleverly staged, is the closing attraction at the Cleveland.

Ermond Hayes, at the head of the Brigadier Burlesques, returned to the Star and repeated the good impression that they created at their first visit. PAUL C. MOONEY.

COLUMBUS.—Quite the most important item of interest that has clouded our theatrical horizon for the past few days, was the resignation this week of Al G. Owens as manager of the High Street Theatre and the Grand Opera House. These houses have been under the control of Messrs. Dickson & Talbot, for many years, and Mr. Owens has been at the head of both during the whole period of their ownership. In fact he became such a fixture that his stepping down and out was a cause of much regret, and that illness, rather ill health, should have been the cause adds much to the feeling of loss that will be felt the coming season. Mr. Owens has been engaged in the theatrical business in this city for the past fifteen years and knew the ropes most thoroughly. He is still a young man and a respite from the active and strenuous management of two big houses will doubtless work wonders. Dickson & Talbot have acted wisely in appointing Mr. Charles Harper as Mr. Owens' successor at the High Street. Charlie Harper started in the business under Mr. Owens at the Grand as program boy over six years ago, and has fought the fight until he is at the top. Taking each step with care he has laid the foundation well, and through painstaking work and pluck has made for himself an enviable berth. The appointment for manager at the Grand is still under consideration, and the outcome of several interviews will be announced at a later date.

Decoration Day, business was phenomenal at both the summer stock houses. As Hall, playing this week in When Knighthood Was in Flower at the Great Northern, exhibits a certain coquetry and sweetness that is irresistible. Mr. Bergin as Charles Brandon is keeping pace with his excellent work of last week, while Harrison Stedman contributes the best hit he has offered since his arrival.

The Musical Comedy Co. at the Empire continues to improve, and it looks as if there might be no limit. Miss Dunmore has the name part this week in Lady Slaver, and is very captivating and pretty. John Young is certainly a comer. Charles Giblyn is the best exponent of the elongated Dan Daly that the writer has ever seen—mannerisms, talk, voice; he has them all down pat. The chorus is prettily gowned and the scenic array is quite elaborate. The Girl From Paris follows next week.

At Olentangy Park the wet weather has kept away much of the business reasonably expected. Manager Frosser has arranged a good bill for his patrons in the Casino. Constantine and Lawrence. Lester and Moore, Dilla and Templeton, Kitty Bingham, The Great Avolos, Prince Kokiichi Shiman and Gardner and Stoddard. Fair Japan continues to lead in point of attendance, and interest does not seem to lag in this interesting place.

Roister Park, owned and managed by a club of enterprising young men, has been thrown open to the public, and, as it is situated on a beautiful hill top, the loyalty of the numerous westsiders will no doubt see that it has its share of attention. The principal attraction at this time is the dancing pavilion.

The Zoo opened Sunday, 28, and attracted large business all day. A number of new animals have been added and the park presents a beautiful appearance.

In conversation with Mr. H. A. Smith, the general manager of The Glaser Stock Co. at the southern, he informed the writer of the engaging of the following well-known members of the profession for the Glaser Co. that will open at the Colonial Theatre in Cleveland and continue all winter: David Hartford, James Easton, Thos. Williams, and Theo. Johnson for stage director, and last but not least himself as manager. Mr. Smith has proved very popular here, and it is easy to see why he will continue in the same important capacity next season. Under canvas—Geury Brothers' Show pleased with their exhibit here 29-30.

J. B. HAGUE.

CINCINNATI.—Unless present plans miscarry Cincinnati will have a new theatre next season which will cater to the lovers of high-class burlesque and run in opposition to the People's, which for many years has held complete sway in the burlesque field in this city. Sam Scribner and Jules Hurlig, of the Eastern Managers' Association, dropped into the city Friday, June 2, and completed arrangements whereby the old Vine Street Opera House will be converted into an up-to-date theatre, seating 1,200 people, and made a part of the Eastern Circuit. The house will be owned and controlled by the Cincinnati Theatre Co. the papers for the incorporation of which have been forwarded to Columbus. This company is headed by Mr. Chas. B. Arnold, well known in Cincinnati amusement circles, and who will manage the house when it opens on Sept. 1.

Work upon the building, which has been idle for several years, and a history of which appeared in a recent issue of The Billboard will begin at once. Architect Harry Hake has been at work for some time on plans for the remodeling of the house. The operating company has been capitalized at \$40,000, which will be amply sufficient to make the house conform with the building ordinance in every respect and transform it into an up-to-date and desirable playhouse. Building Inspector Tooker has been consulted and is assisting Mr. Hake. An entirely new stage, concrete floors and roomy exits will be among the new improvements. By securing the adjoining lot the house is approachable from three sides, rendering the patrons increased safety in case of fire.

When seen by a Billboard representative Mr. Arnold, who will also be local representative for the Eastern Circuit, asserted most emphatically that the policy of the house would be of the very highest class, which he was assured would meet with the approval of theatregoers of the burlesque persuasion in the Queen City. Mr. Arnold is well known in the profession, and enjoys the distinction in Hamilton county, of which he is treasurer, of being one of the best and most favorable known of all her prominent sons.

Hagenbeck's Show made a good impression in Cincinnati during its three days' engagement, beginning May 29. Though the first two days' stay was unfortunately attended by exceedingly undesirable weather, and to such an extent that the evening performance Monday was not completed on account of a downpour of rain and threatening storm, the engagement as a whole was a financial success. Mr. Theodore H. Bauer, general press representative for the show, succeeded admirably well in securing space for his show and the columns of our dailies were fairly animated with live and interesting articles from his prolific pen concerning the features of Hagenbeck's Wednesday was favorable from an atmospheric standpoint, and the show played to turnaway business. Cincinnatians have begun to consider the Hagenbeck Show as a home institution, which is a remarkably good indication that the Queen City desires to be considered as a theatrical view.

Coney Island opened May 28 with a hurrah which sent things booming. The Island Queen and the Avalon were kept busy all day carrying the crowds to the resort, and the traction lines did the largest business in the history of the resort. Coney has a new flying machine this year; also a four-in-one and a new roller skating rink. Business has been heavy all week.

Beautiful Lagoon also opened Sunday, May 28. The natural attractiveness of this park makes it a most desirable resort for visitation. Myth Palace and Fair Japan are new attractions and will prove money-getters. The business Sunday was enormous, with large crowds all week. Chester plays to increased business each week. Manager Martin is already assured of success for the season. The many attractions are playing to good business and the crowds in the vaudeville pavilion have been immense.

TOLEDO.—Valentine Theatre (E. E. Fir, mgr.) The season closed at this house 27, with Lew Fields' Co. in It Happened in Nordland to capacity. Outside of Fields, Harry Fisher scored the hit of the production, which was gorgeous in every respect.

Arcade Theatre (Newton & Lamkin, mgrs.) The Douglas Stock Co. put on Confusion 23 June 3; rather light business. The honors fell to Mr. Douglas and Miss Browne. Next: All The Comforts of Home.

Casino Theatre (Otto Klives, mgr.) This popular summer house on the Maumee Bay opened 29 to turnaway business. The acts were Howard Truesdale & Co., The Three Troubadours, Marion and Pearl, Sabel Johnson, Marco Twins, Spizel Brothers and Mack, and the kladrome. All of the concessions in the park are running full blast. A new scenic railway costing \$10,000 has been added to the park since last season, and it is one of the chief attractions. Manager Klives has made a good start and if he can keep his attractions up to the standard of the above bill, his success is assured.

Farm Theatre (Joe Pearlstein, mgr.) The summer season opened at this house of polite vaudeville 28; fine audiences. Tom Nawn & Co. in A Touch of Nature were the hit of the bill, which was exceedingly well balanced. The acts were Herbert Lloyd, Belle Velo, Alice Lindon, Doll, Silvern and Emerie and World and Kingston. This latter act was one of the hits with the Buster Brown Co. during the season, and is making good on the summer circuit. Circus—Wallace Brothers June 1; Barnum & Bailey 7.

B. Q. LUSTIG.

CANTON.—Lake Park Theatre (L. B. Cool, mgr.) Opened to big business with a strong bill week 29. Flood Brothers, Blinn, Boom, Brrr, Mr. and Mrs. Call Stewart, Chas. McDonald, Mosey and Hobben and Davis and McCauley. Ehret's Park (A. Ehret, mgr.) This resort is attracting large crowds, and the various amusements are well patronized. In the theatre are The Dempseys, The LaDameron Sisters and Chas. Ross.

Garden Theatre (M. Manning, mgr.) Foeter

and Kramer, Jack Zerath, Eugenia Wood, Madeleine Stuart, Eva Sager and LaBelle Fatima are drawing good houses.

SANDUSKY.—Nelson Opera House (Singler & Smith, mgrs.) Mrs. Wiggs of The Cabbage Patch 31. This engagement closes the season. Pavilion Theatre, Johnson Island Pleasure Resort (C. L. Goodside, mgr.) Bill week 29: Chas. Ambrose, The Klein Children, Miss Mildred Hawk, Cleveland City Quartet and The Thompsons.

Cedar Point. Will open June 10. Many new features and attractions have been added. Gallipolis Theatre (J. M. Kaufman, mgr.) Howe's Moving Pictures 27; fair audience. This attraction closes the season.

LANCASTER.—Auditorium. Howe's Pictures 26; benefit K. O. T. M., pleased capacity. Maplewood Park opened 30 to big crowds considering rainy weather. Items—Carl Hegenbeck's Trained Wild Animals 24; two large and well pleased audiences. * * * Gentry Brothers' Dog and Pony Shows 31. * * * Bill Winters, one of the oldest wild animal trainers in the country, is visiting relatives here. Bill is quite "bottle scared," but is still doing his stunts with the Great Wallace Shows.

MLER.—Avon Park (J. W. West, mgr.) Avon Opera Co. 27; good business. The Mascot 28-30; Fra Diavolo 31-June 8; A Trip to India 4-10.

COSHOTOON.—Sixth Street Theatre (J. P. Callahan, mgr.) Vogel's Minstrels closed regular season 29. The Cutter Stock Co. play a short summer engagement; big business 22-27.

STUEBENVILLE.—Stanton Park Theatre (F. C. Workman, mgr.) Robinson's Comic Opera Co. 29, opens a four weeks' engagement. Swallow & Markle's Floating Theatre 22; large business.

NEW PHILADELPHIA.—Union Opera House. Fall of Atlanta 30-31; A Winter's Tale June 6. Circus—Godard's Inter-ocean Circus 18-20.

WAPAKONETA.—Brown Theatre. DeWolf Hopper in Wang closed the season here to good business.

UBERICHVILLE.—City Opera House (Elvin & VanOstran, mgrs.) The Cutter Stock Co. 29-31.

MIDDLEPORT.—Eisenbarth Henderson Co.'s Show Boat to full house 27.

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA.—Although all the parks are in full blast, with many new attractions, the weather has been against them and their business has not been good. The theatres that are open have profited by the rainy, disagreeable weather, with cool nights. Business has been much better than was looked for, and the managers who have tempted fortune by keeping open are congratulating themselves. It will take a decidedly warm wave to spoil business at the theatres. Decoration Day was gloomy and murky in the morning with heavy rains in the afternoon and evening and in consequence while the parks drew large crowds the concessions did not get much chance to get any of the visitor's money.

That there will be a number of changes in the management of Philadelphia theatres next season is an assured fact, but there are so many rumors about these changes that nothing definite can be told. The burlesque people are waging a bitter war for supremacy in this city. The eastern managers lay claim to one house for next season and positively claim that they have two good theatres here. The Empire Circuit have the lease for two houses and will run both of them. The managers of melodramatic plays are looking upon this fight with joy. As one of them has aptly expressed it, "This will be the best thing that ever happened for the melodramatic managers who play at popular prices." They claim that it will only take a few months of war between the rival burlesque wheels to convince them that competition is foolish and this will leave a number of houses open for new attractions inasmuch as the fight will result in the cutting down of opposition in all of the large cities. They claim that this will make room for an opposition circuit of popular price melodramatic houses and many of them who have been unable to do business with Stair & Havlin are looking upon the fight with a lot of pleasure.

Casino Theatre. The song play, Coming Thro' The Eye, has made the biggest kind of a hit, as it is full of catchy summery material that is just suitable for people who want to see a light entertainment when the weather is warm. George Lederer is being congratulated on his side for his nerve in putting on such a good show at this season of the year, and the public are patronizing the show in such a manner that both his face and that of Sunny Jim are illumined with smiles every day. Turnaways were frequent this week and an indefinite run is announced.

Garrick Theatre. The Wanderer came to this house from the Chestnut on May 29, and had a fair week's business.

Chestnut Street Theatre. George Fish was a proud and happy man when his All-favorite Stock Co. opened a month's engagement at this house on May 29. The house was crowded and the members of the company were greeted with tumultuous applause on their first entrance. Telegrams, flowers and every other form of encouragement were there and there was even a delegation of Cincinnati people here to see the opening. Business has been very big all week, the play being Tess of The D'Urbervilles, and the chances are that still greater crowds will come to see Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, which is announced for week of June 5.

Park Theatre. Simple Simon is still drawing crowded houses and will continue for a number of weeks.

Grand Opera House. The New opera company opened May 29 with the Wizard of The Nile, and business has been middling. Week of June 5. The Mikado.

Arch Street Theatre. Week 29, Just before Dawn had only fair houses and the house is now closed. It will reopen early in August. Charles Blaney, the lessee, will spend some of his profits in the redecorating of the house.

People's Theatre. This house is closed for the season, but June 1. Joseph Horitz gave one production of a new play entitled Our Friend Fritz.

Girard Avenue Theatre. With Amy Lee as the star, and Mammie Atkins as the musical offering, the last week at this theatre, starting June 29, was not very profitable.

Hart's Kensington Theatre. The Stock Co. are still doing nicely, putting on a new play

each week with an added vaudeville attraction. Week 29, the bill was Libby Prison. Announced for June 5, is The Counterfeiters.

Forepaugh's Theatre. The Stock Co., headed by George Learock, is giving a splendid interpretation of Oliver Twist week 29, and business is good. For week June 5, By Right of Sword is underlined.

Kath's Theatre. In its summer dress, and with a big vaudeville bill, this house is doing an enormous business. It will keep open all summer.

Trocadero Theatre. The Broadway Burlesquers had a big week starting May 29. The house will keep open until the latter part of June.

Lycenm Theatre. The Black Crook Burlesquers fared fairly well week 29. The house will remain open all summer.

Museum. After one of the best seasons in years, this place closed 27, and will reopen in September.

Willow Grove Park. After many alterations and improvements this park opened 27, and has been drawing immense crowds every day since. Sousa and his band are the musical attractions. New features are the flying machine, which draw big crowds, and a monstrous scenic railway showing a tour of the Alps. All the other amusement features have been renovated.

Chestnut Hill Park. The Royal Roman Band is the musical attraction offered for the present, although vaudeville is promised later. Business was fair this week.

Washington Park on the Delaware. Business fair, but it will take the warm weather to draw crowds to this place. The Roman Imperial Band are in for a long stay.

Woodside Park. Ledtke's Imperial Lancer Band is the musical attraction and Chinese vaudeville is given in the theatre.

Washington Park. Picnics and excursions have been booked in large numbers for the summer. Central Park. Dancing and vaudeville, with Sunday band concerts, are the attractions at this place.

Torresdale Park. J. M. Weiner was already to open this park 27, when the building inspectors condemned all the buildings and refused to allow the park to open. Suit has been brought against the owner by the lessee, but the park will have to remain closed for the present.

BOB WATT, 806 Walnut st.

ERIE.—Majestic Theatre (John L. Gilson, mgr.) Amelia Bingham, with an excellent company in Mlle. Marni, 26; well received by capacity house. It Happened in Nordland 26; delighted large audience. DeWolf Hopper in Wang 29; pleased good business. Metropolitan Juvenile Opera Co. 29, presented Pinafore to fair audience and pleased. This closes the season at this house.

Waldmere Park (Tom Maloney, mgr.) This beautiful park started its season 30, having undergone numerous changes and improvements. Record breaking crowds were in attendance the opening day, with good business balance of week. Vaudeville bill includes Vedmar, Miles and Raymond, Corby and Burke, Al H. Burton, and The Burdock Sisters.

Frontier Park (Frontier Am. Co., mgrs.) This new amusement park in the heart of the city received its initial opening May 29. Business was excellent. The permanent attractions include the Myth City, House of Trouble, Temple of Mirth, Cave of The Winds, Artie Grotto, Merry-Go-Round and other minor attractions. Baby Owen & Co., O'Brien and Dunlo, Owen and Owen, and Primrose and Hobloff.

Four Mile Creek Park (H. T. Foster, mgr.) Large crowds attended the opening May 30. Business for the week was excellent.

Overland Park. Good attendance. Items—Barnum & Bailey are billed for June 3; Pawnee Bill June 9. * * * Members of the Metropolitan Juvenile Opera Co. have stranded here.

BUTLER.—Alameda Park. Opened its season May 30, with a large and well pleased crowd. The new pavilion and skating rink were ready for the opening, and with the Summer Theatre, under the management of Messrs. Walter & Burymore, did a large business.

ALTOONA.—Eleventh Avenue Opera House. Nan Patterson in a musical comedy June 3.

Lakemont Park Theatre opens June 5. The theatre has been greatly enlarged and new scenery added. Circus—Pawnee Bill's Wild West and Far East; two performances 30; big business. Rals at night cut business slightly.

BRADFORD.—New Bradford Theatre (Jay North, mgr.) DeWolf Hopper in Wang 27; pleased large houses. Diger Cornell Co. opened a week's engagement 29 in The Princess of Patches to good house.

Pawnee Bill's Car No. 4, in charge of L. S. Barrett, was in town 28-29, putting the finishing touches on the advertising. The show comes June 5.

WILLIAMSPORT.—Vallamont Pavilion (L. A. Fray, mgr.) Valamont Stock Co. in The Charity Ball and Woman Against Woman week 29. Circus—Barnum & Bailey 25; big business, one of the best performances ever given here. Washburn & D'Alma's Animal Show 31.

CHAMBERSBURG.—Rosedale Opera House (Shinabrook & Grove, mgrs.) Dickinson College Glee and Mandolin Club 22, as the closing offering of the season, drew fair patronage. Circus—Lewis' Dog and Pony Show 9; packed them in at both performances.

TYRONE.—The Sig. Santelle and Welsh Brothers' Circus 25; tent filled at both performances, and audience very enthusiastic. The parade was exceptionally fine.

RHODE ISLAND.

NEWPORT.—Shedy's Freebody Park Theatre (Chas. E. Cook, res. mgr.) Opens for the fourth season Monday, June 5, with the following bookings: Edwin Keough & Co. in A Vaudeville Surprise; Coin's Acting Dogs, LaGrannon, The Trans-atlantic Four, Nat Clifford, The Ellis-Novlin Trio, Rogers and Hurst, and the vito-graph. Prof. Leo. Shooob is leader of the orchestra of nine pieces, and Wm. Glorford, late with Sullivan, Harris & Woods' Wedded and Parted, has been engaged as stage director.

TEXAS.

SAN ANTONIO.—Electric Park (S. H. Weis, mgr.) Albert Taylor Stock Co. in Lost in Boston 22-23; Southern Romance 24-25, and Hot Old Time 26-28. Mr. Taylor and his company are giving entire satisfaction and drawing large crowds.

PARIS.—Eastline Summer Theatre (Edgar T. Neville, mgr.) Lyceum Stock Co. 15-17, in repertoire, to S. B. O.

UTAH.

SALT LAKE CITY.—Salt Lake Theatre (Geo. D. Fyfer, mgr.) Sothern and Marlowe in Much Ado About Nothing, and Romeo and Juliet 22-23; business fair and presentation first-class. John Drew & Co. in The Duke of Killcrankie 25-27; splendid business. Company and presentation excellent.

Grand Theatre (Jones & Hammer, mgrs.) Polard's Lilliputian Opera Co. in repertoire, including The Belle of New York, The Runaways, Pinafore, and The American Millionaire, week 22, to exceedingly good business. Next: The Bittner Co. in a repertoire of popular plays including old and new successes, will play five weeks' engagement.

The Utahns Theatre continues to do a splendid business, alternating vaudeville and melodrama. The companies engaged are all above the average for a ten, twenty, and thirty cent house.

The Bon Ton is presenting vaudeville successfully, and the Penny Arcades are always filled. The Great Saltair Beach resort on the inland sea, opened Decoration Day.

The Grand Theatre has been leased for a term of nine years to Messrs. Felton & Smumber, of Denver, who will place it on the Stair & Havlin Circuit. These gentlemen control the new Curtis at Denver. Prices that formerly ranged from twenty-five to seventh-fifty cents will be reduced to fifteen and fifty cents. T. L. Hammer, for many years with the Grand, will be retained as house manager.

GEO. D. ALDER.

VERMONT.

RUTLAND.—Opera House (Boyle & Bremer, mgrs.) May Hillman Co. week 22; fair business. The American Flag 30. Circus—John Robinson June 13.

ST. ALBANS.—Waugh's Opera House (T. E. Waugh, mgr.) Heart of Texas 25; only fair business. Colonial Stock Co. week May 29.

VIRGINIA.

NORFOLK.—The Acme (Wilkinson & Manzie, mgrs.) Business continues good. People week 22: Tommy B. Harris, Jr., Bobby Taylor, Prof. Geo. Wood, Penman Sisters, Nellie Brewer, Edith Dunbar, Sadie Burgess, Mabelle Brewak, Alice Loman and West Sisters. The Bijou (Abe Smith, mgr.) People week 22: Moorhead Brothers, Pete Etheridge, John West, Harrison Sisters, Edith DeCain, Beatrice Clay, Lou Fullman and Master Pettitte Harrison; business very satisfactory.

Manhattan (Crinnan Bros, mgrs.) Olio week 22: May Harvey, Parker and Florence, Barry and Penman, Woodville and Moore, May Livingston, Emma Wallace, Bessie Rosemond, Costley and Dean and the Virginia Quartet; business good.

Ocean View Casino (Jake Wells, sole owner; Otto Wells, mgr.) Walter Edwards' Stock Co. in The Taming of The Shrew, and Ingomar, week 5.

Pine Beach Theatre (Perkins & Dashiell, les.) The Pine Beach Stock Co. in repertoire and vaudeville. An unusually good company and productions.

N. E. CROWDER.

WINCHESTER.—Auditorium (Harry Wood, mgr.) Fayssoux, hypnotist, 29; Bennett-Moulton Co. June 5-10.

WASHINGTON.

SEATTLE.—Seattle Theatre (John P. Howe, mgr.) Watson Stock Co. in The Christian 28-31; opened to good business with a splendid company.

Grand Opera House (John Cort, mgr.) Nat. C. Goodwin in An American Citizen 28; Parsifal June 2-3.

Third Avenue Theatre (Russell & Drew, mgrs.) The Clay Baker Stock Co. in East Lynne 28-June 4. Next week, same company in Escaped From The Harlem.

Star Theatre (S. Morton Cobb, mgr.) Vaudeville, headed by Hillman, the noted magician; Ray Ogden, Kretoer, The Brandons, Helm Children, Karrera, European sketch artist; Nellie Gerin, and biograph pictures.

Orpheum Theatre (Thomas Conslidine, mgr.) Vaudeville. The bill this week includes Murray and Ward, Will C. Hoyt, The Manninas, The Great Richards, Cherrill, trick violinist; and new moving pictures.

Pantage's Theatre (Alex Pantage, mgr.) Vaudeville. Dick Gardner and Anna Revere, the Two Parrots, Blanchard and Almond, Jeanie Fletcher, The Great Jones, Leo White, and the bloosope pictures.

L. A. SHORTRIDGE.

WISCONSIN.

MILWAUKEE.—Wonderland, Milwaukee's new park, opened its gates to the public 27 and was crowded both afternoon and evening. The management has provided many attractions and the crowds will undoubtedly to to Wonderland this season.

Pabst Park opened for the season 27 and did a rushing business. Many new attractions are to be seen here this year.

Star Theatre. The Boston Ideals, including Marie Glover, Walter Chester & Co., Samuel Siegel, Marsh Craig and Gladys Van, gave good vaudeville bill week 28.

Bijou. The Moonshiner's Daughter drew crowded houses and pleased week 28. Next: James Boys in Missouri.

Alhambra. The old Thanhouser Co. gave a version of Sapho week 28 to large houses. Miss Evelyn and Albert Brown made decided hits in the leading roles. Next: She Stoops to Conquer. Items—Richard Carter will appear at Davidson June 4. * * * Creator and his Italian Band will open an engagement at the Exposition June 5. * * * Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' Circus 29; two packed tents.

A. F. EARNST.

WAUSAU.—Grand Opera House (C. S. Cone, mgr.) The Burgomaster 25; packed house, enthusiastic audience. Faber Stock Co. in Faustus Brose 23; good house. Lote H. Silvers' Minstrels 27; fair house. J. C. Lewis in St Plunkard 29; pleased good house. Nettie, The News-girl, June 1; good house.

Crystal Theatre (Mr. Stuart, mgr.) Good business at every performance. Bill week 29: Reaban and Dakin, song and dance; Baby Byrl Lyons, illustrated songs; Connor and Kelly, sketch artists; Lanning and Roewe, comedians, and Emerson and Ydial, musical artists.

STEVENS' POINT.—Grand Opera House (E. B. Johnson, mgr.) A Royal Slave (opera) 18; fair house. Ole Olson 24; good satisfaction. A Little Outcast 27; fair business. Irving French Stock Co. June 1-4.

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Saturday, June 10, 1905.

The week has witnessed a theatre fire in which one house was totally destroyed and another very badly damaged by the flames. The Grand Opera House in Pittsburg was filled with a matinee audience made up principally of women and children. Yet there was no panic. No one was injured. That all got out safely was due largely to the rare presence of mind exhibited by the management of the house. This was backed up strongly by the remarkable prowess and unselfishness of a couple of performers. The real danger did not lie in the fire itself. It almost never does. Mad confusion that follows the discovery of fire in a theatre is what causes the awful loss of life we have been accustomed to associate with such fires. In every instance it rests with the people behind the footlights to reassure the audience and set a good example by their own cool head-ness. But the people behind the footlights are not always equal to the emergency. Their minds are too often thrown into panic by the dread approach of danger. They do not realize their own strength to hold out against a catastrophe.

The attitude of W. A. Mortimer, May Duryea and the others who were instrumental through their heroic efforts in averting a panic at the fire in Pittsburg, is exceptional. They have performed an act of which they may always be proud. It is to be hoped they have set an example that will be followed with equally gratifying results whenever dire exigency shall require.

Since Magistrate Pool decided that James Metcalf has a case, the association of New York theatre managers will have to defend themselves against the charge of conspiracy. But it is not at all probable that they will allow the case to be threshed out in the Special Sessions. If they have not already done so by the time this issue of The Billboard reaches its readers, they will in all probability allow one of their members to be committed and get a trial by jury in the General Sessions. The managers want a precedent about as bad as Mr. Metcalf wants a verdict in his favor. In any event, the case will be carried up to the highest court. The managers anticipated trouble when they excluded "Life's" critic. They knew he would demand damages. But they want protection

against what they term opprobrious attacks from malicious reviewers. They believe that Mr. Metcalf has been unfair in his criticism of their policy and their productions. They believe they can make an example of him. There are other reviewers in New York who do not receive courtesies from these managers, and it is the purpose of the latter to show them that they can not even obtain admittance through the payment of the amount exacted from the public unless they are less drastic in their criticism. A suit for libel resulted in an adverse finding by the court, and any way it would not have decided the question in point. The progress of the trial will be observed with great interest by the press and the profession throughout the country.

The extent to which musical attractions have taken hold of amusement loving people is very remarkable. They have even given the melodrama second place. Stair & Havlin are not booking any of the latter class of attractions till they can get time for all the musical and farce-comedies available. Up to this time more than eighteen weeks of their time has been given over to the musical shows, five of which, at least, are burlesque attractions done over to suit the houses in which they will be presented. They are forced to play at melodrama prices, but what of that? They get the time, which is the chief item to be considered. The better melodramas will get in for their share, too.

Internecine strife has disrupted many a successful organization. Jealousy and envy are potent to destroy, and when they break out into open conflict the result is sure disintegration of the factors that, with harmony, would make for success. Such are the causes that have led to the announcement that W. A. Brady's All Round Chicago will close its run in the Windy City next Saturday, June 10. The attraction has been very popular. Its very popularity has been its undoing. The leading actors have fallen out among themselves. Verily an actor's pride does not walk hand in hand with his judgment.

The burlesque war wages fiercely on. Both sides are getting all the houses they can, and taking all they can get. An important event of the week was the meeting of the directors of the Empire Circuit in Cincinnati, when the plans of the company were gone over in detail. As a result of this meeting the Empire people announce that the entire Court Circuit, which includes practically all the houses west of Minneapolis in the northwest, will place the Empire's attractions. This is a very important acquisition if the report is true.

A London vaudeville manager has sprung an innovation by means of which he hopes to discover an occasional good act among the performers who have never appeared in the English metropolis. Once a week he gives a rehearsal or trial matinee, when all provincial and amateur performers who desire, may appear. Those who are worthy are given engagements.

Attention is called to The Billboard's new Law Department, in which all questions on legal points will be answered by the attorney in charge. We hope to make this department one of the most important and helpful features of this paper, which is always edited with the most solicitous consideration of its readers' needs.

If Couquelin should fall in his project to get the French Government to subsidize his absolutely fireproof theatre, let him bring it over to the United States. District Attorney Jerome might influence our government to build such a house in New York, just to make it a standard in revising the building laws.

At one time this season Shakespeare's plays were being produced simultaneously in five of London's West End theatres. In all cases the financial results were good, too. Compare this with conditions in New York and Chicago.

So Rome is to have a permanent stock company! Strange she has never had one before. Within a century Italy

may have a stock "wheel" with the Eternal City as the hub, like the one we are getting up in America.

The rumors of a Shubert-Belasco-La Shelle combination, which were silenced by Kirke LaShelle's death, are now followed by the uncertain announcement that the Shubert Brothers and David Belasco will ally forces.

Once again the theatre ticket scalpers in Chicago are resting easy. The question is whether Governor Deneen would have signed the bills if they had reached him in proper shape, and will they get to him again?

It is utterly impossible to keep account of all the hippodromes that are to be built throughout the country on paper.

MANAGERS HELD FOR TRIAL

Magistrate Pool last week handed down a decision that twenty-four members of the Theatrical Managers' Association must stand trial on the charge of conspiracy preferred against them by James Metcalf, editor and dramatic critic of "Life," for excluding him from their theatres.

The defendants are:

Marc Klaw, Abraham L. Erlanger, Oscar Hammerstein, Daniel Frohman, Charles M. Burnham, Joseph K. Brooks, Heinrich Conrad, James H. Curtin, Martin Dickson, Frank McKee, J. W. Rosenquest, A. L. Braden, Joseph L. Springer, Lee Teller, W. C. Watson, Percy Williams, W. C. Jordan, Alf. Hayman, George Kraus, E. E. Stair, W. F. Keogh, Al. L. Lichtenstein, Antonio Pastor, Henry B. Harris.

In his decision Magistrate Pool says: "I hold that any member of the association, whether present or not at the meeting, who either directly or indirectly carried out its resolve or threatened to do so, or who prevented the complainant from entering their respective theatres on his presenting himself for admission, is liable on the same charge as if present and voting."

"It is claimed by the defendants that theatres are private property and not public places, and that therefore they had a legal right to exclude the complainant. I am of the opinion that a theatre is a quasi-public place, and in that respect differs from an individual castle. It is and has been my uniform rule so to treat and consider theatres as such by punishing persons who commit disorderly conduct therein. I think that has been the rule of my brother magistrates in cases where the offense charged was committed in a theatre. The theatres owned by the defendants or managed by them are devoted to the use of the public and rightfully are at least quasi-public places."

"Section 383 of the penal code states 'theatres, or other public places' under head of 'public places.'"

It is contended by the theatrical men that a theatre ticket is a personal license, revocable at any time. They cited the opinion of the appellate division in the case of a ticket speculator against the Knickerbocker Theatre. Magistrate Pool says in that particular case that notices had been conspicuously displayed, saying tickets purchased or sold by speculators would be refused at the box office, and adds that whether or not a ticket is a license, revocable at the pleasure of the vendor or not before the court as is that case, its opinion is not binding on a lower court.

He concludes: "I hold a person can not be denied admission to a theatre solely on the ground that he had written criticisms reflecting on one or more of the members of the theatre managers' association."

Counsel for the defendants will undoubtedly sue for writs of habeas corpus and certiorari, so that the case may be reviewed by the Supreme Court. To do this it will be necessary for one of the defendants to be committed, as a misdemeanor is charged, as the case now stands, triable by Special Sessions, unless the case be transferred to the General Sessions for jury trial.

After Magistrate Pool's decision had been given, Mr. Metcalf called at the Knickerbocker Theatre with his wife, for a test. He was again refused admittance although it was offered to refund his money or to admit his wife on the tickets. He retained the tickets saying they would be of further use to him.

CASINO WILL REOPEN

Mary Rhodes Injured—John Church Takes Vacation—Gaskill Carnival Train Wrecked.

The Casino Theatre, New York, which has been closed for several months on account of the damage done to the interior by fire during a rehearsal of Fisher and Ryley's Florodora company, is now undergoing repairs that involve a complete remodeling.

It is probable that The Earl and The Girl will open at the Casino as originally planned.

The orchestra floor will be brought down level with the ground and the

space now occupied by a cafe will be made into an elegant Broadway lobby, with Shubert Brothers' local offices opening out of it.

The lease held by Shubert Brothers has eight years more to run.

The cost of the repairs, amounting to \$40,000, will be shared equally by the Bixby estate, owners of the building, and Shubert Brothers, lessees.

John P. Church, general agent of Thompson & Dundy's New York Hippodrome and Luna Park, is enjoying a three weeks' vacation at his home in Hennepin, Ill.

Mary Rhodes, a high swinging ladder performer with the John Robinson Shows, was seriously injured by falling into the reserved seat section on her head and shoulders during the performance at Cortland, N. Y., June 1. The accident was due to the breaking of a toe-strap.

Miss Rhodes was placed in a hospital at Ithaca, N. Y.. Her home is in Maysville, Ky.

An accident that might have resulted in a catastrophe overtook the Gaskill Carnival Company en route to Topeka, Kansas, June 4. While passing through the Santa Fe railroad yards at Atchison one of the cars left the track, overturning three others. Several people were injured, none seriously.

CHICAGO HIPPODRÔME RUMORS

Hippodromes and rumors of hippodromes. Wide publicity has been given by the Chicago newspapers to the announcement that Joe Weber, formerly of Weber & Felds, has organized a company of New York and Chicago capitalists to build a \$1,400,000 hippodrome in Chicago. A persistent rumor has it that the block upon which the old Cleveland Theatre building now stands is the proposed site for this latest amusement exploitation.

CALAMITY AVERTED

Governor Deenan, of Illinois, last week vetoed Benjamin Mitchell's anti-theatre-ticket scalping bills, which reached the governor in such muddled form that if they had been approved no theatre box office in the state could sell a ticket without breaking the law.

BIRTHS.

Daniels—To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Daniels, known professionally as Will Danforth and Norma Kopp, at Syracuse, N. Y., May 20, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

Darnaby-Saunders—Mr. J. A. Darnaby to Miss Annie Saunders. Notice appears in another column of this issue.

Simmons-Rhoda—In Philadelphia, Lew Simmons, the well known minstrel man, to Miss Sallie Rhoda, of Allentown, Pa.

Swentzel-Rogers—Frank Swentzel, a well known chauffeur, to Claudia Rogers, a professional, both of San Francisco.

Higgins-Towne—Myron A. Higgins, of Baltimore, to Miss V. Towne, of the Wizard of Oz Company.

DEATHS.

Rose Joy Stewart, known professionally as Rose Aguinado, a contortionist, who has been playing in vaudeville, while appearing at the Grand Opera House, Pittsburg, Pa., suddenly became ill on Wednesday and died Thursday, June 1, from heart failure. Miss Stewart was a native of New Zealand and has exhibited in every part of Australia and the Orient.

Lacy C. Mason, formerly a well known circus man, and for several years contracting agent for Gentry Brothers Dog and Pony Show, which position he was forced to give up about a year ago owing to his health, died at Cairo, Ill., of consumption. At different times he has held responsible positions with the Wallace and Forepaugh-Sells Brothers Shows. He was thirty-one years of age and is survived by his wife, a four-year-old daughter, Grace, his mother, two brothers and two sisters.

Miss Pauline Claus, 19, died at her home in St. Paul, Minn., May 26, of tuberculosis. Miss Claus was a member of the Jolly Grass Widows Co., and has also been connected with The Highrollers, Watson's Orientals, and for a long time played in stock in Chicago. She is a sister of Martha and Ella Claus, the latter of Clans and Montez.

R. B. Roberts, a member of the North American Bill Posters' Association and president of the Newark Billposting Co., died suddenly at his home in Newark, N. J., recently of heart disease. Mr. Roberts was taken sick in Philadelphia and hurried to his home in Newark.

Mathew Gallagher, manager of the Unique Theatre, Minneapolis, Minn., died at St. Barnabas' hospital, May 27, of complications resulting from an operation for appendicitis, performed several weeks ago.

Herbert T. Staples, known professionally as Charles E. Weston, died recently at Lawrence, Mass. Particulars appear in another column of this issue.

Mrs. Carl Stecher, 38, for three years violin soloist with the Theodore Thomas Orchestra, died at Logansport, Ind., May 26.

PITTSBURG DISASTER

While over a thousand people were witnessing a vaudeville performance in the Grand Opera House, Pittsburgh, Pa., about four o'clock, Friday, June 2, a fire broke out in the Avenue Theatre, which adjoins the Grand, and in two hours the Avenue was a ruined and smoking mass, while the Grand was greatly damaged. Mortimer and Duryea were just finishing their act when fire was discovered in the files of the Avenue. A rush was made to clear the Grand of its audience and those in the rear of the house were admonished to get out of the house as quickly as possible. At the same time Manager Harry Davis, the ushers and some who had sufficient presence of mind applauded for an encore, and word was sent to the stage for the team to continue playing. In this way those in the front part of the house knew nothing of the fire above them until all in the back of the house were out. The entire roof was a mass of flames before everyone was out of the Grand.

Mr. Frank C. Young, of the team of Young and DeVole, was overcome by the shock and was hustled to the hospital. Geo. Housman, stage hand, and John McGregor, engineer at the Grand, were overcome by smoke though their condition never became serious.

Credit for averting a panic is in a great measure due to Mr. W. A. Mortimer, who supported Miss Duryea, almost fainting, while the audience applauded. Had they not kept the attention of the audience, a panic would surely have followed.

The loss of the theatres will amount to about \$150,000, with \$95,000 insurance. The Avenue was completely destroyed, the four walls only remaining. The Grand was greatly damaged in front. These theatres were the oldest in the city, both being built in 1860. The Grand was originally managed by Ellsler & Gotthold, and was for years the only first-class theatre in the city. Later it became the home of the Davis Stock Co., and this season has been used for vaudeville. The Avenue was originally Odd Fellows' Hall, and afterwards became the Lyceum. Pat Harris installed a museum in the building, and Mr. Davis afterwards leased the house, naming it the Avenue.

Mr. Harry Davis, manager of both houses, has a fifteen year lease on them. The lease has run two years. Mr. Davis announces that work will begin at once upon the rebuilding of both houses.

COTTON CONDITIONS

The report of the Southern Cotton Association, issued last week, shows that conditions are very bad. The report says:

The estimated acreage of 1904, as indicated by the report of the United States Government, amounted to 81,730,000 acres. The decrease in acreage for 1905, as shown by our tabulated statement, which was compiled from 17,754 individual reports from farmers, merchants, bankers and others throughout the cotton belt, fixes the acreage at 25,980,951 acres. A decrease of 18.13 per cent. and 16.05 per cent. in fertilizers.

The condition of the crop, as reported for Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, the territories and portions of Mississippi, are unprecedentedly bad, much of the acreage reported in these states being yet unplanted and large tracts either under water or badly washed by heavy rains.

In the eastern portion of the cotton belt the fields generally are grassy, the cotton still unchopped and labor scarce throughout the entire belt. The officers of the association expressed the highest commendation of the loyalty of the farmers throughout the cotton territory, in so fully living up to their promises and pledges, in bringing about so material reduction in the cotton acreage and the use of commercial fertilizers under cotton for 1905.

The present demand for cotton is unprecedented, and with a firm and determined stand higher prices for the staple will be secured in the near future.

A LETTER FROM AUSTRALIA

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Sydney, N. S. W., May 8, 1905. Two of the cleverest artists that ever stepped before the footlights sail by the Canadian steamer Aorangi, May 15, for the land of the Stars and Stripes, to make a name for themselves among the American people, such as they hold in England and Australia. These two artists are the wonderful and mysterious Howard Brothers, of the Crystal Palace of London. They were engaged in London to appear for twelve months in Australia with Messrs. Worth Bros.' Circus, but at the end of the first engagement they proved themselves to be the greatest magnet that the show has

ever had, and were re-engaged for another twelve months. This not in, without doubt, one of the cleverest in the thought reading line that has ever been seen in Australia, and the fact that they have been drawing crowded houses for the past three years is sufficient guarantee that their act is no ordinary one. During their career these brothers have submitted themselves to the searching test of many thousands of eyes, and though all kinds of theories and speculations have been advanced, the Howard Brothers remain just as mysterious to-day as when they gave a medical ecceance before five hundred doctors in London, in 1900.

At Her Majesty's Theatre the Royal Comic Opera Co. completed, on May 5, a ten weeks' run of The Orchid, and on May 7 opened with a magnificent production of The Cingalee. The already strong company has been strengthened for this production by several special engagements, among which are Miss Margaret Thomas, who achieved such success with the recent Parkins-Foldesay Concert Co.; Miss Rose Mngrove and Mr. John Dorn, specially imported from England. The company proceeds to western Australia in June.

At the Theatre Royal, the Knight-Jeffries Co. closed with A Royal Divorce, May 5, and opened with If I Were King, May 6. They play a short engagement at Brisbane, then at Adelaide, en route to western Australia, after which they will probably visit New Zealand. The Gilbert & Sullivan Co., which has been touring New Zealand, returns to Sydney in June, then plays a season in Brisbane and Melbourne, after which they go to western Australia.

The Tittell Brune Co., headed by the young American Star, Miss Tittle Brune, who has been electrifying Australian audiences nightly since she joined the company last August, is now playing at the Princess Theatre, Melbourne. Her repertoire includes Sunday, L'Algon, Camille, Theodors, Romeo and Juliet, Second Mrs. Tanqueray, Leah Kleschna, Merely Mary Ann and others. In June her company will begin a short tour of New Zealand.

Andrew Mack, the Irish comedian from America, opened at Her Majesty's Theatre, Melbourne, April 15, in Tom Moore, and met with a most enthusiastic reception. After a run of three weeks with this offering, he presented The Road to Kenmare, May 6. He comes to Sydney in June.

Anderson's Dramatic Co. opened April 22 at the Palace Theatre, Sydney, with A Girl's Cross Roads, by Walter Melville, to big business. Miss Eugenie Dugan is the star. They closed with this May 12, and opened 13 in The Female Swindler, by the same author and with the same star. They play eight weeks at this theatre, and then go to the Royal for twelve months.

The Criterion, newly decorated and rebuilt, is one of the prettiest theatres in the southern hemisphere, and opened April 22, with George Stephenson's Co. in The Skirt Dancer; business continues big. Mr. Geo. Luri, Miss May Beaty and Mr. McNaughton have the principal parts.

Harry Rickards' Tivoli Theatre is proving a little gold mine for its owner, who deserves success. The new artists who appeared at this house May 6 are Little Tich, who returned for a thirteen nights' engagement and a positive farewell; Net Travels, genuine coster comedian; Max Millan, European equilibrist; W. F. Hawtry and Miss Winifred Austin in Sixes and Sevens, and Miss Alice Pierce, the American impressionist. Mr. Rickards sails for Europe on the India, May 27, to return via the United States.

Mr. Frank M. Clark, an American, formerly with Ad. Ryman, Clark & Ryman's Minstrels, opened with his Folly Co., from the Gaiety Theatre, Melbourne, at Queen's Hall, Sydney, May 20. DR. W. H. H. LANE.

LATE ITEMS FROM CHICAGO

The Hines, Blake & Willard Syndicate of Shows have started all Chicago talking about the Willard Temple of Music and the Blake Dog, Pony and Monkey Circus. The White City opened with these two attractions at its head in the popular priced amusements, and in the first three days these thrilling shows earned for their promoters and owners the splendid sum of \$3,680. People crushed and squeezed and fought for admittance. It was wonderful. And the success of this auspicious opening of these splendid attractions is not only very gratifying to Messrs. Hines, Blake & Willard, but also reflects great credit upon Mr. Geo. H. Hines, the hustling business manager, whose experience in handling amusement institutions has placed him in the foremost rank of the profession at large.

In connection with the Victor Krenmer Co., Chicago, we learn that Mr. Morris Manley is just in from a triumphal trip on the

Kohl & Castle Circuit. He worked in all the cities of importance and received applause and praise for his new popular song, Just For Fun. Mr. Manley is a well liked man in professional circles, and the surety of his Just For Fun becoming a hit is certain. Not only has his song the goods, but he has friends to help make it a hit. Mr. Theron C. Bennett, the popular young composer, who has charge of the city branches for the Victor Krenmer Co., has returned from an extended trip in the west and reports great success on Just For Fun and his new coon song, Gravy.

The many friends of Mr. George H. Hines will be pleased to know that his attractions at White City, Chicago, are reaping a harvest. There are none more popular in the amusement business than Mr. Hines, and his long association with the white tents has armed him with a deal of experience and information which is coming in good stead now that he has branched out on a large scale in the park business.

Having severed his connection with the J. T. McCaddon Great International Shows, now on tour in France, Mr. C. W. McCurren has returned to this country and arrived in Chicago from Paris, Saturday, June 3.

Blanche Hilliard has severed her connection with the McCaddon Great International Shows now touring France, and has returned to America.

The Bodkin Brothers are meeting with merited success on Chicago lots. With first-class equipment throughout, and under careful, conservative management, the organization is running along smoothly and should enjoy a profitable season. WARREN A. PATRICK.

ADDITIONAL NEW YORK NEWS

Four of our first-class theatres remain open. Mme. Schumann-Helk begins her Academy of Music engagement Monday night. The Fourteenth Street Theatre will try summer stock beginning the same evening. The first of our roof garden entertainments begin on Monday night, also. New Yorkers are preparing for their summer vacation and theatrical amusements are now simply an incident.

Hain's and Vidocq have dissolved partnership. Nat Haines will work alone in Sandville. T. J. Cannon has ended his engagement as general agent of the Boer War and is in New York for the summer. Harry Fentelle and Claude Radcliffe have formed a vaudeville partnership for summer park engagements. The entire cast of The Music Master has been re-engaged by David Belasco to support David Warfield, opening at the Bijou, September 2, to continue the run of the play which ended Saturday night, last. Gerald Griffin sailed for Europe Saturday morning, to tour the Continent for six weeks.

Proctor's Twenty-third Street Theatre will have the Great Lafayette and his superior vaudeville organization as its feature for the week of June 5. Besides the incomparable Lafayette, the bill will include the Four Mortons, May Robson, Ward and Curran, the Three Tasmanians, Ooby and Way, Rose Aguilardo and Howard and North. Elita Proctor Otis, supported by the stock, in Oliver Twist, at the Forty-eighth Street; Charley's Aunt, at the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street, and Harry Woodruff and Katherine Gray, with stock support, at the Fifth Avenue will be the other Proctor bills.

The National Printing Co. offices in the Times Building shelters Geo. Gill, who is booking Annie Blanche, in her new play, Fighting Fate; Walter & Matthews, who will present Hine and Nix on one night stands; John Stout, who is looking after the McCauley-Patton interests; W. O. Cunningham, who will put out a new melodrama; Geo. Samuels, who has taken a new lease of theatrical life; Howard Hall, who will again present The Millionaire Detective, and Ed. E. Salter and Ambrose Miller, with their attractions. These are days of many bookings and radiant hopes.

There is renewed gossip of an alliance between the Belasco and Shubert forces for the coming season. The death of Kirk LaShelle is said to have stopped negotiations which pointed to a Belasco-Shubert-LaShelle combination of formidable proportions. Theodore Gemble has been engaged as leading man with the Belasco & Mayer Stock Co. at the Central Theatre, San Francisco. Florence Gerald is a member of the stock at the Alcazar, in Frisco. The Actors' Church Alliance concluded its sixth annual convention at St. Chrysostom's Chapel last Friday. Walter Damrosch was fined \$1,000 by the musical union for bringing over four French musicians to play in his orchestra. He paid the money and the Frenchmen were admitted to the inner circle of unionism.

Fred C. Henderson will have another big vaudeville bill at his Coney Island house this week. In the list will be The Scottish Trio, Reid and Wilson, Goets and Nelson, Francee Gerard, the Melani Trio, Chas. F. Lowe, Henshaw and Francioli, the Grand Opera Trio, Harper, Desmond and Bully, Almont and Dumont, the Husking Bee, John Dempsey and Chester B. Johnson.

The Huntley & Cummings Stock Co. will open a summer engagement of two plays a week at Newport, E. I., June 19. Capt. Swift and Lord Chumley dividing the first week. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cummings will play the leads. The Yorkville Theatre Stock Co. ended its season Saturday night. Will R. Walling has been re-engaged as next season's leading man. John Rabold and Patrick Barrett, late of the Mortimer Snow Stock Co., have gone west to appear in stock at the Grand Opera House, San Francisco. James Neil and wife have left for the coast to play a stock star engagement with Harry W. Bishop's company at the Majestic, San Francisco, and Ye Liberty Theatre, Oakland. Geo. Lask has been engaged to direct the productions at the Grand Opera House, San Francisco.

Will Hill, high wire expert, has been engaged to appear twice a day during the entire season at Luna Park. Attractions for this week are Mons. Leggett, The Jack Theo. Trio, The Three Madcaps, The Breakaway Barlowes, Le Venion, The Be Anos, The Great Lynch, The La Delee, and Françoise, Danelloh and Balbo. Bostock's trained animal exhibit is playing to ca-

pacify business. The Boer Wer at Brighton Beach Park has made a great hit and is playing to capacity business. Dreamland and all of Coney Island is prosperous in accord with the weather, which has not, thus far, been extra propitious.

The Alhambra, in Harlem, will have for the week of June 5 The Magnolia Family, Clement Deleon, Cole and Johnson, Walter C. Kelley, Jacob Adler & Co., The Zanzigs, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew, Melville and Stetson, and Giliatti's trained animals.

Brighton Beach Music Hall, again under the management of Wm. T. Grover, will open its summer season next Saturday night, June 10, with Wilfred Clark & Co., James Harrigan, Rapoli, Bissert and Scott, Belle Hathaway, Melrose Sisters, The Three LaMaze Brothers, and Charlotte Ravenscroft.

Midland Beach, North Beach and South Beach will open Sunday, June 4, for the summer season. Contorno and his band are giving summer night concerts at Terrace Garden.

Henry Miller will head the bill at the Colonial for the week of June 5. Cberida Simpson, Callahan and Mack, Dockstader's Tabloid Minstrels, The Three Nevaros, Sherman and DeForest, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barry, Mayme Remington, and Paul Stephens will complete the bill.

Keith's Union Square Theatre will have for its headliner Clayton White, Marie Sturt & Co. in Paris; Geo. Evans, Arthur and Mildred Boylan, Keno, Welch and Melrose, Louise Brehaner, Paulton and Dooley, Louis Wesley, Dudley and Cheslyn, Baney and Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lueker, Geo. Husay and Gilday and Fox.

At Tony Pastor's the performance during the week of June 5 will be given by Coyne, Ardell, Lawrence and Edwards, Adami and Taylor, Mills and Morris, The LePages, Bert Barker, Schaefer, Stillwell and Schafer, Daly and Devere, Archer and Croker, The Escher Sisters, Willis Gardner, Carl Braemer and others.

Vaudeville at the Metropolis will continue during the week of June 5, with Bedini and Arthur, The Watermelon Trust, Tascott, Renner and Gander, The Three Hickmann Brothers, Bertha Allison, Lawrence and Harrington, Browning, Welp & Co. and others.

Hammerstein's Paradise Roof Garden for the opening of its summer season week of June 5, will offer To-To, a European musical importation; Louise Gunning, Spessard's Bears, Stuart, The Male Patti, Katie Rooney and Girls; Patty Brothers, Gallati's trained monkeys, The Three Yocaras, The Four Avalos, Ye Colonial Septet, Bud Snyder, Copper and Robinson, Mlle. Mariba, and The Taylor Twin Sisters.

The Lion Palace Roof Garden opened last Monday evening. Unfavorable weather interfered with the attendance. Wilson and Boom have the lease, with Louis Lesser as business manager. The opening bill included Alice Shaw, The Three Lane Sisters, Mitchell and Cain, Shorty and Lillian DeWitt, Paul Stephens, Barto and LaFerty, The Quintans and Laura Davis. The hit of the bill was made by The Three Lane Sisters, who offer an acrobatic dancing, aerial burlesque and general tumbling specialty, decidedly out of the ordinary and vastly entertaining. Barto and LaFerty presented an exceedingly neat and cleverly executed dancing specialty of merit, and won pronounced and well merited favor. WALTER K. HILL.

Law Department

In this department of The Billboard all legal questions will be answered on domestic relations, wills, contracts, criminal and general Theatrical Law. Name and address must accompany each communication, names will not be published if so desired. Subscribers are requested to ask any questions on the above subjects, which should be addressed to the Law Editor, The Billboard, 1440 Broadway, New York City.

A marries B, a widow with one son. Since their marriage they acquired property, the deed being taken in the name of A. What interest, if any, has B's son in the property? F. M. S.

No interest. B's son could not inherit from A.

A has a wife and six children, and owns real estate and personal property. Can he make a will that gives his children an equal or greater share of his estate than that given to his wife? D. E.

He can, but on his death his widow would have the option of taking the provision made her by the will, or taking her dower interest in his real estate and distribute shares of his personal property.

Can a landlord compel a tenant to pay a full month's rent when tenant only uses the flat half a month, and notified the landlord twelve days before he moved, and also gave the landlord the privilege of showing the flat to other people during that time? If so, can the amount due be collected from the tenant when he has nothing to depend upon his wages? R. C.

If the tenant rented by the month, the full month's rent can be collected, notwithstanding the notice and privilege given to the landlord. The tenant's wages can be garnished, and ten per cent. per week can be recovered until the debt is discharged.

ROUTES AHEAD.

"The Billboard" forwards mail to all professional free of charge. Members of the profession are invited alike on the road to have their mail addressed in care of "The Billboard" and it will be promptly forwarded.

DRAMATIC ROUTES.

Anglin, Margaret: Denver, Col., 5-10.
 Adair, Gregg & Adair, Johnny Adair, mgr.: Graton, Va., June 1, indef.
 Albee Stock Co.: E. P. Albee, mgr.: Providence, R. I., May 1, indef.
 Alcazar Stock Co.: Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
 Arcade Stock Co.: Toledo, O., indef.
 A Yankee Circus on Mars and The Raiders: New York City, April 13, indef.
 An Aristocratic Tramp, Kilroy & Britton, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., June 4, indef.
 Baker Theatre Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., May 27, indef.
 Baldwin-Melville Stock Co.: Buffalo, N. Y., indef.
 Baldwin-Melville Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Belasco & Meyer Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., indef.
 Bellows Stock Co.: Denver, Col., May 23, indef.
 Belasco Theatre, Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Benton's Comedians, Perce B. Benton, mgr.: Moskogue, I. T., indef.
 Bernard, Sam, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: New York City, May 1, indef.
 Bijou Theatre: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Bishop's Players: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
 Blair, Eugene: Toronto, Can., May 29, indef.
 Bohman Stock Co.: New Albany, Ind., indef.
 Bowdoin Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., indef.
 Broadway Dramatic Co., Frank Reicher, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., May 29, indef.
 Broadway Stock Co., Malcolm Williams, mgr.: Worcester, Mass., May 1, indef.
 Buffington Stock Co.: Fall River, Mass., indef.
 Burbank Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Berry Stock Co.: Miles Berry, mgr.: Elwood, Ind., 5-10; Frankfort 12-17.
 Booth, Virginia, A. B. O. Crawford, mgr.: Elwood, Pa., 5-10; Grove City 12-17.
 Breckenridge Stock Co.: Eau Claire, Wis., 5-10.
 Bessey, Jack Stock Co., J. F. Jersey, mgr.: Okaloosa, Fla., 4-10.
 Brandon Theatre (Eastern), Howard R. Brandon, mgr.: Spring Valley, Wis., 4-10.
 Brandon Theatre (Western), Howard R. Brandon, mgr.: Lindstrom, Minn., 4-10.
 Bennett-Moulton Stock Co.: Winchester, Va., 5-10.
 Clifford, Billy, C. F. Whitaker, mgr.: Nashville, Tenn., 5-17.
 Carter's Comedians, F. C. Carter, mgr.: Mineral Wells, Tex., 29-June 10.
 Colonial Stock Co.: Sherbrooke, Can., 5-10.
 Cutter Stock Co.: Wallace R. Cutter, mgr.: Mansfield, O., 5-17.
 Checkers, with Thomas W. Ross: Pittsburg, Pa., 29-June 10.
 Crossman, Herietta: St. Thomas, Can., 7.
 Woodstock S. Bradford: St. Hamilton 10.
 Caldwell Stock Co.: Omaha, Neb., May 13, indef.
 Calumet Stock Co., John T. Connor, mgr.: South Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Clarke, Harry Corson: Pueblo, Col., May 30-July 8.
 Collier, William, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: London, Eng., May 29, indef.
 Castle Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., indef.
 Caselle's French Dramatic Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Central Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
 Clayton, Una Stock Co.: Montreal, Can., indef.
 Colonial Stock Co.: Cleveland, O., indef.
 Columbia Stock Co.: Newark, N. J., indef.
 Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Washington, D. C., May 15, indef.
 Cook's Opera House Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., indef.
 Cincinnati Stock Co., Geo. F. Fish, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, indef.
 Courtney Stock Co., Wm. Courtney, mgr.: Albany, N. Y., May 1, indef.
 Courtney Stock Co.: Duluth, Minn., indef.
 Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Cal., indef.
 Cushman & St. Claire Stock Co.: St. Joseph, Mo., indef.
 Court Square Stock Co., Bobt. H. Keller, mgr.: Scranton, Pa., indef.
 Davis, Harry Stock Co.: Pittsburg, Pa., indef.
 DeVeron, Vail, Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., indef.
 Diemer Theatre Stock Co.: Springfield, Mo., indef.
 DeVoss, Flora (No. 2) J. B. Rotnour, mgr.: Ashland, Wis., May 29, indef.
 Douglas, Byron, Stock Co.: Toledo, O., April 23, indef.
 Dilger-Cornell, W. E. Cornell, mgr.: Sayre, Pa., June 5-July 8.
 Drew, John, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., 29-June 10.
 DeVonte, Chester, Stock Co., Phil Levy, mgr.: Halifax, N. S., 30-June 10.
 Davis, Laura, Natchez, Miss., 5-17.
 Dora Thorne, Rowland & Clifford, mgrs.: Minneapolis, Minn., 4-10.
 Eckhardt & Hawkins Ideals: Tacoma, Wash., June 4, indef.
 Edwards, Walter, Wells, Dunne & Harlan, mgrs.: Richmond, Va., May 29, indef.
 Empire Stock Co., Max Falkenhauer, mgr.: Cleveland, O., Feb. 20, indef.
 Empire Theatre Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., indef.
 Farnum, Wm. Stock Co.: Buffalo, N. Y., March 8, indef.
 Fawcett Stock Co., George Fawcett, mgr.: New York City, May 1, indef.
 Fenberg Stock Co., Geo. M. Fenberg, mgr.: Portland, Me., indef.
 Ferris Stock Co.: Minneapolis, Minn., indef.
 Ferris, Dick, Stock Co.: San Francisco, Cal., May 1, indef.
 Ferris Stock Co.: Omaha, Neb., May 14, indef.
 Fielding Stock Co.: Indianapolis, Ind., May 15, indef.
 Fiske & Stock: St. John, N. B., April 17, indef.
 Fleming, Mamie, W. H. Gracey, mgr.: Atlantic City, N. J., June 5, indef.
 Forepaugh Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 8, indef.
 Fulton Bros. Stock Co., Jack P. Gilnea, mgr.: Lincoln, Neb., June 5-Sept. 2.

Ferris Stock Co., Dick Ferris, mgr.: St. Paul, Minn., 21-June 10.
 Fiske, Mrs. and the Manhattan Co., Harrison Gray Fiske, prop. and mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., 5-17.
 French-Irving, Don Macmillan, mgr.: Wausau, Wis., 5-17; Antigo 8-10.
 Frawley, Timothy: Leadville, Col., 7; Grand Junction 8; Salt Lake City, Utah, 9-10.
 Goodwin, N. C., Geo. J. Appleton, mgr.: Los Angeles, Cal., 7-10; San Francisco 12-24.
 Grindett-Davis, D. E. Grindell, mgr.: Merrill, Wis., 5-10.
 Garrick Dramatic Co.: Ssginaw, Mich., May 8, indef.
 German Theatre Stock Co., Heineman & Webb, mgrs.: St. Louis, Mo., indef.
 Glaser, Vaughan, Stock Co., A. C. Robinson, bus. mgr.: Detroit, Mich., May 14, indef.
 Goodhue Stock Co.: Louisville, Ky., May 15, indef.
 Grattan & DeVernon Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., indef.
 Hall, Don C.: Chicago, Ill., May 25-June 25.
 Hamilton & Thompson's Stock Co.: Lynn, Mass., May 22, indef.
 Harper, Georgia & Co., Harper & Detrick, mgrs.: Santa Barbara, Cal., May 5, indef.
 Harris-Parkinson Stock Co., Bobt. H. Harris, mgr.: New Orleans, La., May 7, indef.
 Hamford, Charles B., F. Lawrence Walker, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 29, indef.
 Hart's Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Hathaway Theatre Stock Co.: New Bedford, Mass., May 1, indef.
 Hall, Laura, Nelson: Columbus, O., May 29, indef.
 Hayward, Grace, Stock Co., Carmontelle & Kress, mgrs.: Omaha, Neb., May 8-Sept. 2.
 Heath Stock Co., George Heath, mgr.: Rochester, N. Y., May 29, indef.
 Heirs to the Hoobar, Kirke LaSelle, mgr.: New York City, April 10, indef.
 His Father's Sin, Jed Carlton, mgr.: Sandwich, Ont., indef.
 Holden Stock Co., Holden Bros., mgrs.: Indianapolis, Ind., May 15, indef.
 Hopkins Stock Co., A. B. Morrison, mgr.: Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 19, indef.
 Holland, Mildred, Edward C. White, mgr.: Buffalo, N. Y., May 29, indef.
 Howard Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., April 24, indef.
 Hoyt's Comedy Co., H. G. Allen, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 22-July 17.
 Hunter-Bradford Players: Hartford, Conn., June 1, indef.
 Huntington-DeDeyn: Lowell, Mass., May 22, indef.
 Huntley Entertainers, Ben Huntley, mgr.: Fox Lake, Wis., 5-7; Portage 8-10.
 Herald Square Stock Co., Ritter & Fanshawe, mgrs.: Woodstock, N. B., 5-10; St. Andrews 12-17.
 Hunt Stock Co., M. A. Hunt, mgr.: Oneboyan, Mich., 5-10; Pellston 12-17.
 Harrington Stock Co., E. A. Harrington, mgr.: Princeton, Ind., 5-10.
 Imperial Stock Co., Geo. H. Hamilton, mgr.: San Antonio, Tex., indef.
 Imperial Theatre Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., May 29, indef.
 Jenkins, Clare, J. W. Leigh & C. J. Moore, mgrs.: Arapahoe, Okla., 5-10; Gary 12-17.
 Jackson's Comedians: Mobile, Ala., 29-June 10.
 James Boys in Mission, Frank Gatzold, mgr.: Milwaukee, Wis., 4-10.
 Klitty, Geo. C. Dent, mgr.: Stevens Point, Wis., 7; Plainfield 8; Waupaca 9; Kaukauna 10; Green Bay 11.
 Kingsley-Russell, E. B. Russell, mgr.: Mattoon, Ill., 5-10; Bloomington 12-17.
 Keim, Adelaide, Stock Co., Edw. E. Gerlinger, mgr.: New York City, May 22, indef.
 Keith Stock Co., Del Lawrence, mgr.: Spokane, Wash., Feb. 5, indef.
 Keller Stock Co., A. M. Keller, mgr.: Trinidad, Col., March 28-Aug. 12.
 Klark Urban Stock Co., Fred Graham, bus. mgr.: Binghamton, N. Y., May 29, indef.
 Lafayette Stock Co., Dr. M. Campbell, mgr.: Detroit, Mich., April 30, indef.
 Lyceum Stock Co., E. G. Grosjean, mgr.: Texarkana, Tex., 29-June 10.
 Lewis, Dorothy: Saranac Lake, N. Y., 12-17.
 Mallory, Clifton: Weedsport, N. Y., 7-9.
 McDonald Stock Co., G. W. McDonald, mgr.: Santa Fe, N. Mex., 5-10; Las Vegas 12-17.
 McAniff, Jere, Harry Katsza, mgr.: New Glasgow, N. S., 5-7; Westville 8; Truro 9-10; Halifax 12-17.
 My Friend Hogan: Saranac Lake, N. Y., 8.
 Marka Stock Co., Tom Marks, mgr.: Eveleth, Minn., 5-10.
 My Wife's Family, I. Seldenberg, mgr.: Saginaw, Mich., 4-7.
 Mansfield, Richard: Detroit, Mich., 5-7.
 Marks Bros., R. W. Marks, mgr.: Perth, Can., May 8, indef.
 Mathes, Clara: Vancouver, B. C., indef.
 Milwaukee German Theatre Stock Co.: St. Paul, Minn., May 8, indef.
 Mong, William V.: Seattle, Wash., April 9-June 17.
 Mordant's Stock Co., Edwin Mordant, mgr.: Syracuse, N. Y., May 1, indef.
 Morey Stock Co.: Keokuk, Ia., May 29, indef.
 Morosco, Oliver, Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Moore's Stock Co., Frank A. Moore, mgr.: Rock Point, Pa., May 29, indef.
 Murray & Mackey, John J. Murray, mgr.: Parkersburg, W. Va., April 24, indef.
 National Stock Co., Col. Geo. H. Hamilton, mgr.: Hot Springs, Ark., May 21, indef.
 National Theatre Stock Co.: Dayton, O., indef. May 1, indef.
 New Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Col., May 8, indef.
 New People's Stock Co., Fred Conrad, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4, indef.
 New York Players, Hunter & Bradford, mgrs.: Worcester, Mass., May 15, indef.
 Nettie, The Newgirl, O. F. Gould, mgr.: St. Paul, Minn., 4-10; Minneapolis 12-17.
 Old Arkansas (Fred Raymond's): Merle H. Norton, mgr.: Michigan, Mich., 7; L'Anse 9; Atlantic Mine 10; Lake Linden 11; Ontonagon 13; Rockland 14; Greenland 15; Crystal Falls 16; Florence, Wis., 17.
 Olcott, Chaney, Augustus Piton, mgr.: North Yakima, Wash., 7; Spokane 8; Anaconda, Mont., 9; Helena 10; Butte 11-12; Bozeman 13; Billings 14; Fargo, N. D., 16; Duluth, Minn., 17.
 On Satan's Mount, Geo. W. Samsis, mgr.: Boston, Mass., 29-June 10.
 Orloff Nissloff, Russian Players: New York City, May 15, indef.
 Orpheum Stock Co., Edward Doyle, mgr.: Columbus, O., indef.

Odeon Stock Co.: St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 6, indef.
 Oden Stock Co., J. E. Oden, mgr.: Woonsocket, R. I., May 22, indef.
 Paige, Mabel, Henry F. Willard, mgr.: Jacksonville, Fla., May 15, indef.
 Payton's Lee Avenue Stock Co.: Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 15, indef.
 Poll's Stock Co.: Bridgeport, Conn., May 15, indef.
 Proctor's 125th Street Stock Co.: New York City, indef.
 Poll's Own Co.: Waterbury, Conn., May 8, indef.
 Providence Dramatic Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., Oct. 10, indef.
 Purchase Street Theatre Stock Co., Eugene A. Phelps, mgr.: New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 1, indef.
 Peter's Pavilion Players, Will Jay Peters, mgr.: Waterville, Kan., 5-7; Greenleaf 8-10.
 Payton Sisters, Dan S. Holt, mgr.: Montgomery, Ala., 29-June 17.
 Pickerts, The Four & Co., Willis Pickert, mgr.: Columbia, Pa., 5-11.
 Rentrow's Jolly Pathfinders, J. N. Rentrow, mgr.: Mineral Springs, Tex., 5-7.
 Ralph, Margaret, R. L. Allen, mgr.: Owosso, Mich., 10.
 Rober, Katherine, Stock Co.: Fitchburg, Mass., May 20-June 24.
 Quincy Adams Sawyer (Central), W. G. Snelling, mgr.: New York City, June 5, indef.
 Rodney Stock Co.: Michigan City, Ind., June 10, indef.
 Ryan, Daniel: Albany, N. Y., April 24, indef.
 Roberts, Florence, Fred Belasco, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., May 21-July 8.
 Seacke's German Theatre Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Savoy Theatre Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
 Shea, Thomas E.: Toronto, Can., May 22, indef.
 Sherman & Pilst Stock Co., W. B. Sherman, mgr.: Calgary, N. W. T., May 8-June 19.
 Shirley, Jessie: Spokane, Wash., indef.
 Snow, Mortimer, Stock Co.: Schenectady, N. Y., indef.
 Standard Stock Co., Darcy & Speck, mgrs.: Spooner Stock Co., Mrs. B. F. Spooner, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 15, indef.
 Stater's Stock Co.: Oklahoma City, Okla., indef.
 Silea Stock Co. (Southern), Sites & Gilbert, mgrs.: Butler, Pa., 5-10; New Bethlehem 12-17.
 Sothern & Marlowe: Des Moines, Wis., 8-10.
 The Banker's Child, with The Four Shauona, Harry Shauona, mgr.: Custer, S. D., 8; Edgemont 10.
 Tracy, The Outlaw King, Ritter & Fanshawe, mgrs.: Sherman Mills, Me., 7; Brownsville 8; Milo 9; Guilford 10; Dexter 11.
 The Missouri Girl (Fred Raymond's Eastern), George Bedee, mgr.: Norway, Me., 7; Damariscotta 8; Union 9; Vinal Haven 10; Camden 12; Relast 13; Ellsworth 14; Bar Harbor 15; Stonington 16; Booth Bay Harbor 17.
 The Wanderers, Frank Howe, jr., mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., 29-June 8.
 Tronsdale Theatre Co.: Cherryvale, Kan., 5-10; Coffeyville 12-17.
 Trambauer Stock Co.: Milwaukee, Wis., indef.
 To Stock Co.: Wichita, Kan., March 23, indef.
 Trent Stock Co.: Trenton, N. J., indef.
 Tucker, Ethel, Stock Co., Mack Bros., mgrs.: Phoenix, Ariz., indef.
 Ulrich Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Morgan & Howe's): Saxonburg, Pa., 7; Kittanning 8; Mosgrove 9; Red Bank 10.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Stetson's), Wm. Kibble, mgr.: Greensfield, Ind., 7; Martinsville 8.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (C. W. Langstaff's): Derry, Pa., 7; Boliver 8; New Florence 9; South Fork 10.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Phillips & Daly's): Hastingburg, Pa., 7; Coalport 8; Irvons 9; Mabafers 10.
 Vallamont Stock Co.: Williamsport, Pa., May 29, indef.
 Vandyke & Eaton, F. Mack, mgr.: Springfield, Ill., May 29, indef.
 Vandyke Stock Co., Walter Vandyke, mgr.: St. Joseph, Mo., indef.
 Vanstrum & Hallas Stock Co.: Detroit, Mich., April 30, indef.
 Vernon Stock Co., Benj. B. Vernon, mgr.: St. Thomas, Ont., May 22, indef.
 Whitesides, Ethel & Co., J. W. Fitz, mgr.: Grand Forks, N. D., 5-7; Fargo 9-10; St. Cloud, Minn., 12.
 Walsh's, Billy, Own, Gaa Paul, mgr.: Schuyler, Mo., N. Y., 5-10.
 Winninger Bros. Own: Antigo, Wis., 4-10; Merrill 12-17.
 Wells-Dunne-Harlan Co.: Atlanta, Ga., 29-June 10.
 Wallace, Frank, Stock Co., Frank Wallace, mgr.: Knoxville, Tenn., April 3, indef.
 Wallace's Theatre, Dubinsky Bros., mgrs.: Rock Island, Ill., indef.
 West End Stock Co., J. H. Washburn, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., May 2, indef.
 Was She to Blame, Jed Carlton, mgr.: Sandwich, Ont., indef.
 Wledemann's Stock Co., Ed. Jacobson, mgr.: Seattle, Wash., indef.
 Williams, Malcolm, Stock Co.: Worcester, Mass., indef.
 Williams-Flood Stock Co., Fred B. Flood, mgr.: Ponca City, Okla., indef.
 Woodhull Stock Co.: Dayton, O., May 15, indef.
 Woodward Stock Co., Woodward and Burgess, mgrs.: Kansas City, Mo., April 9, indef.
 York State Folks, Fred E. Wright, mgr.: Boston, Mass., May 22, indef.
 Yorkville Theatre Stock Co., David Wels, mgr.: New York City, Jan. 30, indef.

PERFORMERS' DATES.

Adams, Jas. R. (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Addison & Livingston: En route with Swallow & Markle's Floating Falce. See Miscellaneous Routes.
 Aherns, The: En route with the Fiesta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Alpine Family: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Altons, The: Omaha, Neb., indef.
 Armstrong & Holly: Bald Mountain, Cot., May 22, indef.
 Ashton, Margaret (Colliseum): London, Eng., June 6-July 24.
 Atherton, Agnes (Miller's): Lima, O., indef.
 Allen, Searl & Violet (Proctor's 5th Ave.): New York City, 5-10; (Kett's) New York City, 12-17.
 Alva, Alice (Spring Grove Park): Springfield, O., 12-17.

Ahern & Baxter (Broadway): Los Angeles, Cal., 5-10.
 Allens, The (Campbell Island): Moline, Ill., 5-10.
 Alarcon's, The Mexican Trio (Ft. Sheridan Park): Highwood, Ill., 11-17.
 Adler, Flo (Ft. Sheridan Park): Highwood, Ill., 11-17.
 Alvin Brothers (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 5-10; (Metropolitan) Duluth 12-17.
 Abbott & Brant (Grand): Colorado Springs, Col., 4-10; (Utahna) Salt Lake City, Utah, 12-17.
 Ali & Peiser (Family): Shamokin, Pa., 5-10; (Family) Mahanoy City 12-17.
 Anderson, Wm. (Bijou): Kenosha, Wis., May 29-10; (Utique) Sheboygan 12-July 1.
 Averbek, Frank A. (Lakeside Park): Dayton, O., 4-10.
 Abbott, Annie Adele: Detroit, Mich., 5-10; Jamestown, N. Y., 12-17.
 Apollo (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 5-10.
 Aurora's, Mlle., Bears (Bostock's): Coney Island, N. Y., May 16, indef.
 Adams & Drew (Spring Lake Park): Trenton, N. J., 5-10.
 Almont & Dumont (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 5-10.
 Alton & Regan (Doelger's Park): Newark, N. J., 5-10.
 Allen, Will F. (Alhambra): Savannah, Ga., 29-June 10.
 Ashton & Earle (Castle): Bloomington, Ill., 5-10.
 Adamini & Taylor (Pastor's): New York City, 5-10.
 Archer & Crocker (Pastor's): New York City, 5-10.
 Allen, Phyllis (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 5-10.
 Bailey & Madison (Empire): London, Eng., May 1-June 8.
 Barrow-Lancaster Co. (Colliseum): London, Eng., March 20-July 8.
 Barlow's Elephants (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Baums, Three Marveta (Lewis and Clark Exposition): Portland, Ore., 12-July 1.
 Beecher & May (Kirby's Park): Baltimore, Md., May 29, indef.
 Bellport, Claude H. (Auditorium): Wichita, Kan., indef.
 Beard, Billy (Casino): Nashville, Tenn., June 1-30.
 Beutham & Freeman: En route with Jack Bessey Stock Co. See Dramatic Routes.
 Bernard, Floyd: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Boises, Four Sensational: En route with Wallace's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Bowery Newboys' Quartet (San Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Burkhardt, G.: En route with Campbell Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Blamph & Hehr (Casino): Elyria, Ill., 5-10.
 Barnes & Edwina (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 5-10; (Bijou) Marquette 12-17.
 Bedouli, Arabs, Eight (Forest Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10; (Ingersoll Park) Des Moines, Ia., 11-17.
 Browning, Flora & Co.: Roanoke, Va., 5-10; Lynchburg 12-17.
 Bowers & Curtiss (Novelty): Omaha, Neb., 5-10.
 Beaumont & Hayward (Bijou): Racine, Wis., 5-10; (Troadero) Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Bartlett, The Musical (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 5-10; (Unique) Eau Claire 12-17.
 Baker, Mary and Della Ramsey (Alhambra): South Beach, S. I., N. Y., 10-18.
 Burke's Musical Dogs (Electric Park): Baltimore, Md., 5-10; (Central Park) Allentown, Pa., 12-17.
 Bell & Richards (Park): Worcester, Mass., 5-10.
 Burton & Brookes (Hyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 4-10; (Rock Spring Park) E. Liverpool 11-17.
 Browne Family (Continental Am. Co.): Homestead, Pa., 5-10.
 Barlows, Breakaway (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., May 29-10.
 Burns, Harry (Ebner's Park): Burlington, Ia., May 29-June 10; (Bijou) Ottumwa 12-17.
 Buford, Blanche (Lafayette): Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
 Burke, The Juggling (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 5-10.
 Berueteina, The (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 5-10; (Unique) Winnepeg, Can., 12-17.
 Bernard, Rhoda (Electric Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
 Barneys, The Three (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 6-10.
 Bell, Senator Frank (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 4-10.
 Bechla, Arthur (Grand): Joliet, Ill., 5-10.
 Bedina & Arthur (Keith's): New York City, 5-10.
 Bradfords, The Black (Whitney O. H.): Detroit, Mich., 4-10.
 Bragg & Ashton (Family): E. St. Louis, Ill., 5-10.
 Esrnea & Washburn (Crystal): Leadville, Col., 5-10; (Crystal) Colorado Springs 12-17.
 Browning, Welp and Frankel (Keith's): Providence, R. I., 5-10.
 Brittons, The (Os Budavara): Budapest, Hun., May 29-15.
 Bright Bros. (Empire Tour): England, 5-30.
 Bates, Louie W. (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 5-10.
 Birch, John (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-10.
 Bower, Frances Cole (West End Park): New Orleans, La., May 29-10.
 Brown, Walter G. (Grand): San Diego, Cal., 5-10.
 Baker, Pete (Rock Springs Park): E. Liverpool, O., 4-10.
 Blessings, The (Standard): Ft. Worth, Tex., May 29-10.
 Bosonko & Radcliffe (Crystal): Marion, Ind., 5-10; (Crystal) Anderson, Ind., 12-17.
 Busch Family (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 5-10; (Bijou) Manitowoc, Wis., 12-17.
 Brehaney, Louise (Keith's): New York City, 5-10.
 Barrett Sisters (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 5-10.
 Bevan & Desmond (Bustle): Worcester, Mass., 5-10.
 Brooks, Jeanne (Park): Canton, O., 5-10.
 Cherry & Bates (Park): Harrisburg, Pa., 5-10.
 Conser's Dog Show (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., 5-10.
 Corbly & Burke (Mouré Park): Toronto, Can., 5-10.
 Carver & Pollard (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.



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- Collins & Hart (Tivoli): London, Eng., June 12-Aug. 5.
- Ozards, The Aerial (Lincoln Park): New Orleans, La., Indef.
- Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner (Keith's): Providence, R. I., April 10, Indef.
- Creswell, W. P. (Bicycle Bill): En route with Collin's Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
- Constantine & Lawrence (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Carleton, Al. (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Christ & Willis (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Chester, Walter & Co. (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Cole & Clemens (Woodlyne Park): Camden, N. J., 5-10; (Lyceum) Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
- Cornia (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-17.
- Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl: Leadville, Col., 5-10; Enebo 12-17.
- Carroll & Clarke (Olympia Park): Chattanooga, Tenn., 5-10.
- Collins, Dot (Capitol): Glen Falls, N. Y., May 29-10.
- Casad & Daverne (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 5-10.
- Carrelton & Hodges (New Vandeville): Fond du Lac, Wis., 5-10; (Empire) Freeport, Ill., 12-17.
- Cameron, Grace (Academy of Music): Baltimore, Md., May 29-10; (Academy of Music) Pittsburgh, Pa., 11-17.
- Couneily, Pete (Lyric Park): Joplin, Mo., 4-10; Webb City 11-17.
- Cooper & Robinson (Hammerstein's Roof Garden): New York City, 5-10.
- Campbell, Dillon & Campbell (Lakeside Casino): Akron, O., 5-10; (Cedar Point) Sandusky 11-17.
- Corbett & Forrester (Internan Park): Sterling, Ill., 5-10.
- Craig, Ritchie W. (Troadero): Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10; (Monumental) Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
- Clark & Temple (Bell): Oakland, Cal., 5-10; (Lyceum) San Francisco 12-17.
- Conrads, The (Lincoln Park): Vincennes, Ind., 4-10.
- Collins & Hawley (Park): Bayonne, N. J., 12-17.
- Calcedo, Juan A. (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 12-17.
- Corrigan, Emmett (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-10.
- Cressy, Will M. and Blanche Dayne (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 5-10.
- Carter & Waters Co. (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10.
- Cameron & Toledo (Garrick): Burlington, Ia., 5-10.
- Clarke, Lucy (Metropolitan): London, Eng., 26-July 15.
- Cox Family Quartet (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-10.
- Colental Septet, Ye (Victoria): New York City, 5-10.
- Coogan, F. Alan (Fair): Paterson, N. J., 5-10.
- Cotton's Comedy Donkeys (Biverview Park): Baltimore, Md., May 29-10.
- Crawford & Manning (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 4-10.
- Delmo, Juggler (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 5-10.
- Don & Thompson (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 11-17.
- Doherty Sisters (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10; (Ravinia Park): Ravinia 12-17.
- Delmore, John and Emily Darrell: Camden, N. J., 5-10; Trenton 12-17.
- Delphino & Delmora (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 5-10.
- Dixon, Bowers & Dixon (Park): Canton, O., 5-10; (Farm) Toledo 12-17.
- Doyle, Frank and Eva Weston (Hyde Park): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Drew, Carroll (Rucker): Rockford, Ill., May 29-10.
- Dahlia, Lea (Chutea): San Francisco, Cal., 4-17.
- Dubec's Animala (Amusement Park): Decatur, Ill., 4-10; (Mannion's Park) St. Louis, Mo., 11-17.
- Delacey, The (Bon Ton): Salt Lake City, Utah, 5-10; (Lyceum) Ogden 12-17.
- D's & D's (Lyric Park): Pittsburg, Kan., 5-10.
- Deaco, Mille. (Lagoon Park): Ludlow, Ky., 5-10.
- Dagwell, Annie (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 5-10; (Keith's) Philadelphia 12-17.
- Daly & Kelso (London): London, Can., 5-10.
- DeWeese, Jennie (Bijou): San Diego, Cal., 5-17.
- Dixon, Bert and Leon (Robinson Park): Ft. Wayne, Ind., 4-10; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
- Derrin, J. L. (Novelty): Stockholm, Cal., 5-10; (Novelty): Fresno 12-17.
- Devean, Hubert (Riverside Park): Montreal, Can., 5-10.
- DeGreans, The Great 2 1/4 (Unique): Winnipeg, Man., 5-17.
- Day, Geo. W. (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 5-10.
- Del-A-Phone, The Great (Lyceum): Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10; (Monumental) Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
- Doone, Allen & Co. (Rock Springs Park): E. Liverpool, O., May 29-10.
- Delmore & Wilson: Paris, Fr., 12-26.
- Dayton, Madge (Bijou): Ottumwa, Ia., 5-10.
- Demonkos, The (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-10.
- DeRue, Bobby (London): London, Can., 5-10.
- Deigardo, Natalie: Turing South America.
- DeKossett & Excola: Eye Beach, N. Y., 5-10.
- Dorie, Edward: Littleton, N. H., 5-10.
- Dumonda, Lea (Palace): Bordenley, Eng., 12-17; Liverpool 19-24.
- DeVeanx & DeVeanx (Rock Springs Park): E. Liverpool, O., 5-10.
- DeAcos, The (Lagoon): Ludlow, Ky., 5-10.
- Dunn & Evelyn (Palace): Boston, Mass., 4-10.
- Dill & Ward (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 5-10.
- Dupree, Geo. and Libble (Bijou): Quincy, Ill., 5-10.
- Degrees, The Two (Lemp's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 4-10.
- Darrow, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart: Owego, N. Y., April 10-July 3.
- D'Arville Sisters (Summer Theatre): Hot Springs, Ark., May 21, Indef.
- Davies Duo: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
- Dee, Roy: En route with Eckhardt & Hawkins' Ideals. See Dramatic Routes.
- DeVelda & Zeida: En route with Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- Downey, Leslie T. (Novelty): Stockton, Cal., Feb. 6-July 1.
- Drawee (Tivoli): London, Eng., Feb. 6-June 30.
- Drew, Dorothy (Barrasford Tour): Eng., April 17-June 30.
- Edmonds, Lee (Star): Ft. Worth, Tex., Indef.
- Eddy, Arthur (Lyric): Los Angeles, Cal., Indef.
- Edyth, Rose, Ballet Troupe (Orin Bros. Circus): City of Mexico, Mex., May 1, Indef.
- Eiler, Olive (Alcazar): Denver, Col., Indef.
- Everhart, The Great (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
- Eldrid, Gordon (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 5-10.
- Emmy, Mile (Proctor's 5th Ave.): New York City, 5-10; (Hammerstein's) New York City 12-17.
- Early & Late (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 5-10.
- Eltzinger, Julian D. (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10; (G. O. H.) Pittsburg 12-17.
- Elmo, Pete and Allie (Pavilion): Oswego, N. Y., 5-10.
- Evans Trio (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 12-17.
- Eldridge, Press (Ravinia Park): Chicago, Ill., 5-17.
- Elton, Sam (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 5-10; (Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.
- Eldons, The (Family): Mahanoy City, Pa., 5-10.
- Empire City Quartet (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., May 29-17.
- Folkert, Arthur O. (Empire): Colorado Springs, Col., 5-10; (Earl) Pueblo 12-17.
- Fisher & Johnson (Novelty): Stockton, Cal., 5-10; (Fischer's) San Francisco 12-17.
- Fay Sisters (Crystal): Sedalia, Mo., 4-10.
- Ferguson, Dupree & Co. (Empire): Colorado Springs, Col., 5-10; (Crystal) St. Joseph, Mo., 11-17.
- Fagan & Merriam (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 5-10.
- Fox, Madge (Riverside Park): Saginaw, Mich., 4-10; (Winona Beach) Bay City 11-17.
- Feasley, Juggler (Olympia Park): Chattanooga, Tenn., 4-10.
- Fairchilds, The (Bijou): Quincy, Ill., 5-10; (Garrick) Burlington, Ia., 12-17.
- Flynn, Earle (Forrest Park): St. Louis, Mo., 5-10; (Sans Souci Park) Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
- Fredericks, The (Grand): Everett, Wash., 4-10; (Unique) Astoria, Ore., 11-17.
- Ferguson, Passmore (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10; (Mannion's Park) St. Louis, Mo., 11-17.
- Flelds & Hanson: Seattle, Wash., 5-17.
- Fantas, Two (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 5-10.
- Fox & Summers (Whitney O. H.): Detroit, Mich., 5-10; (Four Mile Creek Park) Erie, Pa., 11-17.
- Poster & Henderson (Fischer's): San Francisco, Cal., 5-10; (Novelty) Vallejo 12-17.
- Freese Bros. (Forest Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10; (Forest Park Highlands) St. Louis 11-17.
- Feldman & Ball (Orpheum): St. Paul, Minn., 5-17.
- French, Henri (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-10.
- Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins (Myer's Lake): Canton, O., 5-10.
- Fox & Ward (Park): Altoona, Pa., 5-10.
- Fox & Summers (Whitney): Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
- Fransmathes & Lewis: Waukegan, Ill., 5-10.
- Figman, Max and Adelaide Manola (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Fernandez-May Trio (O. H.): Melbourne, Vic., May 15-June 30.
- Florettes, Six (Hippodrome): New York City, Indef.
- Fern Comedy Four (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., June 1-Sept. 30.
- Florence Sisters (Anmont): Moscow, Russia, May 26-Aug. 26.
- Fortune, Roy: En route with the Great Haag Show. See Tent Show Routes.
- Ford & Wilson (Empire): Johannesburg, S. A., April 17-July 1.
- Fox & Hughes (Riverside Park): Boise, Ida., Indef.
- Frank & Albright: En route with Gollmar Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
- Frees Bros. and Gennett Sisters: En route with the Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- Frisco, Signor, Aerialist: En route with the U. S. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- Genaro & Theol: Dusseldorf, Ger., May 1-June 30.
- Goodo: En route with Bert Silver's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
- Goodwin, Susie (Lemp's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 5-10; (Island Beach Park) Owensboro, Ky., 12-17.
- Gillinwater, Cland & Co. (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Griff Bros. (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Gordon & Hayes, The Misses (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10; Saginaw, Mich., 12-17.
- Gray & Graham (Palace): Boston, Mass., 5-10; (Electric Park) Newark, N. J., 12-17.
- Graces, The Three (Whitney): Detroit, Mich., 5-10.
- Gottlob, Mr. and Mrs. (Edison): Helena, Mont., 5-10; (Edison) Spokane, Wash., 12-17.
- Gilliam, Harry and Lanra (Oak Park): Sacramento, Cal., 5-10.
- Gilmore & LeMoynie (Orpheum Park): Webb City, Mo., 4-10; (Orpheum Park) Pittsburg, Kan., 11-17.
- Gaylor & Graf (Star): Cleveland, O., 5-10.
- Gaylord, Bonnie (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 4-10.
- Gardner & Stoddard (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Globe of Death (Luna Park): Cleveland, O., 5-10.
- Gardner, West & Sunshine (Lyceum): Boston, Mass., 5-10; (Palace) Boston 12-17.
- Gould, William & Valeska Spratt (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 11-24.
- Glenroy & Russell (Orpheum): Seattle, Wash., 5-10.
- Gray, Mazie (Dewey): Utica, N. Y., May 29-10.
- Griffither & Barrett (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Garity Sisters (Park): Decatur, Ill., 5-10.
- Gardner & Golder (Grand): San Diego, Cal., 5-10.
- Gardner Trio: Davenport, Ia., 5-10.
- Geiger, John (Lakeside Casino): Akron, O., 5-10.
- Gill, Nat (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Golden & Hughes (Keith's): New York City, 5-10.
- Goforth & Doyle (Bijou): Quincy, Ill., 5-10.
- Heclow, Chas. (Summer Park): Norwalk, O., 4-10; (Whitney's) Detroit, Mich., 12-17.
- Heclow & Wheeler (Folly): Chicago, Ill., 4-10; (Whitney's) Detroit, Mich., 11-17.
- Hall, Anna (Island Beach Park): Owensboro, Ky., 5-10; (The Mispah) Ottawa, Ill., 12-17.
- Hay, Unicycle (Lagoon): Ludlow, Ky., 4-10; (Star) Muncie, Ind., 11-17.
- Howard & Alton (Standard): Houston, Tex., 12-17.
- Hamlins, The (River Park): Winnipeg, Can., 5-17.
- Holman, Hayward & Hayward (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 4-10.
- Hatch Bros. (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10; (Coliseum) Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
- Hecley & Meeley (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 4-10; (Fontaine Ferry Park) Louisville, Ky., 11-17.
- Holmes & Walden (Lindenwald Park): Hammond, Ind., 12-17.
- Hobbs, O. 5-10; (Gennett O. H.) Richmond, Ind., 12-17.
- Herbert & Willing (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 4-10.
- Howard & Linder (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., 5-10.
- Hrylands, The Three (Crystal): Colorado Springs, Col., 5-10.
- Hefron, Tom (Four Mile Creek Park): Erie, Pa., 11-17.
- Howard & North (Proctor's): New York City, 5-10; (Proctor's) Newark, N. J., 12-17.
- Hall & Colborn (Unique): Winnipeg, Can., 4-10.
- Hughes Musical Trio (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 5-10.
- Herbert's Dogs (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
- Hayman & Franklin (Metropole): Gatehead, Eng., 12-17.
- Hammond & Forrester (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Hart, Sadie (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10.
- Hennings, Lewis & Hennings (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., 5-10.
- Hillman, Geo. (Standard): Davenport, Ia., May 29-10.
- Holdsworths, The (Family): Shamokin, Pa., 5-10.
- Heahn, Musical (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 5-10.
- Hessy, Geo. W. (Family): Gloversville, N. Y., 5-10.
- Huntress (Recreation Park): Fresno, Cal., 5-10; (Baldwin) San Francisco 12-17.
- Hahn, Helen Florence (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., May 26-June 24.
- Hale, Willie and Francis (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 29-July 22.
- Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D.: Kansas City, Mo., Indef.
- Harper, Lucille H. (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., May 1, Indef.
- Harrison (Palace): London, Eng., May 1, Indef.
- Hatch, Geo. H. (West Side): Janesville, Wis., Indef.
- Hay, Charles (Garrick): Burlington, Ia., Indef.
- Hayden & LaLonde: En route with the Continental Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
- Helena, Edith (Empire): Leicester Square, London, Eng., May 1-June 25.
- Hennessey, James A. (Fraser's): Pendleton, Ore., April 24, Indef.
- Henry & Young (Family): Shamokin, Pa., Indef.
- Hennmans, The Three: En route with F. A. Robolin's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
- Hewitts, The Two: En route with Fred Hewitt's Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
- Hill & Whitaker (Pavilion): London, Eng., June 12, Indef.
- Howard Bros. (Coliseum): London, Eng., June 5-July 15.
- Huntton, Dad and Clara (Star): Ft. Worth, Tex., Indef.
- Imperial Comedy Four (East End Park): Memphis, Tenn., 4-10; (West End Park) New Orleans, La., 11-17.
- Innes & Ryan (Spring Grove Park): Springfield, O., 4-10.
- Irwin, Jack: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
- Jackson Family: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
- Jackson & Douglas, The Misses (Olympia Park): Chattanooga, Tenn., 5-10; (East End Park) Memphis, Tenn., 12-17.
- Jennings & Jewell (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 5-10; (Unique) Eau Claire 12-17.
- Jack, Mr. and Mrs. (Forest Park): Little Rock, Ark., 5-10.
- Jacksons, The Three (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 4-10; (Coliseum) Terre Haute 11-17.
- Jansen-Herr Co. (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., 4-10.
- Jeanre & Ellsworth (Britania Park): Ottawa, Can., 5-10.
- Johnstons, The Musical (Barrasford Tour): Eng. Jones & Walton (Rock Springs Park): East Liverpool, O., 5-10.
- Jones & Sinton (Henwick Park): Ithaca, N. Y., 5-10.
- Koler & Seymour (Family): Park City, Utah, 5-10.
- Kosre & Chaplin (Star): Astoria, Ore., 5-10; (Star) Portland 12-17.
- Kuhns, The Three (Lafayette): Buffalo, N. P., 5-10.
- Kartell (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10; (Ft. Sheridan Park) Elkhart 11-17.
- Klein-Ott Bros. & Nicholson (Hopkins' Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10; (Hopkins' Park) St. Louis 11-17.
- Katea Bros. (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Keltons, The Musical (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
- Kollins & Wilson (Electric Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
- Kippy, Great (Garrick): Burlington, Ia., 5-10.
- Kins-Nera, The (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 5-17.
- Kirtis, Wm. J.: New Orleans, La., 5-10.
- Kimball Bros., Three (Luna Park): Johnstown, Pa., 5-10.
- Kohl, Gus and Marion (Phillip's): Richmond, Ind., 5-10.
- Kaufman, Reba (Alhambra): London, Eng., May 8-June 30.
- Kaufman Troupe: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
- Kenion, Dorothy (English Garden): Vienna, Aus., May 20, Indef.
- Kherms & Cole (San Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., 29, Indef.
- Kilroy, Arthur: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
- Kingsley & Kingsley (Alcazar): Denver, Col., May 15, Indef.
- Kitchie, Si: En route with the Southern Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- Lacille, Mme.: En route with Wm. F. Hall's Shows. See Tent Show Routes.
- Langer, Wm. J.: En route with the Great Mundy Shows. See Midway Routes.
- Lancaster, F. Francis (Berkeley): Berkeley, Cal., 29-July 1.
- Lane & Susinetta: En route with Monarch Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- LeMolnd, F.: En route with Lachman-Keetch Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
- Lenhardt & Held: En route with Fleeta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- Levino, Dolph and Susie (Coliseum): London, Eng., Indef.
- Lewis & Haar: Chicago, Ill., Indef.
- Lingerman's, Prof. Palace of Amusement (Washington Park): Philadelphia, Pa., Indef.
- Lombard, Preston (Chestnut Hill Park): Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, Indef.
- Lacler, Ben: En route with Campbell Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
- Lyons, Walter S.: En route with Filbeam Bros. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
- Levy, Mrs. Julia & Co. (Star): Seattle, Wash., Indef.

LeMaire & LeMaire (Chautauque Park): Owensboro, Ky., 5-10; (Coney Island) Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 Lakota, Harry & Carrie (Unique): Eau Claire, Wis., 5-10; (Bijou) Duluth, Minn., 12-17.
 Lindsay's Dogs and Monkeya (Ramona): Grand Rapids, Mich., 11-17.
 LaDella (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., 5-10.
 LeClair, John (Hurtig & Seamon's): New York City, 5-10.
 LaGette (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., May 29-17.
 Lavine & Leonard (West End Park): New Orleans, La., May 21-10.
 LaVeen & Cross (Riverside Park): Saginaw, Mich., 4-10; (Wenona Beach Park) Bay City 11-17.
 Lively, R. E.: Cincinnati, O., 5-10; (at home) Sistersville, W. Va., 12-17.
 Lucy & Lucier (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 4-10; (O. H.) Freeport, Ill., 11-17.
 Lawson, Chinese (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10.
 Litchfield, Mr. & Mrs. Nell (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 11-17.
 Larrivee & Bee (Orpheum): Springfield, O., 5-10.
 LePage, The Great (Pastor's): New York City, 5-10; (White City Am. Co.) Cleveland, O., 12-17.
 Leonard (Cedar Point Park): Sandusky, O., 11-17.
 LeBarr (Novelty): Oakland, Cal., 5-10.
 Leonard & Phillips (Orpheum): St. Paul, Minn., 5-17.
 LaTell Bros. (Olympic Park): Newark, N. J., 5-17.
 LeDrew & LaZone (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 12-17.
 Leighton, Lillian & Co. (Unique): So. Chicago, Ill., 5-10; (Lake View Park) Dayton, O., 11-17.
 Lassner, Lee (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., May 29-10; (Park) Dubuque, Ia., 12, indef.
 Leon, May and Trained Pets (Lake View Park): Middletown, Conn., 5-10; (Wildwood Park) Putnam 12-17.
 Lewis, AL (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 5-10; (Ben's) Escanaba, Mich., 12-17.
 Lukens, Four (Keith's): New York City, 5-10; (Keith's) Boston, Mass., 12-17.
 LaValls, The (Bell): Oakland, Cal., 5-10.
 LeDent, The Great (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 4-10; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
 LaDelle (Falm): Cripple Creek, Col., 5-10.
 LeRoyette, Great (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 5-10.
 Leigh, Jolly Ben (Empire): Gloucester City, N. J., May 29-10.
 Leslie, Geo. W. (Grand): Tacoma, Wash., 5-10.
 Lorenz, Geo. (Columbia): Utica, N. Y., 5-10.
 Lucifers, The and Emily Lee (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., 5-10.
 LeVere's, Mme. Devolx, Bears (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 Lane, Clara (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 LeCroc, Paul (Bae's Park): Joplin, Mo., 4-10; (Summer Theatre) Wichita, Kan., 11-17.
 Leslies, The (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 5-10; (Westwood Park) Cincinnati, O., 12-17.
 Leonard, Sadie (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Mitchell, Lizzie: Billings, Mont., May 29-10.
 Merriam, Billie: En route with Bauscher Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Mathews, Juggling (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 4-10; (Casino Park) Kalamazoo 11-17.
 Milnar Bros. (Phillip's): Richmond, Ind., 5-10.
 Malcolm, The Great (Elch's Garden): Denver, Col., 4-10.
 Melroy Trio (Star): Astoria, Ore., 5-10; (Star) Portland 12-17.
 Marvelle & Gleason (Wonderland Park): Danville, Ill., 4-10.
 Magee, Clem C. (Bijou): Oshkosh, Wis., 5-10; (Bijou) Green Bay 12-17.
 Marco, Twins (Forest Park Highlands): St. Louis, Mo., 4-10; (Forest Park) Kansas City 11-17.
 Merritt, Raymond (Star): Hamilton, Can., 5-10; (London) London 12-17.
 Marsha, Mlle. (Hammerstein's): New York City, 5-10.
 Mualiner's, Edw., Pigs and Sheep (Utahna): Ogden, Utah, 5-10.
 Mills & Morris (Pastor's): New York City, 5-10.
 Mantel's Electric Marionettes (Fischer's): San Francisco, Cal., 5-10; (Novelty) Vallejo 12-17.
 Mitchell & Love (Mannon's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 4-10; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
 Mack & Elliott (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 5-10; (Star) Vancouver, B. C., 12-17.
 Mitchells, Three Funny (Lion Palace): New York City, 5-10.
 Murtha, John H. (Crystal): Milwaukee, Wis., 5-10.
 Murphy & Andrews (Grand): Tacoma, Wash., 5-10; (Grand) Portland, Ore., 12-17.
 McCune & Grant (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 4-10; (Olanthan Park) Columbus 11-17.
 McGauran, Jack (Burtis): Davenport, Ia., 5-10.
 Melville, Jean (Dewey): Utica, N. Y., May 29-10; (Genesee) Syracuse 12, indef.
 Minor & Galbreth (Majestic): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10; (Crystal) St. Joseph 11-17.
 Mann, Danny & Lola Haines (Unique): San Jose, Cal., 5-10.
 Mortons, Four Juggling (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 12-17.
 Millman Trio (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 5-10; (Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.
 Meier & Mora (Empire): Hackney, Eng., 12-17; (Empire) Holloway 19-24; (Empire) New Cross 26-July 1.
 Martini & Maximilian (Hippodrome): Liverpool, Eng., 12-17; (Tivoli) Birmingham 19-24.
 Montague's Cooatoo Circus (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 29-June 10.
 Marion & Pearl (Olanthan Park): Columbia, O., 5-10.
 Maitland, Madge P. (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 5-10.
 McNatti (Empire): Albany, N. Y., 5-10.
 Millard Bros. (Lakeside Park): Akron, O., 5-10.
 Morrissey's, Four (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., 5-10.
 Morton, Temple & Morton (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10.
 Murphy & Willard (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 5-10.
 Murphy & Clayton (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Mason's Society Belles (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 4-10.
 Melbane, Mae (Lagoon): Cincinnati, O., 4-10.

Mitchell & Browning (Citizen's Park): Muscatine, Ia., 5-10; (Elite) Davenport 12-17.
 McKinnon & Reed (Mendon Park): Milford, Mass., 12-17.
 McLaughlin's Watermelon Girls (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 5-10.
 Mobile Quartet (Ingersoll Park): Dea Moines, Ia., 5-10.
 Miett's Doga (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Montgomery & Munson (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Macarte Sisters (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 8-June 26.
 Mahr, Agnes (Marigny): Paris, Fr., 20-Aug. 31.
 Marlo & Aldo (Orin Bros.' Circus): City of Mexico, Mex., March 25-Dec. 1.
 Martyne, Eddie: En route with J. Frank Hatch Shows. See Midway Routes.
 McCauley, Joe (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., April 3, indef.
 Meers, The Three (Circus Variete): Stockholm, Sweden, June 1-30.
 Meredith Sisters (Stoll Tour): Eng., April 10-June 30.
 Morris & Morris (Phoenix): Tacoma, Wash., indef.
 Mystic Crucible (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 28-June 24.
 Nelson Family (Nelson's): Mt. Clemens, Mich., indef.
 Nilson, Geo. E.: En route with Robinson Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Norman, Fire Juggling: En route with Gentry Bros.' Dog and Pony Show No. 1.
 Nashville Students (Romona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 4-10.
 Neola (Olympic): Springfield, Ill., 5-10; (Weast's) Peoria 12-17.
 Norman, The Frog Man (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 New York Comedy Four (Star): Cleveland, O., 5-10.
 Newell & Niblo (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 4-10; (Hopkins' Park) Memphis, Tenn., 11-17.
 Norman, Miss Mary (Ravinia Park): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Niblo & Riley (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 5-10.
 Niblo, Fred (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 5-10.
 Otte, Nick (Filbeam Bros.' Am. Co.): Woodmere, Mich., 5-10; Albion 12-17.
 Ordlar, Mlle. (Ebner's Park): Burlington, Ia., 5-10.
 Orland, Lee (Suburban): St. Louis, Mo., 4-10.
 O'Brien & Dunno (Frontier Park): Erie, Pa., May 29-10; (London) London, Can., 12-17.
 Original Woodblack Quartet (Family): Mahanoy City, Pa., 5-10.
 Ogden, Helen (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 4-10.
 O'Day, Ida (Casino): Toledo, O., 4-10.
 Okaboo, George (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 O'Dole, Geo. W.: En route with Campbell Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Our Boys in Blue (Hippodrome): London, Eng., March 13-June 17.
 Philbrook & Reynolds (Alameda Park): Butler, Pa., 5-10.
 Pero & Wilson (Steeplechase Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 5-10; (Steeplechase) Bridgeport, Conn., 12-17.
 Powers & Freed (Bijou): Danville, Ill., 5-10; (G. O. H.) Freeport 12-17.
 Patrice (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10; (Temple) Detroit, Mich., 12-17.
 Pelot, Fred and Annie (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 4-10; (Spring Grove Park) Springfield, O., 11-17.
 Phillips, Mondane (Weast's): Peoria, Ill., 5-10.
 Prampins, The (London): London, Can., 5-10.
 Phelps, Orren and Millie (Bijou): Escanaba, Mich., 5-10.
 Parkhurst: Hagerstown, Md., 5-10.
 Powers & Theobald (Empire): Los Angeles, Cal., 5-10; (Pickwick) San Diego 12-17.
 Primrose & Bahiorf (Athletic Park): Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
 Patsy Bros. (Hammerstein's): New York City, 5-17.
 Pinek and Luck (Bijou): Kenosha, Wis., 5-10.
 Paulson & Dooley (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 5-10; (Keith's) New York City, 12-17.
 Powell's Elephants (Hippodrome): New York City, 5-17.
 Pascatel (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 5-10.
 Parker, Bert (Novelty): Denver, Col., 5-10.
 Pessari, Mme. (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-10.
 Pierce & Roslyn (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 5-10.
 Parkhurst: En route with Jones-Adams Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Ritchie, Dare Devil: En route with the Great Almo Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Roelker, E. O.: En route with the Gaskill Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Rogers & Lavine (Metropolitan): Tampa, Fla., indef.
 Ronay Sisters (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Ranf, Claude: Kansas City, Mo., 4-10; (Wonderland) Milwaukee, Wis., 11-17.
 Ryan, Lester & Ryan (Electric Park): Detroit, Mich., May 29-10; (Governor's) Atlantic City, N. J., 12-24.
 Rawlis & Vonkman (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 4-10; (Hopkins' Park) Louisville, Ky., 11-17.
 Robson, May (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 5-10.
 Rice Family (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 5-10; (Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.
 Ring & Williams (Electric): Waterloo, Ia., 5-10.
 Rainund & Good (Lyric Park): Pittsburg, Mo., 4-10.
 Rays, The Three (Bijou): Danville, Ill., 5-10.
 Russell, Schooley & Russell (Lagoon): Cincinnati, O., 4-10; (Lake Side Park) Akron 12-17.
 Roy & Roberts (Lycenum): Elizabeth, N. J., May 29-10.
 Raymond, Carl (Novelty): Oakland, Cal., 5-10.
 5-10; (Orpheum) Springfield, O., 12-17.
 Russell & Dunbar (Bon Tom): Salt Lake City, Utah, 5-10.
 Richards, Ellen (Sommer Park): Montreal, Can., 5-10.
 Renos, The (Breckenridge Stock Co.): Eau Claire, Wis., 5-10.
 Redford & Winchester (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 4-10.
 Randolphs, Grotesque (Minneapolis Park): Minneapolis, Minn., 4-10; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
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 White, Irene (Crystal): Marion, Ind., 12-24.
 Ward, Hil Tom (Memphi): Memphis, Tenn., April 17, indef.
 Ward & Coste (Family): East St. Louis, Ill., indef.
 Watson's, Sam, Farmyard: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Williams & Long (Standard): Ft. Worth, Tex., Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 April 24, indef.
 Wolfing's Stallions and Dogs: En route with Young, Frank and Emily (Weatwood): Cincinnati, O., indef.
 Young, Ollie and Brother (Coliseum): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
 Youngs & Brooks (Wenona Beach): Bay City, Mich., 4-10; (Riverside Park) Saginaw 11-17.
 Young America Quintet (Forest Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-10.
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Kemp's Wild West: Newark, N. J., May 27, indef.
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Cooke's City of Jerusalem, H. Cooke, mgr.: Rome, N. Y., 5-10; Logville 12-17.
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Ferari Bros.' Carnival Co.: Danville, Ill., 5-10; Quincy 12-17.
Fiesta Carnival Co., H. L. Leavitt, mgr.: Oakland, Cal., 5-17.
Fred's United Shows, H. T. Freed, mgr.: Eureka, Kan., 5-10.
Gaskill Carnival Co.: Topeka, Kan., 5-10; Wichita 12-17.
Hatch Show, J. Frank: New Castle, Pa., 5-10.
Heluz Bros.' Shows: Prairie du Chien, Wis., 6-10; Whitewater 12-17.
Hewitt's Exposition Shows, Fred: Anderson, Ind., 5-10; Crawfordsville 12-17.
Hoss & Neumann United Shows: Alliance, O., 5-10.
Jones-Adams Shows: Alexandria, Va., 5-10; Baltimore, Md., 12-July 1.
Lachman-Keetch Shows: Arcola, Ill., 5-10.
Miles-May Showland: London, Ky., 5-10.
Mouarch Amusement Co., G. E. Meyers, mgr.: Rock Ford, Col., 5-10; Trinidad 12-17.
Mouarch Carnival Co., M. Mitchell, mgr.: Watseka, Ill., 5-10.
Mundy Shows, Great: Logansport, Ind., 5-10.
Parker Amusement Co., C. W., J. H. Edwards, owner: Hutchinson, Kan., 5-10.
Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co., James Patterson, mgr.: Clinton, Ill., 12-17.
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Wright Exposition Co., H. W. Wright, mgr.: Evansville, Ind., 5-10.

MUSICAL ROUTES.
All 'Round Chicago, Wm. A. Brady, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 15, indef.
Buster Brown (Melville B. Raymond's): Chicago, Ill., May 23, indef.
Butler, Helen May and her Ladies Military Band, J. Leslie Spahn, mgr.: St. Paul, Minn., 4-10.
Creator's Band, Pew & Gerth, mgrs.: Milwaukee, Wis., June 5-July 2.
Castleton Opera Co.: Milwaukee, Wis., May 21-June 24.
Coming Thro' The Rye, Geo. W. Lederer, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, indef.
Cohan, Geo. M. in Little Johnny Jones, Sam H. Harris, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 29, indef.
Delamater Musical Comedy Co., A. G. Delamater, mgr.: Richmond, Va., 5-10.
Doss and his band, Frederick Phinney, mgr.: Louisville, Ky., 10-23.
Daniels, Frank, Chas. B. Dillingham, mgr.: New York City, April 24, indef.
Ellery Band, The: Cincinnati, O., May 27-June 23.
Empire Musical Comedy Co.: Columbus, O., indef.
Fantana, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: New York City, Jan. 14, indef.
Florodora, Fisher & Eyley, mgrs.: Boston, Mass., April 24, indef.
It Happened in Nordland, Hamlin, Mitchell & Fields, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., May 23, indef.
Innes and his Band: Portland, Ore., June 1-23.
Kitties Band, T. P. J. Power, mgr.: Montreal, Can., 19-20.
King Hu-Lo Co. (Burt's): Peru, Ind., 5-10.
Manhattan Opera Co.: Elmira, N. Y., June 5-Sept. 16.
Maryland Opera Co.: Baltimore, Md., May 1, indef.
Pitt, Paff, Ponf, F. C. Whitney, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 1, indef.
Pollards' Lilliputian Opera Co., Joseph Muller, mgr.: Omaha, Neb., 5-10; Kansas City, Mo., 11-17.
Pryor and his Band: Asbury Park, N. J., April 23, indef.
Rocian's Opera Co.: Winnipeg, Can., May 24, indef.

Royal Artillery Band of Italy, Joseph DeVito, mgr.: Baltimore, Md., May 16-Sept. 18.
Schumaun-Heink, F. C. Whitney, mgr.: New York City, June 5, indef.
Simple Simon Simple, Nixon & Zimmerman, mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, indef.
San Toy, John C. Fisher, mgr.: New York City, April 17, indef.
Sousa and his Band, Frank Christianer, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 27-June 10.
Slafer and his Band, Wm. Slafer, mgr.: Brighton Beach, N. Y., June 9, indef.
The Earl and The Girl, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Boston, Mass., May 15, indef.
The Isle of Bong Bong, Harry Powers, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 21, indef.
The Royal Chef, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., April 17, indef.
Tivoli: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
The Prince of Pilsen, Henry W. Savage, mgr.: Boston, Mass., May 20, indef.
The Hottest Coon in Dixie, E. Willis, mgr.: Michel, B. C., 7; Fernie 5; Cranbrook 9-10; Nelson 12; Phoenix 13; Greenwood 14; Grand Forks 15; Republic, Wash., 16; Roseland, B. C., 17.
The Red Feather: Winnipeg, Man., 7-8; Duluth, Minn., 9-10.
Victor's Band, Col. John F. Bragg, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 22, indef.
Willis' Musical Comedy Co., John B. Willis, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., May 28-June 26.
Williams Opera Co., Chas. Williams, mgr.: Mountain Home, Ida., 5-7; Pocatello 8-10.

MINSTREL ROUTES.
Dumont's: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
N. J., May 22, indef.
Donnelly's, Tommy, Jack W. Stokes, mgr.: Paterson, N. J., 5-17.
Proctor's (under canvas), Geo. H. Proctor, mgr.: St. Joseph, Mo., 5-10; Albert Lea, Mo., 12-17.
Richards & Pringles', Rasco & Holland, mgrs.: Montreal, Que., 5-10; St. Hyacinthe 12; Sherbrooke 13; Three Rivers 14; Quebec 15-17.
Twentieth Century, Frank Cushman, mgr.: Altoona, Pa., 5-10.

BURLESQUE ROUTES.
Bowery Burlesquera (Hurlig & Seamon's), Joe Hurlig, mgr.: Buffalo, N. Y., 5-10.
Cherry Blossoms, Butler, Jacobs & Lowry, mgrs.: Cleveland, O., 5-10.
Orientals, W. B. Watson, mgr.: Baltimore, Md., 5-10; season closes.
Wine, Women and Song, M. M. Theise, mgr.: Washington, D. C., 5-10.
Yankee Doodle Girls, Jack Singer, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., 29-June 10.

MISCELLANEOUS ROUTES.
Augustine's Electric Studio: Decatur, Ill., Feb. 16, indef.
Augustus, Chas. Hine, mgr.: Altoona, Ont., 5-10.
Hewitt, Illusionist: Circle City, Alaska, May 23-June 24.
Howe's Moving Pictures: Butler, Pa., 7; Somerset 9; Myersdale 10.
Humpty Dumpty (under canvas), Ernest Cooke, prop. and mgr.: Lawrence, Mass., 5-10.

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Olives	Bisque of Lobster	Radishes
Chicken GIBLETS with Rice Pine Apple Fritters	Young Onions	
Spring Chicken (Southern Style)		
Roast		
Filet of Beef	Mushroom Sauce	Spring Lamb
	Mint Sauce	
Green Peas	Sweet Corn	Brussels Sprouts
Boiled and Mashed Potatoes	String Beans	
	Salad	

She was not seriously injured, but had a very narrow escape.

While the hippodrome races were on one of the lady riders was caught by a wire that held some of the apparatus in place which attaches had forgotten to remove. The wire was across the track and caught the rider on the head, tearing off her hat. Had the wire been a few inches lower, the lady would have been carried from her horse and perhaps fatally injured.

CIRCUS NEWS FROM AUSTRALIA

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Messrs. Fitzgerald Brothers' Circus opened at Belmore Park, Sydney, April 22, to an immense audience and was played to good business ever since, notwithstanding that they have played against the Worth Brothers' Combined

are just at the present time giving exhibitions of Ju Jitsu and Somo. The musical Wetherbys do a splendid musical act. More on these artists in my next.

Worth Brothers' Show, Messrs. George and Philip Worth, sole and equal owners. They opened in the Exhibition Park, April 22, for two weeks only, and closed on May 6, going to Queensland and opening at Brisbane about 15. Their strongest act was Kilpatrick and Chefo's turn in looping the loop. Besides this they have several American artists, but I will tell you of them in my next, as I have mislaid my notes of their show, and can not find them in time for the mail. Artists having strong acts, and desiring to visit Australia, are advised to send their applications to Herr Von der Mehden, care of The Billboard, where he will call shortly after the news appears in print.

GENTRY'S IN BLOWDOWN

Just subsequent to the afternoon performance of the Gentry Brothers' No. 1 Show at Chillicothe, Ohio, May 30, high wind struck the main tent and leveled it to the ground, the seats going with the balance of the paraphernalia. Fortunately most of the audience had left the tent, and no one was injured.

FROM THE BARNUM & BAILEY SHOW

The Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth continues to do an immense business. During the past week it has played to four matinee turnaways and three turnaways in the evening. At Pittsburg all the performers received exceptionally good notices. The well-known Imperial Viennese Troupe of acrobats was the most highly mentioned by the press of that city, more especially Miss Lillian Allen, who must have captivated the reporters from the press notices she received. The Florenz Troupe of tumblers sprang another daring feat of tumbling upon the circusgoers of the "Smoky City." The riders, both bareback and jockeys, received favorable mention, among the more highly spoken of whom were the Misses Dallye Julian and Florence Wentworth, and Messrs. Derrick and Rooney. Of the clowns, Spader Johnson, with his oratorical act, Sam Watson with his geese, Ryan and his automobile act, Sam Bennett and his trained mule, and Harry Westworth as Buster Brown with his dog, "Tige," were all highly commented upon for the mirth they aroused in the hearts and minds of the Pittsburg people. That city, being a baseball town, gave Silvers Oakley and his baseball act round after round of applause, and many favorable remarks were passed at the cleverness with which this brilliant clown imitates the antics of a baseball player. The automobile act continues to be the main attraction of the show, and Mlle. de Tiers thrilled all with the daring of her performance. Miss Dallye Julian is mourning the loss of a purse which she left lying on the seat of a trolley car in Pittsburg. It is not so much the loss of the purse itself that causes the grief as it is the contents. The management of the show hopes there will be no more Japanese victories, because the last one cost them two of their best almond eyed performers. When the little Japs heard of Admiral Togo's triumph, they then asked to be permitted to decorate the dressing room in his honor, but as there are some Russian artists in the same room, Mr. Bailey refused the request, and thereupon two of the little fellows immediately left the grounds and have not been seen since. During the past week two of Barnum & Bailey's performers were injured. Miss Cole, who does an act on the flying rings, suffered a fall which resulted in her having to abandon the arena for several days. Joe Kempson, one of the riders in the four-horse tandem race, was thrown from his horse and fractured his left arm. The first death that has occurred with the show in some time happened in Pittsburg last Sunday, when Chas. Taylor, porter of car No. 56, died from heart trouble. He was buried in that city, Mr. Bailey paying his funeral expenses. The show reports that it is enjoying excellent weather, and as it is now out of the coal regions, it is looking forward to a continuation of success.



The illustration above represents the police of Paris forcing back the crowds a half hour after the gates of the Champs de Mars had been closed on the afternoon of April 27, every seat for the performance of the Buffalo Bill Wild West having been taken. There were 15,000 paid admissions and it is estimated that more than 10,000 people were turned away. The Eiffel Tower shown in the picture is a quarter of a mile from the gates of the Champs de Mars, which is the national parade grounds of the French capital. The scene is characteristic of the afternoon performances of the show which has taken Paris by storm. It has become the fad of the times.

Cucumber	Lettuce	Tomatoes
Vanilla Ice Cream	Strawberry Short Cake	
Nuts	Raisins	Assorted Fruit
Edam Cheese	Boquefort Cheese	
	Bea's Water Biscuit	
Coffee	Ice Tea	Tea

Visitors to the show during the Cleveland engagement were W. E. Franklin, J. P. Fagan, Walter L. Main, Ed. C. Knupp, Mrs. Chas. Haggeman, Sport Zeno and wife, Chas. Nevaro, and many others. They were entertained at a dinner and enjoyed the evening performance in a body.

INJURED AT BARNUM & BAILEY'S

During the afternoon performance of the Barnum & Bailey Show at Williamsport, Pa., two performers met with serious accidents. While Mrs. Cole was at work on the flying rings one of them broke loose from its trapping and the lady gymnast fell to the stage, some twenty feet below, sustaining a sprained ankle, an injured arm and a number of slight bruises.

Shows, which opened at Exhibition Park the same evening.

Herr Von der Mehden, well known in the United States, and the manager of Fitzgerald Brothers' Circus, leaves by the steamer that takes this mail from here today. Herr Von der Mehden is an American, and probably if not the best, is so close to it that it would bother anyone to beat him as a cornet player. I am giving him some letters of introduction to people in the States, as he is over to visit his relatives and to engage artists for Messrs. Fitzgerald Brothers. I regret to say that both of the brothers are in the hospital, and I have been informed that both are very ill. I am sorry to learn it, for they are nice fellows, and they treat their employes well. Mr. Frank Jones, the press agent, is acting as their representative in the front of the house. Dr. Gordon, an American, is with them, as is the Herbert Troupe of Aerial Gymnasts. They have also a troupe of Japanese wrestlers, and they

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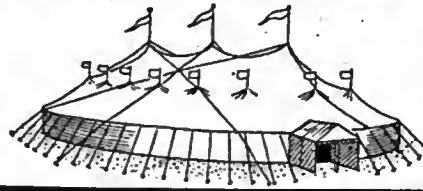
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CIRCUS GOSSIP

The Wm. P. Hall Shows did good business at Trenton, Mo., May 25.
 Business with the Wallace Show is pronounced the biggest in the history of that institution.
 The Riades, Clyde and Lottie, comedy acrobats and clowns, are in their eleventh week with the Lucky Bill Show.
 C. W. Chubbs, of The Girl of The Streets Co., has joined his old friends in advance car No. 2 of the Ringling Brothers' Show.
 Mrs. R. F. Schiller and Mrs. Bert Scott, of the Cook & Barrett Shows, visited the Forepangh-Sells Show in Bloomington, Ill., during its engagement at that place.
 During the performance of Al Steele's Circus at Chicora, Pa., May 15, a number of seats fell, injuring several people. One suit of \$10,000 for damages has been instituted.
 Mrs. W. T. Spaeth of the Slg. Sautelle & Welsh Brothers' Show, has just returned from a flying trip to Chicago, where she buried her mother. Mr. Spaeth's mother also died the same week.
 A member of the Texas Bill Wild West writes that the show is now playing to good business though they have recently had some very bad weather and a wreck in which two cars were smashed.
 The Marvelous Garcinnetti Family have just closed a very successful season down to Cuba with the Circo Pabilones and made a jump to western Mexico, where they joined the Gran Circo Trevino. They report the latter circus to be doing an enormous business.

HARRY BONNELL



Mr. Harry Bonnell, whom a majority of performers will recognize from the above reproduction, is doing the press this summer at Greater Electric Park and Hillside Pleasure Park, Newark, N. J. Harry did the press last season for the Olympic Park, Newark, and until recently was on the reportorial staff of the Newark Evening News. Performers playing the above parks will find in Mr. Bonnell a most companionable gentleman.

Will anyone, knowing the route or whereabouts of the Gilliam Family or Primrose Gilliam, who have a small wagon show in Arkansas, kindly address a letter to a lost daughter, Mabel Gilliam, in care of The Billboard.
 Elstun Brothers' Dog & Pony Show reports a very prosperous season so far. They have encountered some very high winds and a great deal of rain, but, notwithstanding, they claim that the show has made money. The boys are all hustlers, and the patrons are given the most courteous treatment.
 The following is the roster of advertising car No. 2 of the William P. Hall

Shows: F. J. Kessler, manager; Tony Hannum, bills; Kid Moore, litho; O. L. Schmidt, programmer; Frank Mills, porter, and the following billposters: Ted Nichols, M. J. Nies, Scout Williams, Art Ansdell, "Doc" Ingram, Mr. Vermette and Mr. Evans.
 Notes from the Gentry Brothers' Shows: The Gentry Brothers' Shows United encountered a severe windstorm at Chillicothe, Mo. The canvas, which was badly torn, was repaired by the Des Moines, Ia., Tent and Awning Co. Harry Wolf, late of the Barlow Minstrels, joined the shows at Waterloo, Ia., May 24, as assistant leader of the band. The Five Normans are making a big hit with the show. Harry C. Fitzgerald, adjuster, visited the shows at Waterloo, May 24, and left for Omaha, where they played 29-30. The show has been doing big business all along.



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TRAGEDY AT LUNA PARK

While the audience was applauding the performance of Fire and Flames at Luna Park, Coney Island, May 27, Mr. Geo. S. McLean, one of the performers who scale the wall, met a tragic death. At the time of the accident McLean had caught the hooks of his ladder on the ledge of the third-story window and was about to reach for one of the screaming women, when the ladder swayed and fell to the pavement with a crash. McLean's neck was broken, his skull fractured and his leg broken in two places. An ambulance was called, but none of the audience dreamed but what it was part of the performance and the applause continued. When the ambulance was driven away with the injured man inside, however, the facts dawned upon the audience and there was a general rush for the exits. For a time panic was threatened, but at last peace and quiet was restored and the performance discontinued.

PERFORMER HURT

Nelson, who was engaged to make a slide for life at Wonderland, the new park at Milwaukee, Wis., had his left leg broken at the ankle at the opening exhibition, May 27. The hook to which one end of the cable was fastened gave way, and Nelson fell a distance of fifty feet to the ground. This is his second fall, and he says he will quit the business.

PARK NOTES.

Fred R. Castle has accepted the position of calliope player at White City, Chicago, for the season.
 Spring Lake Park, Texarkana, Tex., opened Sunday, May 22, with the Boston Ideal Opera Co. in the theatre.
 Forest Park, Utica, N. Y. opened the season May 20. Peter's Orchestra has been engaged for the season, and many specialties have been arranged for. The new lighting equipment is worthy of mention.
 Cedar Point Park Sandusky, Ohio, will open June 10, and this beautiful resort is rapidly assuming shape. Many new features

have been added and it is without doubt one of the finest resorts in the country.
 Handley Park, Fort Worth, Tex. is doing a flourishing business. The Connors just closed a most successful engagement here. Yarborough Bowen is singing illustrated songs.
 Idora Park Casino, Youngstown, O., opened the season May 29, under the management of H. D. Noble. The theatre will be devoted to high-class vaudeville, which will be booked by Frank Melville of New York.
 Wonderland, Milwaukee's new park, opened its gates to the public, May 27, and was crowded both afternoon and evening. The management has provided many attractions, and the crowds will undoubtedly go to Wonderland this season.
 Ocean View, Norfolk's popular resort, opened its season May 30 with a large display of fireworks under the management of Mr. Jake Wells. A number of new features have been added and improvements made which greatly add to its attractiveness.

Wildwood Park at St. Paul opened May 28 under the management of Mr. H. M. Barnett, who for the past six seasons has been at the head of the resort. Many new attractions have been added, including a Hooligan Slide. The resort is located on White Bear Lake, one of the finest lakes in the west.
 Cayuga Lake Park, near Seneca Falls, N. Y., was formally opened Memorial Day. The park has been thoroughly cleaned and renovated, the pier rebuilt, fresh paint applied to the buildings, and everything put in first-class condition. A merry-go-round and Ferris Wheel have been installed under the management of W. D. Traux, of Rochester.
 Johnson's Island Pleasure Resort opened its season May 27. This resort has been greatly enlarged and a successful season is in prospect. On the opening night the resort was crowded and plenty of amusement was supplied for all. The new buildings are the theatre and skating rink; the dancing pavilion has also been greatly improved. The park is under the management of C. L. Goodsite.

Fairmont Park Theatre, Woodstock, Ont., opened May 22, under the management of H. E. Humphrey, with the favorite melodrama, A Fatal Wedding. The company includes H. E. Humphrey, Harry Andrews, J. Edward Trevor, Harry Driscoll, Harry Bellmar, Clarence Leewood, Miss Shirely Nelson, Edna Earle Andrews, Marie Trevor and Leale Palmer. Will Patterson is stage carpenter and Jack G. Reid, property man.

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Midway Park, located between Piqua and Troy, Ohio, opens its season Monday, June 12. This park has been greatly improved and enlarged by adding over thirty acres of beautiful woodland on the banks of the Miami river. Many new and unique concessions will be located. The management has installed bathing, boating and steam launches. One of the latest amusement devices, the Airship, will be installed. As an opening attraction for the theatre, the management announces a two weeks' engagement of the Metropolitan Juvenile Opera Co. The theatre is under the management of Eugene M. Purkiss, late of Luna Park, Coney Island, N. Y.
 Hillside Pleasure Park, the new amusement resort at Belleville, N. J., was opened May 27 under most favorable circumstances. The G. P. Kemp Wild West and Indian Congress is being featured. The personnel of this show includes the Cody family, Col. and Mrs. Victor F. Cody, May and Jennie Cody. Others are the Misses Mida Kemp and Blanche McKinney, F. M. Kemp, Slim Higley, Albert Welker, Floyd Hill, Albert Falke, Reeves and Smith, colored sketch team, and "Midget" Pascal, a half-breed Cherokee. The band is augmented by a band of Indians. The Kemp combination is booked for ten weeks. Hillside Pleasure Park is centrally located. The amusements are under the direction of Harry S. Healey. James Blake, of the Empire Theatre, Newark, is ticket-seller; John McNally, of the Columbia Theatre billposting staff, is doing the lithographing; Edward A. Mueller, of the Waldman Opera House, Newark, is musical director, and Harry Bonnell is doing the press work. Mr. C. A. Dunlap, of Electric Park, Newark, was recently elected president of the Association. Michael J. Doyle is vice-president; Thomas Crowley, secretary and William E. Thaller, general manager.

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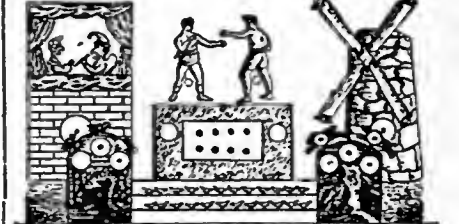


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At exactly 4:22, eastern time, Thursday, June 1, President Roosevelt touched the electric key which set in motion the Lewis and Clark Exposition and the chimes of the Government building pealed out the information that the great western fair was formally opened. As a prelude to the opening ceremonies an enormous pageant, headed by Vice-President Charles W. Fairbanks, President H. W. Goode of the Exposition and a number of prominent political and social representatives, proceeded from the post-office through the principal streets of Portland, thence to the Exposition grounds. The head of the pageant was detached, and as Vice-President Fairbanks emerged from the New York Building a salute of eighteen guns was fired amid the deafening cheers of the enormous crowd that assembled for the opening ceremonies. So great was the crowd that those who were within reach of the speaker's voice were indeed fortunate.

Promptly at 12 o'clock President H. W. Goode arose, and with gavel in hand, announced the beginning of the ceremonies, which meant to Portland the realization of her dreams. Right Rev. David H. Moore, of Cincinnati, invoked divine blessing. He was followed by a march, entitled Imperial Oregon, and dedicated to the memory of Captains Lewis and Clark, which was played by the band. President Goode then delivered his opening address, a master piece of oratory, inspired and strengthened by his wide grasp of the situation and his deep insight; animated by his patriotic impulse and his love for the northwest. Governor George Chamberlain of Oregon followed with an address of welcome, and in turn came short addresses by Hon. Jefferson Myers, president of the Lewis and Clark Centennial Commission; Hon. George H. Williams, Mayor of Portland; Hon. Clarence D. Clark, of Wyoming, representing the United States Senate; James A. Tawney, representing the House of Representatives; H. A. Taylor, First Assistant Secretary of the Treasurer, representing the various departments of the United States Government; Joseph G. Cannon, Speaker of the House of Representatives, lastly the personal representative of President Roosevelt, Vice-President Charles W. Fairbanks. All were given ovations, and when the last speaker had finished the national salute of twenty-one guns announced that the president was about to open the exposition. Then, after a moment of the most solemn stillness, the tick came from the instrument on the platform, the chimes began their music and President Goode's gavel fell, announcing the formal opening. The band struck up The Star Spangled Banner, and pandemonium reigned while cannons roared and the crowds applauded. Silence was restored after a few moments and the benediction was pronounced by the Most Rev. Alexander Christie, Archbishop of Oregon City, the centennial salute of one hundred guns ending the ceremonies.

In Washington the opening was attended with elaborate ceremonies, all the members of the cabinet, with the reception of Secretary Hay, being present, besides a large number of foreign ambassadors and invited guests.

Following the opening ceremonies a dinner was tendered by the exposition directorate to Vice-President Fairbanks and the congressional party, and later in the evening a public reception was given in the pavilion annex to the New York Building. The day was concluded with a magnificent display of fireworks on the lake.

The opening day was a most auspicious one for the Lewis and Clark Exposition. The grounds were crowded during the day with people from all sections of the country. President Goode has been the recipient of many heartfelt congratulations, and the prospects are bright for the ultimate success of the centennial.

CAN IT HELP THEM

Requests for hearings from St. Louis Fair exhibitors, who are at present in controversy with the Louisiana

Purchase Exhibition Co. over the coming award of prizes, have been filed at the office of the National Commission in New York, but as the commission has less than six weeks to live and proceedings of such a nature, if started, would last well into next winter, it is doubtful if the commissioners will be able to do anything to give satisfaction for the complainants.

The protesting exhibitors, among whom are some of the most prominent manufacturers in the country, are opposed to the award of prizes, on the ground that exhibits were improperly classified and judged, and that many of the resulting awards will be unfair.

The act of Congress, by which the National Commission was created, provided that the awards of the exhibition company must be officially indorsed by the commission. This, so far, has not been done, and, as the commission by law ceases to exist on July 1, there is much speculation as to whether the opportunity to confirm the decisions will ever be presented.

The certificates of awards, it is said, are now completed and only await issuance.

FAIR NOTES.

Tillie Ashley, who holds the world's championship among oarsmen, will give exhibitions in rowing on Guild's Lake at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Miss Ashley has issued a challenge to all comers.

There will be a meeting of the secretaries of the Kansas and Oklahoma Fair Associations at Hutchinson, Kan., Friday, June 9. Everything looks bright for the different associations and a prosperous year is looked forward to.

Western Authors' Week at the Lewis and Clark Exposition, Portland, has been set for the week beginning July 10. Saturday, July 15, will be Joaquin Miller Day. A notable gathering of writers and their admirers is expected.

The management of the Lewis and Clark Exposition has secured Sellwood Park, which can be used by the soldiers and their families visiting the Portland Exposition. Major T. O. Bell is superintendent of the camp and will have charge of all preparations.

The Marvelous Baums begin a three weeks' engagement beginning June 12 at the Lewis and Clark Exposition as a free attraction. The Baums will perform on a tight wire stretched over the lake, and it will be the first time this duo has ever given their act over water.

Committees have been appointed and offices opened for the Kentucky State Fair, to be held at Lexington, Ky., in September. Now that the work has commenced on the big show to be held in the heart of the blue grass region, all those interested are looking forward to a successful event.

The Norfolk Horse Show and Fair Association's Spring Meet, held May 16-19, considering weather conditions, was a decided success. Improvements have been made to the park and the seating capacity increased to 7,500 to accommodate the increased patronage expected at their annual fair, Aug. 7-12.



J. A. DARNABY MARRIED

Mr. J. A. Darnaby, associate owner of the Parker Amusement Co., was married in Kansas City, Mo., May 28, to Miss Annie Saunders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Saunders of Mexico, Mo. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. S. Church at the Methodist parsonage. Mr. Saunders accompanied his daughter to Kansas City Saturday evening, where they met Mr. Darnaby, and arrangements were made for the marriage the following morning. The event was quite a surprise to friends of both parties, but as soon as the news became known congratulations were showered upon them from all sources. The bride is a very beautiful and accomplished young lady, and very popular. Mr. Darnaby is an excellent gentleman in every sense, and enjoys the highest respect and confidence in the amusement business. The Billboard wishes them long years of success and happiness.

DIABOLO INJURED

Diavolo, who loops the death trap with the Mundy Shows, met with an accident May 26 at Owensboro, Ky., where the company was playing a week's engagement. One of the traps failed to work properly and caught the

rider in the stomach. Diavolo received internal injuries and was taken to the hospital at Indianapolis, Ind., where he has an even chance for life. Diavolo also did the high dive for the Mundy Shows. In private he is known as Arthur Holden.

WILL TEST LICENSE ORDINANCE

In view of the fact that a street fair was to be held in LaFayette, Ind., in October, the town board of that city has passed an ordinance placing a \$200 license on all carnival companies exhibiting within the bounds of the city. The action of the board may prevent the holding of the fair, but the committee has retained able counsel and will test the ordinance.

MONARCH CARNIVAL COMPANY

The Mitchell-Sanger Monarch Carnival Co. opened its season with a week's engagement at Kokomo, Ind., beginning May 2. The opening was occasioned with the most favorable circumstances. The ten handsome fronts, each bearing huge lion heads of gold, together with the three magnificent riding devices, constitute a pretty spectacle. And the real goods are there behind the fronts. The features are Dickson & Mustard's pantomime spectacle, Humpty Dumpty, and the Roman Coliseum. In the latter are to be found Ward Trio, English acrobats; LaBelle, Unita and Paul, contortionists; Two Fords, Fred. Hilton, novelty balancing and novelty ladder act; Lane and Suzinetta, canon ball juggling act; Washer Brothers, boxing midgits; Mons. Zarella, unicycle artist; reveals these attractions: Myster-Burnett and Price, aerial artists, and Prof. Edwards' troupe of sixteen educated ponies and a kennel of thirty-one canines. A stroll down the pike reveals the following attractions: Myster-Miss Jones, Electric Theatre, featuring Fairyland and the Counter-felters; London Ghost Show, Creation, Battle and Bombardment of Port Arthur, Palace of Illusions, Down in Dixie, Decatur Fire Run, Florida, the Beautiful, Ferris wheel, English carousel and aerial flights, a new English riding machine.

The free acts embrace the Ward Trio in their novelty act, entitled the Human Bridge; Dare Devil Nevada, aerial cyclist, in a loop the gap; Bartell Family of eight in a high class acrobatic act. Prof. Taggart's band of twenty-two real musicians furnishes inspiration for the different attractions.

Following is the executive staff: M. Mitchell, manager; H. Sanger, director general; Wm. F. Lee, general agent; F. Sutton, queen contest promoter; W. C. Walker, advertising agent; L. M. West, excursion agent; C. A. Brady, press agent; O. G. White, treasurer; "Doc" Ellis, master of transportation; Spencer O'Day, superintendent of constructions, and Lon Williams, electrician.

STREET FAIR NOTES

Harry Shallicross and J. L. Springer expect to open a five-man medicine show. A. F. Gorman, agent Hoss & Newman Carnival Co., was calling on friends in New Philadelphia, O., May 10.

The Harrieses write that they closed with the Great Mandy Shows June 2 to go to Coney Island, N. Y., for the summer.

George, the "Arkansas Turtle Boy," has secured Mr. Earl Gebhart, ticket seller and all-day grinder, for the box of his show.

The San Raphael Carnival of All Nations was a great success under the auspices of the San Raphael Improvement Club of San Francisco.

Elmer Angle and Matt Ress, the candy men with the Welder Carnival Co., have closed with that company and are at home in New Philadelphia, O.

The street fair and carnival recently held at Charlotte, N. C., netted to Battery A, the beneficiary, nearly \$1,000. It rather looks as if carnivals do pay, don't it?

Ed. Foley, of the Nat Reis Southern Carnival Co., has been in San Francisco securing talent for the street fair to be held at Reno, Nevada, June 29-July 4. Everything points to success.

W. Maurice Rucker, superintendent of construction and transportation for Whitney's Greater Shows for the past two seasons, closed with that organization June 4 and can be addressed in care of The Billboard.

Committees and patrons in all the cities visited by the Whitney Greater Shows unite in their praise of the beautiful fronts, clean shows and the orderly manner in which the organization is conducted.

Mr. H. C. Jones is billing ahead for the United States Carnival Co. He writes that the company played to good business in Sparta, Ill., last week, also that Jumbo, the big horse, is still with the United States Carnival Co.

The Ed. Browne Family opened May 15 with the Continental Carnival Co. They are closing the show in the Coliseum and making a hit. They have added the comedy acrobatic hog, Teddie, to their act.

"Doc" Thomas White writes: After a successful winter at Cotton Plant, Ark., I leave May 28 to join the Royal Amusement Co., with which company I have booked my Alligator Farm and taken up four concessions.

The street fair to be held at Oskaloosa, Ia., week of June 19, at which time the New Parker Amusement Co. will furnish the attractions will be held in the interest of the base ball club under whose auspices it will be given.

Mr. James Adams, of the Jones-Adams Carnival Co. made a flying trip to Philadelphia and New York last week to buy animals for their new animal show, having already arranged with Captain Wilson and other trainers to handle them.

Chas. Slim Wren is meeting with much success as manager of Wn Ching Wa, the living doll with the Parker Company No. 1. The attraction is breaking the record in the Indian Territory. Mr. Wren sends his regards to his friends in the profession.

Ferari Brothers showed at Findlay, Ohio, May 22 and week to immense crowds daily. Our correspondent writes that the Manikin Theatre, German Village, Mamie Show and the Trained Animal Show were the features that drew the largest crowds.

A committee of merchants of Uhrichsville, Ohio, waited upon the representative of the Hoss & Newman Carnival Co. recently, but failed to come to terms. Our correspondent writes that Uhrichsville is a good show town and that there is a good week's business for some carnival company.

Miss Ella Lake, of the Gibson Girl Co., with the Mundy Show, and who is suffering with cancer, was recently sent to the hospital at St. Louis, Mo., by subscriptions raised among members of the Mundy Shows. Miss Lake will be pleased to hear from all her friends who worked on The Pike with her at the World's Fair.

Kirk Brothers' Carnival Co. will open the season July 4, at Logan, Kan., for a three days' stand. The company carries eight paid shows and three free attractions. The shows already signed are as follows: Laughing Palace, The Moto Show, Minstrel Show, Electric Theatre and Old Plantation and a steam carousel. The free acts will be a high dive, loop-the-loop and a balloon act.

Notes from the Collins Society Circus: After repeated blowdowns in Nebraska, we arrived in Denver only to meet with bad weather. The losses sustained by Mr. Collins caused the show to be tied up for a few days, but all was finally arranged satisfactory. Mr. Geo. B. Mooney, the advance man, took out a number of the side shows and a band of ten pieces and opened in Fort Collins, Col., to good business. He will play through the northwest. So far he has four good shows, a merry-go-round and a Ferris wheel, besides the band. The shows are as follows: F. L. Corby's Electric Theatre, J. C. Beatty's Moving Pictures, Smith & Johnson's Ghost Show and Ed. Rogers Lettiss's Vandeville Girls. The new organization will be known as the Northwestern Amusement Co.

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NOW FOR A COAT OF WHITEWASH

In a copy of the official proceedings of the Tri-State Billposters' Association of Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska in convention at Topeka, Kan., on May 18, it is noted that resolutions were offered by Mr. Zehrung on behalf of Mr. P. J. McAlliney of St. Louis, commending the action of the National Association, its officers, the board of directors and the official journal "for the wise administration of Association matters during the past two years, and placing the Tri-State Association on record as being opposed to any publication or man who undertakes to stir up discontent and strife for the purpose of destroying the Association and the present satisfactory condition of affairs." The minutes say that the resolution was adopted with "considerable enthusiasm."

We haven't the least doubt about the "enthusiasm." It would be difficult indeed for any one of the twenty-three men present at that meeting to suppress his amusement upon the reading of the resolution in question. For the past ten years The Billboard has been the target for similar resolutions until the subject has become to be a huge joke. What is more amusing to us is that the big fellows in the Association who inspire these resolutions are really in earnest about it. Not satisfied with administering to themselves a coat of whitewash, they can not resist the opportunity to vent their spite against The Billboard; and The Billboard continues to grow and grow—every "knock" is a "boost," you know.

Here is the thing about the business that is humorous; may be you have noticed it yourself, but anyway we want to make it plain to you. First a little illustration: Ever watch a lot of little boys playing marbles? As the game progresses some one of the little fellows loses out. When he realizes that his stock of "mlbs" are gone he sets up a howl and runs home to tell his mamma, or his big brother, that a bad boy cheated and stole all his marbles. Of course you have seen it work out that way a hundred times; you have been in the game yourself when it happened and yelled "cry-baby, cry-baby," after the little fellow as he ran home for sympathy.

That's what is called the "baby-act;" its full brother to the "welcher" in a poker game.

That is just the kind of a game a few of the big fellows in the Association have been playing for several years. They throw out their chests, do a lot of bluffing, but when they are called and lose their marbles they do the "baby-act" just like the little boy, and run about to the various State Associations to get resolutions passed commending their actions and condemning the fellow that called their bluff.

A good sport takes his medicine quietly; he never yells murder every time he gets pinched, but keeps quiet and waits for a chance to catch the other fellow napping. The Billboard has had many assorted packages handed to it by the Big Guys of the Association and has managed to struggle along under the load; but what a roar has gone up from those same Big Guys every time The Billboard handed them one and made them take it! This time they have a package that sticks to them and its a hot one, too. They have been yelling murder for more than a month. When the official organ comes out for June it will have a dozen sympathetic resolutions including the one adopted at the Tri-State meeting "with considerable enthusiasm." It will be a beautiful coat of whitewash, self administered.

And it will take lots of whitewash to cover up the "Secondary Franchise," the deficit in the "Reserve Fund" and the attempt to "tap the till" to pay for the holiday cover of the official organ. The Billboard would suggest that all

Associations that have not met and resolved on the subject, should mix up as big and stiff a batch of whitewash as possible so as to make the job complete. Put in a little paste so it will stick better. Once a "welcher" always a "welcher," and ordinary whitewash will soon rub off.

All this resolutioning business about The Billboard and its editor goes to prove that both The Billboard and the editor are still in the game and that the Big Guys are just as easily frightened as ever. BUTTINSKI

PENNSYLVANIA CONVENTION

The eleventh annual convention of the Pennsylvania Billposters' Association was held at the Belvidere Club, Altoona, Pa., on Thursday and Friday, May 25-26. Thirty-three billposters were present. Barney Link was not there to represent Pittsburg, but his press agent was. Twenty-four applications for membership were elected, which is pretty good for Pennsylvania. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: John D. Mishler, Reading, president; B. C. Pentz, York, vice-president; John H. Faga, Mauch Chunk, treasurer; Charles A. Yecker, Lancaster, secretary. Executive Committee—H. A. Groman, Bethlehem; H. F. Stahlbrodt, Erie; James Reardon, Scranton, and Fred Robbins, Connellsville.

The contest for the next place of meeting was a warm one, but the honors were carried off by Henry F. Stahlbrodt, of Erie, who came loaded with passports for a good time, signed by the leading business men's organizations of this city.

Mr. Guy S. Burley and I. C. Mishler, proprietors of the Altoona Billposting Co., made ample provisions for the entertainment of the visiting billposters. A trip round the city and a banquet of no mean proportions will keep the memory of the meeting green for many a day.

TRI-STATE CONVENTION

The seventh annual convention of the Tri-State Billposters' Association of Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska was held in the rooms of the Topeka Commercial Club, Topeka, Kan., on Thursday, May 18. Twenty-three members were present. After conducting the usual routine business the convention adjourned for a slight-seeing trip which wound up with luncheon at the Topeka Elks' Club. Lincoln, Neb., was selected for the next place of meeting. The following were elected to membership: G. A. Krauss, Versailles, Mo.; Charles Schnack, Larned, Kan.; Fred Morris & Co., Marshall, Mo.; City Billposting Co., Charleston, Mo., and Sedalia Billposting Co., Sedalia, Mo. Several members were suspended for non-payment of dues and others for not attending to business. W. A. Loe, of Hutchinson, Kan., who was suspended upon the complaint of advertisers, was reinstated, it having been found that there was no cause of complaint.

ATLANTIC CITY AGGRESSIVE

The City Council of Atlantic City, N. J., passed an ordinance, May 22, aimed at the abolishment of billposting in that city. The ordinance prohibits the erection of any billboard over six feet in height, and declared that they must all be placed ten feet back of the building line. Another one of its provisions is that all boards now erected could be declared nuisances and their demolition ordered at once. The Billposting Sign Co., through their attorney, Mr. Alfred DeUnger, immediately applied to the Supreme Court at Trenton, N. J., for a writ of certiorari, which was granted on May 26, and this will prevent the ordinance from going into effect until the case is tried.

This is the second attempt of Atlantic City to interfere with billposting. About two years ago council passed a similar ordinance, which was attacked in the Supreme Court and declared unconstitutional. As the present ordinance practically prevents pri-

vate owners deriving a revenue from their vacant lots, it will no doubt suffer the same fate. In the meantime billposting will not be interfered with by the law.

INDIANA BILLPOSTERS

The annual convention of the Indiana Billposters Association held at LaFayette, Ind., elected the following officers: president, E. M. Watson, LaFayette; secretary, Ed. Harter, of Huntington; treasurer, J. M. Schlegler, Logansport. The next meeting will be held in Indianapolis.

DAUBS.

Ambrose Long, of Snohomish, Wash., is putting a plant in the town of Monroe, Wash. It has a population of 2,250 and lies in a rich farming region. Its merchants are enterprising and enjoy a good trade.

"I like the way you handed it to the gang on the New York deal," writes a member of the Billposters' Association, and he adds "I am sure the billposters all over the country appreciate the fact that they have somebody to take their part."

Billboards all over the country are reported full to the guards with commercial paper. Almost every billposter is having trouble keeping his waiting list down, and he has to accommodate a circus now and then. Its sure going to be a great year.

It is reported that the poster contest at Montreal, to be held under the auspices of the Associated Billposters, will be a great success. The committee is working hard and are receiving many applications for space from prominent poster printers all over the world.

The Hagerstown (Md.) Billposting Co., are erecting many new boards and making improvements on the old ones. Col. Futterer, manager, is experimenting with sheet iron boards, and the Hagerstown plant is one of the most extensive, if not most pretentious, in the state.

John Craig & Co., of Spring Valley, Ill., have added two new plants to their system. Depeue, a new manufacturing town of 4,000, which has a \$2,000,000 zinc works, and Ladd, a new coal mining camp of 3,000, are the towns, and Craig & Co. have all the boards needed for a good display. They also have the Association franchise for each place.

The officials minutes of the Tri-State meeting notes the receipt of telegram expressing regret because they couldn't come, from M. H. Hudson, Jr., and P. J. McAlliney. The note says: "Mr. Hudson's telegram also announced the arrival of a fine new baby girl." The question is what did McAlliney's telegram announce; was it a new baby girl "also"?

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ALABAMA.

MONTGOMERY.—Pickett Springs Casino (O. A. Neal, mgr.) The Payton Sisters opened a three weeks' engagement 29 to the largest audience of the season. The specialties are the best seen here in some time.

CALIFORNIA.

LOS ANGELES.—Mason Opera House (H. C. Wyatt, les. and mgr.) Dark week May 28. Burbank Theatre (Oliver Morocco, les. and mgr.) The Burbank Stock Co. presented a four-act comedy, Me and Mother. Every favorite in the company has an opportunity to display his talent, while the scenic equipment is well up to the Burbank standard.

Belasco Theatre (H. B. Blackwood, mgr.) A revival of the dramatization of Bret Harte's story, Tennessee's Partner by the Belasco Stock Co. is proving a strong drawing card. It is an interesting story, and, in the hands of these actors, is well told. All the favorites are well cast and the beautiful scenic effects were duly appreciated by a crowded house opening night.

Grand Opera House (Thomas Baker, mgr.) The Great Train Robbery, by the Ulrich Stock Co., is thrilling and melodramatic enough to suit the most fastidious taste of this patronage. Crowded houses continue the rule.

Orpheum (Clarence Drown, mgr.) An entirely new bill holds the boards this week. Emmett Corrigan and his company in their sensational riding act; Charles H. Burke, Grace LaBue and the Inky Boys present a laughable horse-podge of music and fun; Henri French does a little of everything except dance; Charles Berry and Hulda Halvers in an unique specialty; John Birch in a one-man melodrama; Mme. Slapowski in a selection of songs; Lavender and Thomson in their clever sketch, and Les Dahlias in their novelty dances make up a strong bill that is doing big business.

Chutes Park and Theatre (Henry Koch, mgr.) The Great Zarrow Family of sensational cycle acrobats are the headliners at the park this week. Their opening date, Sunday, May 28, brought an enormous crowd of pleasure seekers to the amusement grounds. Their daring act, Leaping The Gap, seen for the first time here in which they have done away with the loop leaving a clear open space, in which the leap is made. The cycle dangle, although often seen, has not lost popularity as was proven by the hearty applause. Excellent musical programs are rendered by Donatelli's Italian Band, comprising classical and popular selections. This band of thirty members have won the favor of the public to a wonderful extent, seats on the grand stand recently erected being at a premium. Prof. Grant Morton, the intrepid balloonist, who nearly lost his life a short time ago in attempting an unusually daring balloon ascension, it out of the hospital and is now making his record breaking ascensions as usual.

Fisher's, The Casino, Broadway, Lyric, Cineograph, Unique and Angelus, ten and twenty cent vaudeville houses, all report good business. June 3 is the date set for the opening of the New Empire Theatre, another ten and twenty cent house seating 960 people and quite elegantly fitted up. D. W. FERGUSON.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA.—The Grand (H. L. & J. L. DeGiva, mgrs.) Closed for season.

The Bijou (Jake Wells, les.) Closed for season. The Star (J. B. Thompson, mgr.) Vaudeville continues to keep up a good attendance at this playhouse.

The Casino (Jake Wells, mgr.) The Wells-Dunne-Harlan Co. in The Knickerbocker Girl packed this theatre to the doors every night week May 29. Mary Marble and Little Chip received the greatest ovation, as usual. The other members appeared to good advantage, and the Musical Maidens made a decided hit. This company will remain here for next week also.

D. E. MOOREHEAD, 812 4th Nat. Bank Bldg. AUGUSTA.—Monte Sano Casino. The Peruch-Gypsens Co. opened a summer's engagement 29, with The Sins of Society, or A Woman Against an Empire, to crowded houses. C. D. Peruch is general manager and Will J. Irvin resident manager. The Grand Opera House opens 5 for a summer run of vaudeville.

ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO.—Illinois Theatre (Will J. Davis, mgr.) Geo. W. Coban in Little Johnny Jones is packing the theatre at every performance.

Fowers' Theatre (Harry Ashkin, mgr.) The Isle of Bong Bong, second edition; big business. Grand Opera House (Harry Ashkin, mgr.) Lew Fields' Co. in It Happened in Nordland; turn-away business.

Great Northern Theatre (Fred C. Eberts, mgr.) Buster Brown; capacity business. Hundreds turned away on Decoration Day.

Studebaker Theatre (R. E. Harmer, mgr.) Beginning June 5, Richard Carls in The Mayor of Tokio.

Garrick Theatre (Samuel P. Gerson, mgr.) Piff, Paff, Puff; big business. LaSalle Theatre (H. E. Mackey, bus. mgr.) The Isle of Spice.

McVicker's Theatre (Geo. C. Warren, bus. mgr.) All Round Chicago; big business. Hyde & Behman's Theatre (Archie H. Ellis, mgr.) Kafozelum.

Bush Temple Theatre (Elizabeth Schoeber, mgr.) Old Heidelberg is presented again this, the closing week.

People's Theatre (Leslie Davis, mgr.) Don Caesar de Buzan closes the season this week. Howard Theatre (Chas. W. Burrill, mgr.) Laura Hulbert in Rose Carlad.

Alhambra Theatre (J. H. Browne, mgr.) Over Niagara Falls.

Columbus Theatre (Weber Bros., mgrs.) Stock. Olympic Theatre (A. Jacobs, mgr. for Kohl & Castle) Week 5: Claud Gillinwater & Co., Okabe Troupe, Dorothy Sisters, Musical Keltos, Sadie Leonard, Gardner and Clayton, Christy and Wills, Nat. Gill, Walter Oberster & Co., Minstrel Trio, and Geo. K. Spoor's kinodrome.

Chicago Opera House (Kohl & Castle, mgrs.) Final week as a vaudeville theatre. Week 5: Simon Gardner & Co., Mary Norman, Max Figman and Adelaide Minola, Carver and Eohard, Gine Brothers, Pierce and Rosslyn, Brothers Sells, Hammond and Forester, Kates Brothers, Mietz's Dogs, Gordon and Hays, Constantineau and Lawrence, Hatch Brothers, Montgomery and Munson, and Geo. K. Spoor's kinodrome. Commencing June 12, The Land of Nod, Trocadero Theatre. Summer Stock: Burlesque. WABEEN A. PATRICK.

SPRINGFIELD.—The Chatterton (Geo. W. Chatterton, res. mgr.) The Juck Bessey Stock Co., of Ottumwa, Ia., has held this house ten nights to an average fair attendance and will remain until June 4. The company is capable and presented a first-class repertoire.

The Guley (Smith & Burton, res. mgrs.) Artificial breezes have been installed for the summer season and a continuation of Al acts is promised. The bill for week 29 included Fillmore and Adams, comedians; Master Rocco, child wonder; The Fairchilds, comedy sketch; LeMaire and LeMaire, singing and dancing; Arthur Borella, musical comedian, and the jroctoscope.

The Olympic (John Berriman, mgr.) Attendance has been quite good of late and favorable comment is heard upon the class of the offerings. The bill week 29 included Mabel DeLeon, Kitty Moon, Roberts and DeMont, Vesta Montrose, Fogart and Brown, and moving pictures.

JOLIET.—Grand Theatre (Louis Goldberg, mgr.) Week May 22: Feldman and Ball, singing and dancing comedians; J. Howard Maxwell, monologist and original parodies; The Rosales, The Three Graces, and the polycope. Week 29: Four German Girls, Geo. and May Woodward, Surzal and Hartzel, Berdonna Gilbert, Grace Wilson, and the polycope. Circus—Wallace Brothers' Circus June 14.

MARION.—Ten Nights in a Barroom, under canvas, 31; Alabama Carnival Co. 29-June 3.

DIXON.—Gedney's Park (Henry Coffee, mgr.) Singer's U. T. C., under canvas, June 2.

IOWA.

DES MOINES.—Foster's Opera House (Wm. Foster, mgr.) The house has been dark since May 22, and will remain closed until June 7, when E. H. Sothorn and Julia Marlowe will appear in Romeo and Juliet.

Auditorium (Wm. Foster, mgr.) Richard Mansfield in Beau Brummel May 27; one of the largest audiences of the season.

Grand Opera House (Wm. Foster, mgr.) North Brothers' Comedians May 25-June 4; change of bill at every performance, good business.

Ingersoll Park (Fred Buchanan, mgr.) Opened May 28 to large crowds. Bill in the theatre: Staxley and Birbeck, musical transformation act; Wilson Trio, Radcliff, and Winchester, Pawitt, French clown; Laro and Payne, and the kinodrome. Paul Couches is to be headlined week June 4.

Campbell Brothers drew two fairly large crowds May 25. Hagenbeck's Wild Animal Show is billed for June 12. Barnum & Bailey are billed for July 17.

IOWA FALLS.—Metropolitan Opera House (E. O. Elsworth, mgr.) Wm. Owen in Othello May 23; only fair house. International Bioscope 27; only fair business. Circus—Geutry Brothers' Shows United 25; good business. The performing elephants are a strong feature.

MASON CITY.—Wilson Theatre (C. F. Pederson, mgr.) Wm. Owen in Othello May 26; good business, fine performance. International Bioscope Co. 31. This practically closes the season here.

ELDORA.—Wimser Opera House (Gilman & Kenoyer, mgrs.) International Bioscope Co. May 26; good house. Robertson Moving Picture Show June 20.

OSKALOOSA.—Hagenbeck Wild Animal Show June 10; The Parker Amusement Co. 19-24, benefit Baseball Club.

MICHIGAN.

MT. CLEMENS.—The beautiful weather continues to bring many people here for health and rest. Among the notable professionals who have arrived recently are J. Boyer West and Miss Ida VanSiclan, the famous team; Press Eldridge, the eminent monologist who is playing at the Temple Theatre in Detroit this week, comes up here each night and is the first man in the bath house in the morning to boil out a little rheumatism, old jokes and cork.

Nat. M. Wills, the Son of Rest, is studying his new part, the Duke of Duinath, and preparing himself for a season's hard work to open at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, Aug. 12. Billy Swor, of the Wizard of Oz Co., is bathing, resting and studying Nat M. Wills' part in A Son of Rest, which he is to play next season. Jack Meltern, the handsome leading man, late of the Queen of the White Slaves Co., is here for a course of baths. H. O. Wickham, of Fisher & Riley's staff, can be addressed care of Clementine Bath House for several weeks.

Mr. H. Percy Meldon, director for Baldwin-Melville Stock Co. of New Orleans, is stopping at the Park House. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Van Gruben, of the Grand Opera House, New York City, can be addressed care of Clementine until June 20. Wilson S. Ross, manager Arizona Co., arrive this morning for his annual course of baths and fishing. A. H. Woods and wife, Louise Beaton, are expected hourly, and "Rachel Goldstein" will be right at home at the Park House. Miss Fannie McIntyre left here for Toledo to commence rehearsals with J. J. Rosenthal's Co. for the summer. LeRoy and Clayton have left for their summer home in Wisconsin, greatly benefited by the baths. Happy Max Millan has gone to Chicago and has left his suitcase here in the bath tub. Nick Norton is a full fledged farmer and can be seen early and late in his chicken yards. William Kibbia, manager of Stetson's U. T. C. Co., was here on a visit to his home, "Stetsonkibbieelectomocabin Lodge" recently, looking after his stock farm. Minnie Savan, of the Savans, is rapidly recovering after her operation for appendicitis, and will be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

Wallace Circus was here June 3, and made the finest parade that was ever made by any circus in the Bath City; turned people away at the matinee, and S. E. O. at night. CHAS. W. YOUNG.

MINNESOTA.

MINNEAPOLIS.—Bijou Opera House (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) James Boya in Missouri week 21; pleased good houses. Vivian's Pappas week 28.

Unique Theatre (M. Gallagher, mgr.) Bill week 28: Sylvester, Jones and Fringle, comedy sketch; Prof. Braydon's dog show; Charles and Jennie Welch, The Aldeans, Frank Bowman, Irene Little, and moving pictures; four shows daily to good business.

Dewey Theatre (M. H. Singer, mgr.) Helen May Butler's Military Band week 28. Wonderland (H. A. Dorsey, mgr.) Opened May 27, with only a few attractions ready for business. Specialties: Marie Vokes, leaping the gap; Guy Foley, high-wire act; The Willards, stick-wire act; fireworks Tuesday and Friday evenings.

ST. PAUL.—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) The Holy City week 28; given good presentation by The Ferris Stock Co.; good business. Next: Churley's Aunt.

Grand Opera House (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) Dora Thorne week 28; proved a good drawing card, capable company. Next: Nettie, The Newgirl.

Star Theatre (J. C. VanRoo, mgr.) Dainty Duchess Co. week 28; pleased good business. Next: Helen May Butler's Band and vaudeville. Orpheum Theatre (Chas. Frerck, mgr.) Vaudeville. JAS. J. McMAHON.

ALBERT LEA.—Broadway Theatre (W. E. Gage, mgr.) Frank H. Daniels Co. week May 29; opened to good business. Items—Forepaugh & Sells Brothers are billed for June 7. The Cosmopolitan Carnival Co. are billed for June 12-17.

MISSOURI.

ST. LOUIS.—The summer attractions in this city are doing nicely considering cool and rainy weather, and none of the managers show any dissatisfaction. Sunday next will find them all doing business, and the class of attractions are above the general run of summer amusements. The following hills are on for this week:

Delmar Garden. The Girl From Paris was the opening musical comedy, and it more than pleased the big audience of Sunday. The production was excellently put on, and the company is a strong one. In every way a first-class production, with the following members: Richard Ridgley, Eleanor Kent, Alberton Furlong, Nellie W. Nichols, Pearl Revare, Fred R. Runnells, William Clifton, Harry Short, Beasie Fairbairn, Wm. H. West and Miss Helitz. Bad weather considered, they are doing good business.

Forest Park Highlands. Another packed house greeted the excellent bill at Col. Hopkins' resort Sunday. The acts were given by Eight Society Belles, Bedouin Arabs, Young American Quintet, Miss Mattie Brown, Crawford and Manning and Phyllis Allen. The concessions are thriving nicely and a most satisfactory business is being done.

West End Heights. Washburn and Saylor's Comedians presented the three-act farce, Doctor Bill, for this week's attraction, and opened to big business. The excellent company made good and pleased. Among the company are Harry Burkhardt, Helen Lackaye, Charles M. Sney, Edmond Soraghan, Carrie Lamont, Millie Buchanan, Rowland Edwards and Beasie Davis; business fair.

Shurban Garden. Wills' Comedians presented Sweet Sixteen for this week, and opened to big business Sunday. It is for laughing purposes and it made everyone laugh. The company is clever and is growing steadily in popularity; business good and first-class entertainment.

Maulon's Park. The bill which opens Maulon's Park next Sunday includes Heeley and Meeley, Marshall and Lorraine, Mitchell and Love, Doss and Nadolyn, Bonnie Gaylord, and the kinodrome.

Hashhagen's Park opened with a good vaudeville bill and forty-eight side attractions. The luke and chutes were the biggest money getters; business continues fair.

Lemp's Park. An excellent vaudeville bill and a big opening began Lemp's summer season. The program includes acts by Brogg and Ashton, Rice and Morris, Ben Harney, Primrose and Dooley, Harry Woods, Mohammed Kahn, and the kinoscope; business good.

Imperial Theatre. The Bijou Stock Co. is presenting Theurrection as this week's play, and gave a pleasing performance. The company will run another week and close; business fair.

Globe Theatre. This week's vaudeville bill includes Frank LeRoy, Thelma Foster, Pat Gallagher, Lulu Besselman, Mona, Prichard, Little Hazel Butler, and the stock company in a farce entitled A Box of Gloves; business satisfactory.

The Tyrolean Alps will open Sunday with a large orchestra, and all attractions seen during the World's Fair. It is intended to make this resort one of the most popular of its kind in the city. Messrs. Hunnerty & Strine will be the managers and they have good backing.

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NEWARK.—With the exception of Proctor's Theatre, which will remain open all summer, the regular season of the local playhouses is at an end, and the park season has been ushered in under unusually favorable conditions.

Proctor's (J. Austin Fynes, gen. mgr.) Cheri-dah Simpson, the prima donna, was a pleasing feature of last week's bill. This week: Will Cressy and Blanche Dayne, Fred Niblo, Sam Elton, Charles Bradshaw & Co., Vernon, Theimes Troupe, Haastings and Johnson, Madell and Corby, and the motion pictures.

Greater Electric Park (C. A. Duulup, gen. mgr.) Opened May 27 to big business. High-class vaudeville, pika features and dancing. Current in the German Village: Flossie Allen, Harry Wise, Rose Jeannette, Luvelle and Grant, Foster and his dog Barr and Evans, Huma and Winstow, and the cinematograph. The Bottomley Troupe is on its second week.

Hillside Pleasure Park (William E. Thaller, mgr.) Kemp's Hippodrome, Wild West and Indian Congress opened May 27, for ten weeks. Business is brisk. Danclog and a midway are the other features.

Olympic Park (Hans Wevers, mgr.) Opened May 27, with extensive improvements. Refined vaudeville in the new summer theatre, with the following people: Floreace Troupe, Steely, Doty and Coe, Doherty's poodles, Bradlow and Wiley, Brothers Latell, Gorman and West, Kit Karson, and moving pictures.

Standing room was at a premium at the tent-monial benefit tendered to James H. Bueken, the popular local representative of Charles E. Blaney, May 29, in Blaney's Theatre. A brilliant array of vaudeville artists appeared and the list included Miss Anna Laylog & Co., Dixou and Anger, The Three Madcaps, McFarland and Costello, Noe Goodwin, Theodore Westman and Lily Wren, The Clipper Comedy Four, Lon Haskell, Helena Castana, Troxler and Cetrulo, J. W. Hurst, Ed Cody, and Charles Douglas.

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TRENTON.—Trent Theatre (Edward Benton, mgr.) Trent Stock Co. in Puddinghead Willou 29-31; good business. All The Comforts of Home June 1-3. Miss Helen Grayce and Margaret Fields are making personal hits.

Spring Lake Park (M. Rudy Heller, mgr.) Opened May 29 with a good vaudeville bill. Mercer Pleasure Laka (W. D. McMahon, mgr.) Vaudeville nightly.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK CITY.—The theatres which have closed for the season are The Academy of Music, American, Belasco, Berkeley Lyceum, Bijou, Broadway, Circle, Criterion, Daly's, Empire, Fields', Fourteenth Street, Garden, Garrick, Liberty, Madison Square, Majestic, Manhattan, Metropolitan Opera House, Miner's Bowery, Miner's Eighth Avenue, Murray Hill, New Amsterdam, New Lyceum, New West End, New York, Princess, Savoy, Wallack's, Waber Music Hall and the Third Avenue.

Dewey Theatre (Sullivan & Krus, mgrs.) Burlesque.

Gotham Theatre (Snillvan & Kraus, mgrs.) Burlesque.

Grand Opera House (Geo. H. Springer, mgr.) Down Our Way.

Harlem Opera House (Alex. Lichtenstein, mgr.) Adelmeide Kelm and her stock company began their third week, June 5.

Herald Square Theatre (Chas. Frohman, mgr.) The Rollicking Girl is playing to capacity business.

Hudson Theatre (Henry B. Harris, mgr.) The Heir to the Hoorah is crowding this playhouse nightly.

Knickerbocker Theatre (Al. Hayman, mgr.) Frank Daniels in Sergeant Bruce began his seventh week to capacity business June 5.

Lyric Theatre (Lee Shubert, mgr.) Futau began its twenty-first week, June 5.

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BULLALO.—Poor weather is decreasing the attendance at the theatre considerable.

Park Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) Last week The Farnum Stock presented Under The Red Robe to fine business. This week Sag Harbor.

Lyceum Theatre (J. Laughlin, mgr.) Mildred Holland had excellent patronage with her production of The Power Behind The Throne last week. Big business is expected this week when she will appear as Fun Fun in Two Little Vagrants.

Shea's Garden Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) Last week's well-balanced bill played to the usual good business. This week: Joseph F. Sheehan, Herbert's Dogs, Patrice, Mattie Lockette, Young and DeVole, Billy Van, and The Three Castles.

Lafayette Theatre (Chas. M. Bagg, mgr.) Last week The Kentucky Belles repeated their success made earlier in the season. This week The Brigadiers.

Athletic Park (Roht. Walters, mgr.) The largest crowd in the history of the park attended Decoration Day, being about twenty-two thousand. Manager T. S. Molliston, of the Figure Eight Roller Coaster, has arranged the entrance and exit so as to handle the crowds with the greatest speed possible; still a hundred and fifty-foot, double line of people, waited to secure tickets, almost continually, until midnight. Mr. Molliston is certainly a hustler.

The banner business of the concessions was done by the Temple of Mirth, with Fred Thorp as speller. Msnager C. A. Donovan, of the Circle Swing, is working hard, doing his own spelling and being repaid by very good business. D. Mack the speller at the Myth City, has just closed a successful season with McFadden's Flats, and will be with the same attraction next season. Other concessions doing business are The Japanese Tea Garden, Manager Serra's Fortune Telling camp, Manager Weisburg's Wonderland, Hereafter, with S. S. Weil as speller; Zig Zag Alley, J. Sullivan, speller; Haunted Castle, E. Oberlander, speller; The Laughing Gallery, that legitimate hilarity concession, is managed by Harvey Arlington. Helen Gerard, with her wonderful clever horses, made such a strong impression, that she was retained for a second week. Many people came to the park specially to see her act. Marian Barney and Austin Webb in The Golden Rose, and The Maxsmith's Duo in a strong novelty act, were the hit of the bill in the theatre. The hand concerts given by Seluta's Band were only fair. This week the Ninty-first Regiment of Highlanders' Band will be the musical feature.

Dreamland at Rochester had very big crowds last week. The free attractions were The Hungarian Boys' Band, Spanish Clowns from Orrin Brothers' Circus, Hawaiian Orchestra, Five Abachi Arabs, Reed Family, bareback riding and jockey act. Item—Clarence Williams, formerly treasurer at the Academy Theatre, this city, is now cashier for Mr. Walters at Dreamland.

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KENOSHA.—Rhode Opera House (Jos. G. Rhode, mgr.) Bennett-Moulton Co. 21-23; fair business. Little Outcast Co. 30; pleased good audience and closed their season here.

Bijou Family Theatre (O'Brien & Jones, mgrs.) Bill week 29: Davey and Phillipia, Baby Gladys, Lillian Tudor, Will King, Emma Cotrel, Rockway and Couway, Conner's Dogs, Deeda Walker, Raymond Merritt, Eddie Fern, Carliss and St. Clair and the moving pictures to good business. Items—Wallace Shows are billed for June 16. Forepaugh & Sells Brothers passed through here 28, en route from Freeport, Ill. to Milwaukee, where they showed 20. D. McKinley closed with A Little Outcast here 30, and will remain in this city for several weeks.

Robert Forrest, formerly of the At Pluey Ridge Co., called on friends here 27.

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APPLETON.—The Burgomaster 29; good business. Nettie, The Newgirl, 30. Circus—Forepaugh & Sells Brothers are billed for Friday, June 2.

FOND DU LAC.—Crescent Opera House (P. B. Haber, mgr.) 81 Plunkard 24; fair business. Bennett-Moulton Co. in repertoire week 29. Circus—Forepaugh-Sells Brothers 31.

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TORONTO.—Princess (O. E. Sheppard, mgr.) Henrietta Crozman in Mistress Nell, Nance Oldfield and Madeline, week 29, drew well pleased audiences. The Press Club will present A Bachelor's Romance June 6.
 Grand (A. J. Small, mgr.) Eugenie Blair in The Second Mrs. Tanqueray 29 June 3; drew big business. Miss Blair will appear in Oliver Twist next week.
 Shea's (J. Shea, mgr.) J. C. Nugent & Co., Orpheus Comedy Four, Five Valdares were the headliners week 29; average business.
 Star (F. W. Blair, mgr.) Bowery Burlesquers closed the season at this popular resort week ending June 3 to large patronage.
 Majestic (A. J. Small, mgr.) The Famous Georgia Minarels appeared 29-31; only fair attendance. This is the last attraction of the season.
 Hanlan's Point (L. Solomon, mgr.) This celebrated resort opened 24 with immense business, which has been increasing ever since. The special attractions are the Figure Eight, Old Mill, Scenic Railroad, Miniatura railway and others. A big vaudeville bill will be put on June 5.
 Munro Park (W. Banks, mgr.) Josh Daly's Minarels are doing well here. J. A. GIMSON.

LONDON.—Grand (J. E. Turton, mgr.) John Griffith in Macbeth 20; fair house. The Fatal Wedding 24; packed house. Return date for benefit of stage bands 26.
 Bennett's, Formerly the London Vaudeville (C. W. Bennett, mgr.) Marcellous Marsellis, Dan Recklaw, Phillips and Merritt, Tom Hefron, Sisters de Van, Louis Schmidt, Anna Fronosch & Co., and Cirra; good business week 22. Mr. Bennett will close his house in July, and after making some needed repairs will reopen in August.
 Princess Rick, Thomas' Orchestra for three concerts to good attendance. This is their only stop in Canada. H. A. STEVENSON.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Opera House (A. O. Skinner, mgr.) The Gunner's Mate 24-27; drew two immense houses on Victoria Day, 24. Next: Nell Twomey Stock Co. opening with The Wayward Son. Circus—Lemon Brothers' Advance Car No. 1 arrived here 23, and thoroughly billed the town for June 6. Sells & Downs' Shows are announced for June 12, but no paper is up yet. It is rumored that a third circus will play St. John this summer. In addition to these, Prof. Crocker's Indoor Circus will be at the Opera House July 13, for one week. This attraction sailed from Liverpool for Halifax 22.

BELLEVILLE.—Carmen Opera House (L. E. Carmen, mgr.) Richard & Pringle's Minarels 27; good house. House closed with an amateur performance 29.

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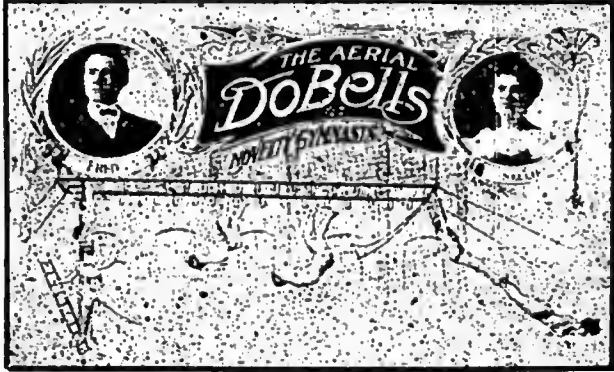
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Dougherty Bros. Tent Co., St. Louis, Mo. J. C. Goss Co., Detroit, Mich.

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TICKET PRINTERS. Ackermann-Quigley Co., Kansas City, Mo. Am. Ticket Co., Toledo, O.

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Park List.

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ALABAMA. Anniston—Oxford Lake Park, Anniston Electric & Gas Co., Ludlow Allen, am. mgr.

Birmingham—Lake View Park, J. Wells, mgr. W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.; East Lake Casino, Jake Wells. Huntsville—Casino Park, J. M. Wells. Mobile—Mobile Park, Mobile Light and E. B. Co.; Monroe Park and Theatre, M. McDermott, theat. les.

Montgomery—Pickett Springs, Maj. E. E. Winters; Highland Park, Bloom Fountain Park, Mtg. St. Ry.; Electric Park, Mtg. Am. Co., box 754; Washington Park (colored people), Mtg. St. Ry. Co.

Seima—Elkdale Park, W. R. Hall; Riverside Park, W. E. Hall; Riverside Pavilion, E. E. Nell. Shemald—Three Cities Park. The Shemald Co., J. B. McClary.

ARKANSAS. Batesville—Crescent Summer Garden, Combs & Hall. Eureka Springs—Auditorium Park, G. V. Halliday, care The Billboard.

Ft. Smith—McCloud's Park; Lemert Park, R. L. Hirvchberg. Hot Springs—Whittington Park, H. O. Price. Little Rock—Forest Park, C. T. Taylor, box 152; Braddock Park, Harry Belknap, mgr.

Pine Bluff—Bell Park, C. Senyard. CALIFORNIA. Los Angeles—Chutes Park, Theatre, Midway and Zoo, Henry Koch. Oakland—Oakland Park.

Sacramento—Oak Park, Sacramento Elec. Gas and Ry. Co., Walter Smith, mgr. theat. San Francisco—Glen Park, C. Stordea; Chutes Park, Schultzen Park.

COLORADO. Cameron—Pinnacle Park. Denver—Union Park, J. R. Crabb; Rocky Mountain Lake Park; Elitch Gardens, Frederick Bond; Manhattan Beach Park; Denver Recreation Park.

Pueblo—Minnequa Park, Jot. D. Glass. CONNECTICUT. Bridgeport—Pine Rock Park, J. E. Sewell; Steeplechase Island, C. H. Fleming.

Bristol—Lake Compounce Park and Summer Theatre, Perce & Norton. Danbury—Kenosia Park, F. A. Shear, box 42. Danielson—Wildwood Park, People's Tramway Co.

East Haven—Momaquin Park, J. A. Blake. Hartford—Werder's Park; Charter Oak Park, E. M. Salter, care Fasig-Tipton Co., Madison Square Garden, New York; Capital Park, E. J. McDonald, care Nelson Theatre, Springfield, Mass.

Killingly—Wildwood Park, Samuel Anderson, Danville, mgr.; J. A. Blake, New Haven, booking agt. Manchester—Laurel Park.

Meriden—Hanover Park, W. P. Bristol, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer book. agt., N. Y. C. Middletown—Lake View Park, C. H. Chapman, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.

New Britain—White Oak Park, W. J. Plimmer. New Haven—Savin Rock, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C. Putnam—People's Tramway Park; Wildwood Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.

Rockville—Sulpia Park. South Norwalk—Norwalk Park, George Clark; Dolan's Point, John O. Sullivan; Etona Point, Smith & Kelley, Etona Pt., Imp. Co.; Columbia Grove; Railway Park, Conn. Lighting and Power Co.

Waterbury—Lakewood Park, Z. Peasall mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.; Forest Park, Mac Morris. West Haven—Savin Rock Theatre.

Winsted—Highland Lake Park, Chas. D. Aldis, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C. DELAWARE. Wilmington—Shellpot Park, Ferris Gilles. Rehoboth—Horne's Pavilion, Theatre and Ocean Pier, C. S. Horn.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. Washington—Riverview and Excursion Resorts, E. S. Randall; Glenn Echo Park; Chevy Chase Lake Park, Herbert Claude; Lawrence Garden, Jos. Daniels.

FLORIDA. Jacksonville—Phoenix Park, Jacksonville Electric Co.; Crystal Roof Garden; Lincoln Park (colored people), Jacksonville Elec. Co. Pensacola—Kufrian's Park, V. J. Vidal. Ybor City—DeSota Park.

GEORGIA. Atlanta—Ponce DeLeon Park, William Sharp; mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C. Piedmont Park; Lakewood Park, T. M. Poole, 57 Hunter st.; Washington Park (colored people).

Augusta—Monte Sano Park Theatre, Geo. H. Conklin; Lake View Park, Geo. H. Conklin, care Augusta Ry. Co. Cedartown—The Summer Theatre, J. C. Knight, jr.

Columbus—Wildwood Park, F. H. Eeldhead; North Highlands, F. E. Eeldhead. Gainesville—Chattahoochee Park, W. H. Slack. Macon—Crump's Park, W. H. Labb Amusement Co.

Rome—Mobley Park, City Electric Ry., H. C. Fuller. Savannah—Thunderbolt Casino, Savannah St. Ry. Co.; L. R. Nash; Isla de Hope Park, Isla de Hope, L. R. Nash; Lincoln Park (colored people), L. R. Nash.

IDAHO. Boise—Riverside Park, Mose Christensen. ILLINOIS. Alton—Al Fresco Park, Vernon C. Seaver, 86 State st., Chicago; Rock Spring Park, J. T. Porter.

Aurora—Riverview Park, W. O. Braithwaite, 175 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill. Bloomington—Houghton Lake Park, Matt Kusnell.

Cairo-Sportman's Park, D. F. McCarthy.
Champaign-West End Park, M. Russell.
Chicago-The Chutes, W. H. Strickler, 221 S.
Kedzie ave.; White City, Paul D. Howes, gen.
mgr., 63rd st. and Park av.; Sans Souci
Park, L. H. Wolf, 278 Franklin st.; Hillman-
ger's Garden; Manhattan Beach, J. W. Bush;
Riverview Park, Paul W. Cooper, 84 Wash-
ington av.
Danville-Wonderland Park, H. L. Breinig.
Terre Haute, gen. mgr., Edward Shayne,
Chicago, booking agent.
Decatur-Dreamland Park, H. L. Breinig, Terre
Haute gen. mgr., Edward Shayne, Chicago,
booking agt.
Dixon-Geddy's Park, Wm. O. Jones; Higgins'
Park, Henry O. Higgins; Rock River As-
sembly Park, Adam A. Kraps, Lena, Ill.
East St. Louis-Priester's Park; Central Park;
Chas. Meyer; Edgemont Park, P. Trahead.
Eggs-Trout Park, O. W. Cooke, 546 Colorado
ave., Chicago.
Galesburg-Summer Park, Earl Cowan; High-
land Park.
Highland Park-Sheridan Park and Theatre, J.
J. Murdoch, care Western Vandeville Assn.,
502 Ashland bl., Chicago.
Highwood-Bavaria Park, J. J. Murdoch, care
Western Vandeville Assn., 502 Ashland bl.,
Chicago.
Iuka-Rose Lake Park, J. J. Schofield.
Joliet-Rock Run Park, L. Northern; Electric
Park, F. E. Fisher.
Kankakee-Electric Park, C. W. Burtill, box
356.
Moline-Prospect Park, J. F. Laidner.
Paris-Reservoir Park, E. Delarhde.
Peoria-Pfeifer's Palm Garden, C. G. Pfeifer;
2000 North Adams st.; Central Park, Al
Freese, Ill.; T. C. Seaver, 85 State st.;
Chicago, Ill.; Terminal Park, Poplar Beach
Park, Fred P. Corning; Stone Hill Garden, F.
Hill; Prospect Heights Park, W. B. Nash;
Sans Souci Garden, Will Nash.
Perr-Concordia Gardens, Geo. E. Parker.
Quincy-Baldwin Park, Henry Geschwinder;
Highland Park, Henry Gredell; Sherman Park,
Tommy Adams.
Rockford-Chautauque Park, F. Burt, Toledo,
O.; Harlem Park, J. H. Groneman.
Rock Island-Black Hawk Watch Tower Park,
H. E. Krell, 715 17th st.
Springfield-Mildred Park, Mildred Park Amuse-
ment Co., props., Frank B. Lee; Zoo, Chas.
McLaughlin, sec.
Spring Valley-Webster Park, Wm. H. Robin-
son.

INDIANA

Anderson-Riverside Park, W. H. Moore, mgr.
Cannonsville-Elmhurst Park, Chas. Martine.
Easton-New Park, H. Clifton.
Elkhart-Highland Park, E. W. Meashaw, 610
East 9th.
Evansville-Cook's Park Theatre, Harry Lau-
rance; Oak Summit Park, M. Moran.
Franklin-Franklin Park, J. Spencer.
Indianapolis-Fairbank Park, W. Trost; Kissell's
Garden, Fred Kissell; Oval Park, Mr. New-
by; Fairview Park, Citizens' St. B. E. Co.;
Springlake Park; Broad Ripple Park, Indiana
Union Tract Co., Anderson, Ind.
Jeffersonville-Forest Park, Cunningham; War-
den Park.
Kokomo-Athletic Park and Theatre, W. B.
Helmick.
Lafayette-Woodland Park.
Logansport-Spencer Park, F. O. Folsom; Kien-
ly's Island, F. G. Kienly; Burgman Beach,
Gregg A. Trellinger.
Marion-Mississimus Park, Arthur Godkin.
Chi-gan-cy Beach.
Michigan-Beech Grove Park, C. H. Johnson.
Michigan City-Washington Park, Albert Cook;
Chi-gan-cy Beach.
Mishawaka-Battle Park, Charles Nickle, care
Century Theatre.
Muncie-West Side Park Casino, Indiana Union
Traction Co., Anderson, Ind.; Riverside
Park, H. L. Breinig, Terre Haute, gen. mgr.
Monticello-Pyle Park, Fair and driving Park,
C. L. Smith.
New Albany-Glenwood Park, Louisville and
Southern Indiana Trtraction Co., props., Dr.
Edw. R. Perry, agt.
Perr-Boyd Park, J. A. Erwin.
Richmond-Highland Park, C. L. Davis.
Sellersburg-Glee Ellet Park, L. Schneek.
South Bend-Springbrook Casino, J. McM.
Smith, care Indiana Ry. Co.
Terre Haute-Riverside Park, F. Stelamas;
Lake View Park, Terre Haute Am. Co., J. C.
Holden, Edward Shayne, Chicago, booking agt.
Vincennes-Electric Park, Ben S. Kellogg; Lin-
coln Park, Vincennes Am. Co., Geo. B. Heary,
pres.
Warsaw-Winona Park.
Washington-Street Railway Park.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

Muskogee-Hyde Park, A. A. Kinney.

IOWA

Arnold's Park-Arnold's Park, W. B. Arnold.
Beacons-Whitcomb Park, G. J. Frisco.
Brighton-Brighton Park, C. E. Davis.
Burlington-Ebners' Park, C. Ebner; Ferris
Wheel Park; Madison Avenue Park, F. W.
Bohlen.
Cedar Rapids-Athletic Park, G. K. Barban.
Clear Lake-Whitaker's Pleasure Pier, I. Whit-
aker, 302 E. 12th st., Kansas City, Mo.
Davenport-Suburban Island Park, Claus M.
Knehl; Schneuten Park, Fred Knehl; Central
Park, city control.
Des Moines-Ingersoll Park, F. Buchanan; Union
Park, Union Electric Co.
Ft. Dodge-Olesea Park, M. J. Haire; Riva-
side Park.
Ft. Madison-Ivanhoe Park, D. A. Morgan.
Keokuk-Hoblinger Park, A. S. Gratacar; Orestes
Theatre, A. S. Grainer.
Muscatine-Citizens' Park, A. B. Lindner.
Ottumwa-The Heights, Mr. Artison, mgr.;
E. Christy, mgr. theatre.
Stonx City-Riverside Park, H. L. Kirk, mgr.
Spencer-Arnold Park, W. B. Arnold.
Waterloo-Sans Souci Park, E. J. Winkels; Cedar
River Park, L. S. Oose; Red Ood Park,
Wm. Ewald; Home Park Racing Assn. Park,
L. H. Stevens; Electric Park, H. H. Johnson,
care Electric Theatre.

KANSAS

Atchison-Forest Park, H. H. Stegried.
Dexter Springs-Reunion Park, C. B. Collins,
Chas. L. Smith, Am. mgr.
Fort Scott-Fern Lake Park, Hafer & Love.

Leavenworth-Electric Park, Sparks-Flake Am.
Co., Century bldg., Kansas City, Mo.
Parsons-Glenwood Park, N. T. Anderson; Elec-
tric Park, Harry O. Moorehead.
Topeka-Vinewood Park, F. G. Kelly, care To-
peka, Ry. Co.; Garfield Park, H. E. Barnes.
Wellington-Hunters' Park, C. H. Giaman.

KENTUCKY

Ashland-Clyffeside Park, N. S. Smith.
Bowling Green-Massey's Springs, J. Massey &
Son; Chameleon Springs, Mr. Kinser; Ohaly-
beate Springs.
Dayton-Manhattan Bathing Beach, Jas. Bradley,
Columbia and Southgate sts., Newport, Ky.
Louisville-Woodland Grove, Billy Robinson, 614
E. Kentucky st.; Fontaine Ferry Park, Col.
John P. Hopkins; Jacob's Park, Summer Bros.;
Hammer's Park, Casper Hammer; Phoenix Mill
Park, W. Zable; Riverview Park, Col. Lum
Simmons; Nisaweb Park, Summers Bros., 1805
First st.
Ludlow-Lagoon, J. J. Weaver, W. R. Clark,
mgr. theatre.
Mayville-Electric Park.
Owensboro-Island Beach Park, Robert Wayne.

LOUISIANA

Monroe-Summer Garden, A. S. Kuhn.
New Orleans-City Park, Jos. Bernard, wpt.;
West End Park, T. S. Winston; Athletic Park,
Southern Am. Co., props., Charles H. Davis;
mgr.; Soane Railway and Midway, G. W.
Freston; Audubon Park.

MAINE

Bangor-Riverside Park, J. J. Flynn, agt.
Has Harbor-Athletic Park, New England Pop-
corn Co., les.
Brunswick-Merry Meeting Park, L. E. & B. Ry
Co.
East Auburn-Lake George; Lake Auburn Park,
Arthur Cloetham.
Old Orchard-Seaside Park, Maine Investment
Co., Ltd., props., W. G. Smith, treas. and
mgr.; Old Orchard Beach Pier, Yates & Bun-
dick, Biddeford.
Portland-Underwood Springs Park, E. A. New-
man; Gem Theatre (Peake's Isl.), C. W. T.
Goddard; Riverton Park, D. B. Smith, mgr.;
J. W. Gorman, booking agt., 100 Boylston
st., Boston, Mass.
Skowhegan-Lakewood Grove Park, H. L. Sweet

MARYLAND

Arlington-Electric Park, A. Feneman.
Baltimore-Hollywood Park, Schanberger & Ir-
win; Motel Lexington Roof Garden; Fabst
Gardens, K. E. Sternberg; Prospect Park,
Grant Stockham; Electric Park, A. Fen-
eman, New York office, 619 St. James bldg.;
Goeller's Black River Park, F. Emmett; Tol-
chester Beach, Tolchester Co.; Riverview
Park, M. J. Fitzsimmons, 516 Charles st.;
Kirby's Park, J. B. Kirby; Klino's Park;
Stodard's Park; Herman's Park; Weber's
Park; Gwynn Oak Park, United Ry. Co.;
Lakeside Park, United Ry. Co., Echohob
Beach, near Baltimore, via Queen Ann's B'y.;
Ferry Bar, Geo. Kahn; Boha's Summer Gar-
den; Klefer's Park, Middle River; Fair-
land, Frank Melville; Shady Side Park, Jos.
Winkel, 682 Columbia ave.
Chesapeake Beach-Chesapeake Park.
Cumberland-Narrows Park Pavilion, Wm. Mc-
Cray.
Curtis Bay-Flood's Park, J. Flood; Flood's New
Park Theatre, W. L. Fitzgerald.
Frederick-Braddock Heights Park, Geo. Wm.
Smith.
Hagerstown-Pen Mar Park, J. L. Crout.
Ocean City-Ocean, W. F. Thomas, care Chas. C.
Theatre, Washington, D. C.; Trimmer's New
Windsor Theatre, D. Trimmer.

MASSACHUSETTS

Athol-Brookside Park, W. D. Smith.
Attleboro-Talaquea Park, Jos. J. Flynn, agt.
Anburndale-Norumbega Park, O. Alberte.
Bellingham-Hoag Lake Park, M. M. Young,
Woonsocket, E. I.
Doston-Point of Pines, Joseph J. Raymond,
204 Washington street; Norumbega Park,
Charles Alberte; Chas. River Park, Cres-
cent Park, W. H. O'Neill; Lexington Park;
South Boston Pavilion; Paragon Park, Geo.
A. Dodge, 18 State st.
Brookton-Highland Park, J. J. Flynn, agt.
Bryantville-Mayflower Grove.
Cambridge-Charles River Park, F. L. Howe.
Dedham-Westwood Park, J. J. Flynn.
Easthampton-Pleasant Park, W. W. Sargeant.
Fitchburg-Whalon Park, W. W. Sargeant.
Fall River-Mt. Hope Park; Lincoln Park, Isaac
W. Phelps.
Gloucester-Long Beach, J. J. Flynn, agt.
Great Barrington-Fountain Park, J. A. Blake,
mgr.; W. J. Plummer, book. agt., N. Y. C.
Haverhill-Pines Park, J. J. Flynn, agt.
Holyoke-Mountain Park, Robert Kane; Spring-
dale Park.
Lawrence-Glee Forest, E. & N. St. Ry. Co.,
mgrs., J. J. Flynn, mgr. of theatre.
Lexington-Lexington Park and Zoo, J. T. Bea-
son.
Lowell-Canobie Lake, Franklin Woodman;
Lakeview Theatre, J. J. Flynn; Willowdale
Park.
Lynnfield-Suntag Park, E. G. Stowall.
Marblehead-Seaside Theatre.
Marblehead-Lake Chauncey, A. F. Wilton.
Medford-Boulevard Theatre, J. W. Gorman;
Combination Park, Hicks Brothers.
Mendon-Lake Mipnaw, W. L. Adams, Milford.
Nahant-Bath Point Relay House; Shady's Sun-
Nahant-Bath Point Relay House; Bass Point
Summer Theatre, Frank Cawley, Park The-
atre, Boston, mgr., J. J. Coogan, booking agt.,
Boston.
Nantasket Beach-Paragon Park, Geo. A.
Dodge, Boston office, 18 State st.; New Galey
Theatre, Wallie Mack, Revere.
Nantasket Point-Cooney Island of the East, Jas.
Jeffry.
New Bedford-Pope Beach, Jas. Smith; Marine
Park, J. I. Shannon, 179 Court st.; Maola
Park, I. W. Phelps; Lakeside Park, Brooktons,
Middleboro & New Bedford St. Ry. Co.
Newburyport-Pima Island, Chas. Fredericks,
mgr., J. J. Coogan, booking agt., Boston;
Sallsbury Beach, Chas. Fredericks, mgr., J. J.
Coogan, booking agt., Boston.
North Adams-Mosac Valley Park, W. P.
Meade.
Orange-Brookside Park, Orange St. Ry. Co.
Palmer-Forest Lake Park, J. J. Flynn, agt.

Pittsfield-Berkshire Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.;
W. J. Plummer, book. agt., N. Y. C.; Fen-
toctuc Park, Pittsfield St. Ry. Co., J. J.
Flynn, agt.
Plymouth-Mayflower Grove Park, Alva H. War-
ren, Maurice Boom, New York, agt.
Revere-Revere Beach, E. T. White; Crescent
Gardens, W. H. O'Neill; Point of Pines, Jos.
J. Raymond, 204 Washington st., Boston;
New Galey Theatre, Wallie Mack.
Salem-Salem Willows, J. W. Gorman.
South Boston-Favilla, W. H. O'Neill, mgr.;
Point of Pines.
Southbridge-Fairview Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.;
W. J. Plummer, book. agt., N. Y. C.
So. Framingham-Washukum Park, John T.
McNamara, 363 Washington st., Boston.
Spencer-Lashaway Park.
Springfield-Suburban Park; Capital Park, P.
F. Shea, mgr.; Mr. McDonald, local mgr.;
Hamden Park, P. F. Shea & Co.
Taunton-Talaquea Park, J. J. Flynn; Nip-
penticot Park, D. F. Lahan; Sabatia Park,
J. J. Flynn, agt.; Lakeside Park, J. J. Flynn,
agt.; Brighton Rock Park; Woodward's
Springs.
Wakfield-Quanspawitt Park; Wakfield Park.
Webster-Beacon Park.
West Brookfield-Lakeside Park, Hampshire &
Worcester St. R. R.
Westboro-Lake Chauncey, E. O. Garfield.
Westfield-Waruncoc Park.
Woburn-Pinecroft Park.
Worcester-Lincoln Park, J. W. Lester, 107
Main st.; White City, F. H. Bigelow, 11
Foster st.

MICHIGAN

Battle Creek-Lake View Park; Goguc Lake,
Goguc Resort Assn., Ltd., J. D. Wilson.
Bay City-Wenona Beach Park, L. W. Richards;
Detroit-Palmer's Park, Emil Imhoff; The
Scenic Ry. Park, Frank L. Peadar; Sellar's
Riverside Park; Bennett Park; Electric Park,
Tom Eck, 34 Mulberry bldg.
Dowagiac-Silver Beach, Draks and Wallace,
props., F. E. Howe, mgr.
Flint-Thread Lake Park, Will J. Carrier.
Grand Lodge-The Seven Islands, J. E. Mudge.
Grand Rapids-Ramona Park, Orin Stair; North
Park; John Bull Park, Orin Stair; Reed's
Lake and Godfrey Pavilion, C. G. Godfrey,
Sta. F.
Holland-Jannison Electric Park, Charles A.
Floyd.
Kalamazoo-Casino Park, Baird & Daker, 104
E. Main st.
Lansing-Leadley's Park; Halett Park; Waver-
ly Park, S. M. Stilson, care Lansing & Sub.
Trac. Co.
Marshall-St. Mary's Lake, Mr. Crosby.
Menomee-Johnson's Island Park, G. J. Wahl.
Muskegon-Lake Michigan Park, W. R. Rey-
nolds.
Saginaw-Riverside Park, L. W. Richards; Jef-
fers' Theatre, Bamford & Marks.
St. Joseph-Silver Beach, L. D. Wallace.
South Haven-Midway Park, Edw. Payne; Tur-
bania Park, H. B. Parker.

MINNESOTA

Eveleth-Ely Lake; Miller's Pavilion.
Fairmont-Hand's Silver Lake Park.
Minneapolis-Interurban Park, 556 Temple
Court; Lake Harriet, J. H. Eschman; Won-
derland, H. A. Dorey; Minnehaha Park, Jacob
Barnet.
St. Paul-Phalen Park, Jacob Barnet, 1015 Van
Slyke ave.; Wildwood Park, E. M. Barnet,
mgr.; Como Park, Jacob Barnet; Harriet Is-
land (public bathes) Dr. Ohage.
White Bear Lake-Wildwood Park, W. J. Hild;
Lake Shore Park; White Bear Beach.

MISSISSIPPI

Jackson-Livingston Park, J. T. Raiford.
Natchez-Concord Park, Natches Am. Co., mgrs.
Scranton-Anderson Park, B. J. Blethen.
Vicksburg-Suburban Casino, Moles & Irwin.

MISSOURI

Grant City-Houser-Verbeck Park.
Joplin-Grand Falls Park, Chas. E. Hedkins;
Lyric Park, Chas. E. Chas. E. Hedkins.
Kansas City-Forest Park, C. A. Peterson, res.
mgr., Geo. Sellinger, mgr., thea., Independ-
ence ave. and Hardesty st.; Electric Park,
Sam Benjamin; Fairmont Park, Ben Rosen-
thal.
Nevada-Lake Park Springs, J. A. Tyler, care
Moore's Theatre.
Springfield-Dolling Park and Family Theatre,
Robert B. Dolling.
St. Joseph-Silver Beach, Drake & Wallace;
Krug Park, J. H. VonBrant; Lake Country
Park, H. B. Churchill; Crystal Park, Fred
Cosman, care Crystal Theatre; Lakeside Park,
Palmer L. Clark.
St. Louis-Nashagan's Park, Fred W. Nasha-
gan, 23-25 E. Broadway, St. Louis; Bellevue
Park; Forest Park Highlands, J. D. Hopkins;
Lemp's Park, J. L. Wallrap; West End
Heights, E. Williams; Grand Avenue Park,
Nashagan Bros.; Uriag's Cave, McNear-
y Bros.; Suburban Park, F. W. Innes, mgr.,
306 Carlton bldg.; Delmar Garden Park;
Melpee Park, Henry Green.
Warrensburg-Pertie Springs, J. M. Christopher.
Webb City-Lakeside Park, Southwestern Mis-
souri R. Co., props., Al E. Bascom; Del-
mar Garden, L. W. Wilson.

MONTANA

Butte-Columbia Gardens, G. Forsythe.
Great Falls-Black Eagle Park, Great Falls St.
Ry. Co.
Helena-Central Park, O. G. Frederick.

NEBRASKA

Lincoln-Lincoln Park, Walworth & Fleming.
Omaha-Krug's Park, W. W. Cole; Cortland
Beach, J. A. Grisham, office 218 First National
Beach; Wirth Palm Garden, Mr. Norman;
Lake Manawa, Wm. P. Byrne.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Concord-Contoocook River Park, F. H. Brown.
Dover-Central Park, New Hampshire Traction
Co., Haverhill, Mass., J. J. Flynn, theatre.
Goff's Falls-Devonshire Park, Manchester Traction
Co.
Hampton-Washington Beach Casino.
Lake Umbagog-Lake Umbagog Park.
Manchester-Pine Island Park; Lake Park, J.
Scottie Smith and Jos. Flynn.
Farmaco-Contoocook Park.
Salem-Canobie Lake Park, New Hampshire
Traction Co., Haverhill, Mass., J. W. Gar-
man, theatre.

NEW JERSEY

Atlantic City-Porteque Theatre, James B.
O'Brien; Tilyon's Steeplechase Pier; Deyla's
Pavilion Theatre, Frank Goldie; Ocean Pier,
Harry D'Esta; Savoy Theatre, Humky &
Moore; Helms's Pier; American Garden;
Young's Pier, J. L. Young, prop., J. A.
Willard, gen. dir., Harry D'Esta, theat. rep.;
Steel Pier, Mr. Bothwell; Auditorium Pier,
Geo. Tilyon.
Bridgetown-Tumbling Dam Park, H. D. Tyler.
Brunswick-Riverside Park.
Camden-Electric Park, M. W. Taylor; Wood-
lyne Park, J. M. Wiener, 3000 Columbia
ave., Philadelphia, Pa.
Cape May-Sewell's Point, M. Rudy Heller.
Cranberry Lake, Sussex Co.-Cranberry Lake
Resort, Alfred Chasseand, N. Y. office, 1133
Broadway.
Elizabeth-Breidt's Park, P. J. McGern, 600
Pearl st.
Fords-Old Homestead Park, Lester J. Under-
hill.
Gloucester-Empire Pavilion J. E. O'Brien.
Keyport-Pavilion Beach, F. J. Knapp.
Little Falls-Ryle Park, Edward Barlow, box
254.
Long Branch-Pleasure Bay Theatre, F. K. Al-
baugh.
Millville-Union Lake Park, G. H. Thomas.
Newark-Greater Electric Park, C. A. Dunsap,
William Morris, booking agt.; Olympic Park,
Hans Wevera, cr. Colosseum, Milton Abora,
booking agt., N. Y.; Zeno Park, Wm. Grea-
son Co., 16th ave. and 13th st.; Hillside Park,
Harry S. Healey, am. dir.; Roseville Park.
New Brunswick-Riverside Park, Brunswick
Traction Co.
Orange-Highland Park, W. M. Miller.
Paterson-Idewild Park, E. Atherton, 27 Fair
st.; Fawcett Falls Park, H. Bonchard; Olym-
pic Park; Fairland, Melville & Schultheiss.
Perth Amboy-Old Homestead Park, L. J. Un-
derhill.
Phillipsburg-Cedar Park.
Pitman Grove-Alcon Park, G. W. Carr.
Plainfield-Galvin's Park, A. C. Doernee, Knick-
erbocker Theatre bldg., N. Y. City.
Sea Isle City-Ocean Pier, M. Rudy Heller.
Keith's Theatre bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
Signac-Grotto Park, H. Gouclere.
Trenton-Spring Lake Rock, M. Rudy Heller;
Mercer Pleasure Park, W. H. McMahon.

NEW YORK

Albany-Lagoon Island, J. A. Weber; Electric
Park, J. M. Wilson, cr. Albany & Hudson
R. R. Co.; Frank Melville, booking agt.; Dream-
land, Robert F. Walter.
Binghamton-Casino Park, J. P. E. Clark; Ross
Park, J. P. E. Clark.
Brooklyn-Brighton Beach Music Hall, W. T.
Grover; Anderson Music Hall, Concy Island;
Ulmer Park, William Reizer; Steeplechase
Park, C. O. Tilyon; Chutes Park, Luna Park,
Thompson & Dundy; Dreamland, Samuel Gum-
pert; North Beach, Bowers bay Building and
Imp. Co.; Bergen Beach, Percy G. Williams.
Buffalo-Athletic Park, Eobt. E. Walter; Mead's
Park; Crystal Beach, on Canadian shore op-
posite Buffalo, J. E. Rebstock, gen. mgr., 121
Franklin st.; Elmwood Park; Idewild Park,
B. M. Garfield, 825 Wilcott sq.
Cortland-Columbia Gardens, C. F. Sykes; Trust
Park, M. S. Robinson.
Dunkirk-Central Park, Frank Melville, N. Y. C.
Elmira-Rochie's Glen, W. W. Cole; Midridge
Park, B. M. Little; Queen City Gardens, M.
L. Sullivan.
Elmwood-Elmwood Park.
Endicott-Casino Park, J. P. E. Clark, Binghamton, N. Y.
Fert George-Paradise Park, Ft. George Amuse-
ment Co.
Fredonia-Central Park, Frank Melville, N. Y.
Glen Falls-McGregor Park, J. Donahue.
Gloversville-Mountain Lake Park, Jas. G.
Nellis; Sacandaga Park, O. H. Ball.
Iroquois-Sea Breeze Park, Frank J. Koch.
Ithaca-Berwick Park, R. A. Post, Frank Mel-
ville, N. Y. booking agt.
Jamestown-Olesea Park, Jule Dehmar.
Middletown-Midway Park, H. E. Bayes.
New Rochelle-Glen Island, J. M. Starrin, prop.,
Myndert Starrin, mgr., J. W. Fries, am.
mgr.; Dillen Park, D. Y. Wymore, gen. mgr.
New York-Lion Palace Roof Garden; Terrace
Garden, Sueskind & Sabeloff, 145-155 E. 50th
st.; Bergen Beach, Bergen Beach Am. Co.;
Gala Park, W. E. Wright, 100 E. 14th st.;
North Beach, Bor. of Queens, Louis von Ber-
nuth, 100 E. 14th st.; Auto Park, Clark Hall,
1209 Broadway.
Northampton-Sacandaga Park, C. H. Ball.
Oleott-Oleott Beach, International Traction Co.,
H. C. Ferrin.
Oleon-Riverhurst Park, C. C. Morian.
Oneida-Sylvan Beach, M. Cavanaugh; Citizens'
Park, J. P. Loughlin.
Oriskany-Summit Park, G. W. Baker, Frank
Melville, booking agt.
Painted Post-Bronson Park, Norman G.
Sprague, Corning.
Peekskill-Sandy Lake Park, E. H. Wines; Elec-
tric Park, J. E. Lynch; Central Park, J. E.
Donovan and J. P. Naples.
Poughkeepsie-Utopia Lake Park.
Rochester-Ontario Beach Park, John F. Collins;
Glen Haven, Robert F. Walter; Fairland,
Frank Melville.
Rye-Rye Beach Park, J. J. Schultheiss, Ma-
maroneck, N. Y.; St. Ry. Park.
Salamanca-Island Park, J. J. Isman.
Saratoga Springs-Congress Spring Park; Gem
Concert Garden, G. H. Hefferman; Kaydross
Park.
Schenectady-Brandywine Park, F. W. DeVos.
Seneca Falls-Oyuga Park, W. O. Gray.
Staten Island-Midland Beach Theatre, A. He-
genham; South Beach, W. A. Stanley, mgr.;
W. J. Plummer, book. agt., N. Y. C.
Sylvan Beach-Sylvan Beach Midway Park, De.
M. Cavanaugh.
Syracuse-Iron Pier Park, Tom McAvoy, mgr.,
Doyle Bros., props.; Lake Glen Park, J. S.
Carroll, box 225; Elmwood Park, J. Dunfee;
Lake Onondaga Park, M. S. Robinson; Electric
Garden.
Troy-Lagoon Island, J. F. Weber, prop. and
mgr., D. C. Davors, asst. mgr.
Utica-Summit Park, W. E. McCallum; Casino
Park, Fritz Band.

NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville-Riverside Park, G. B. Clifton; Elec-
tric Park, C. W. Rex.
Charlotte-Latta Park, Will A. Peters.
Goldstone-Hermans Park, city management.
Greensboro-Lindley Park, Greensboro Electric
Co.

Hendersonville-Picken's Park. Raleigh-Pullen Park. Wilmington-Riverside Park. Washington-Wrightsville Beach Casino, S. A. Schloss.

OHIO

Alliance-Lake Park, E. H. Merrill. Akron-Lakeside Park, H. A. Hawn, Springfield Lake Park, John E. Hill; Germania Park, Charles Both; Silver Lake Park, Will Lodge. Bucyrus-Seecalum Park. Cambridge-Summer Park, H. B. Marston; Electric Park, Hammond Bros., Colonial Theatre. Canal Dover-Sunnyside Park, W. D. Lynch. Canton-Lake Park, L. B. Cool; Ehret's Park, A. Ehret. Celina-Celina Park. Cuyahoga-Buggles' Beach, C. S. Ruggles. Cincinnati-Beichrath's Park, Frank Beichrath; Elkwood Park, Gus Rielag; Kroilman's Garden; Chester Park, I. M. Martin; Zoological Garden, S. A. Stephan, mgr.; Cincinnati Zoological Co., props.; Queen City Bathing Beach, W. F. Kroger; Coney Island, Will S. Heck, 1008 First National Bank bldg.; Wooddale Island Park, Frank Witte, 30 E. Eighth st.; Lagoon, J. J. Weaver, W. E. Clark, mgr. theatre, Ludlow, Ky.; Monarch Park, Frank Krippner; Holtgrewe Summer Garden, Westwood, Henry Holtgrewe, mgr., Frank Young, mgr., Sta. 7. Cleveland-Luna Park, Frederick Ingersoll, 307 Fourth ave., Pittsburg, Pa.; Ingersoll Hopkins Am. Co., St. James bldg., N. Y. C.; booking arts.; White City, E. Boyce; Euclid Garden Theatre, Max Faetkenheuer; Coliseum, Max F. Trostler; Euclid Beach Park, Humphrey Co.; Scenic Park, Wm. Ohlson; Forest City Park, Humphrey Co.; Puritan Springs; Mulberry Park, Jake Mintz; Chippewa Lake Park, John Kingsborough; Avon Beach Park, M. Kasserman; Chesterland Caves, J. Doyle; Funderston Lake, Eastern Ohio Traction Co.

Columbus-Schaefer's Garden Theatre, Frank Schaefer, Sta. C, box 121; Columbus Zoo Co., B. W. Junk, 1103-1105, 145 N. High st.; Collins' Garden, Phil Collins; Olenstang Park and Zoo, J. W. Dusenbury; Indianapolis Park; A. R. Hatch, 263 N. Monroe ave.; Glenmary Park, A. L. Neeramer, cr. C. D. & M. Ry. Cosmo-Lake View Park, Hayward Estate. Cuyahoga Falls-Silver Lake Park, William R. Lodge.

Dayton-Fairview Park, J. L. Breen; Lucas Grove Park; Lakeside Park, J. A. Kirk. Defiance-Island Park, John W. Winne. Dennison-Island Park, Oliver Welch. East Liverpool-Rock Springs Park, J. H. Maxwell, mgr., W. S. Callum, mgr. theatre. Fostoria-Reeves' Park, E. S. Powley. Galion-Seecalum Park, Becker Bros. Hamilton-Lindenwald Park, J. W. Foster; Wooddale Island Park, Frank Witte. Haver-Bys Beach Resort, W. Burns. Iradon-Seecalum Park, A. Thuma; Cityside Park, N. S. Smith.

Kent-Lake Brad Resort, W. H. Handley. Keston-Idlewild Park, Reeves' Park. Lancaster-Mapplewood Park, F. Mattax. Lima-McBeth Park, J. Ems. Smith; McCullough's Park, B. M. McCullough. Lorain-Century Park, Ault & Grant. McArthur-Lake Alma Park, Geo. W. Shockley. Mansfield-Luna Park, G. W. Bahl; Casino Park, E. R. Endley. Marietta-Bucheye Park, Capt. E. W. Webster. Mt. Vernon-Lake Hiawatha Park, E. T. Selig, mgr.

Mewark-Idlewild Park, Will D. Harris; Buckeye Lake Park, Will D. Harris; Cliff Dale Park, Chas. Summer Stubbles. Miles-Avon Park, Jos. Weiss. Norwalk-Willow Brook Park, Norwalk Pleasure Resort Co., J. C. Cline. Oak Harbor-Locust Point Grove, E. E. Socrant.

Oakley-Monarch Park, Frank Krippner. Perrysburg-Eden Park. Piqua-Fountain Park, Werner Brewing Co., Dayton, O.; Midway Park, Wm. Schumacher. Plymouth-Season's Park, S. S. Seaton. Put-in-Bay Island-Palm Beach, Mrs. I. O. Morris. Richwood-Vernon Park, L. Miller. St. Mary's-Sans Souci Park, F. S. Schmidt; Riverview Park, John W. Bowman. Sandusky-Cedar Point, G. A. Boeckling; Johnson's Island Pleasure Resort, O. L. Goodale, 730 Perry st.

South Columbus-Shafer's Garden Theatre, F. Shafer, Sta. C, box 121. Springfield-Spring Grove Park, O. F. Fowell & Son. Steubenville-Altmont Park, F. O. Workman; Stanton Park, F. C. Workman. Tiffin-Meadowbrook Park, J. W. McCormick. Toledo-Bellview Park, J. W. McCormick; Wallbridge Park, J. W. McCormick; Lake Erie Park and Casino, F. Burt; Burt Casino, O. Kilve; Farm, Jos. Pearlstein. Vermilion-Shaddock's Lake Park, O. F. Wald. Wellston-Lake Alma Park, C. K. Davis. Youngstown-Connell Lake, Tierney & Berry; Idora Park, E. Stanley; Avon Park, Jos. W. Vee, E. Stanley, am. mgr.

Zanesville-Gant Park, M. S. Gaudier; The Farm, C. W. Morrison, prop., Harold Kelley.

OKLAHOMA TERRITORY

Oklahoma City-Riverside Park; Delmar Gardens, Jos. Marie and John Sinoopolo; Oolcord Park, Col. C. F. Oolcord; Putnam Park, Putnam & Jones.

OREGON

Portland-Fir Grove, Leander Bros.; Shields' Park, Edw. Shields; Hawthorne Springs Park.

PENNSYLVANIA

Allentown-Central Park, M. Rudy Heller; Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre bldg., Phila.; Dorney's Park, F. S. Kinley; Bittersville Park; Manhattan Park; Willow Grove Park. Altoona-Lakemont Park, American Street Ry. Co., owners, S. S. Crane, gen. mgr. Ames P. O., Clearfield Co.-Avalonde Park, Chas. Hagan. Beaver Falls-Junction Park, Gaylord Thompson, mgr., Frank Melville, New York, booking agt. Berwick-Fairchild's Park, O. A. Ehlhard. Berwick-Madison Park, A. L. Pierce. Bradford-Clarkdale Park, Beaver Valley Traction Co. Brighton-Junction Park, Beaver Valley Traction Co. Butler-Alameda Park, F. Melville, booking

mgr., New York City, W. H. Pape, supt., T. Kershaw, res. mgr. Cambridge Springs-Empire Theatre, Fred. Lavand; mgr.; W. J. Filmer, book. agt., N. Y. C. Carlisle-Cave Hill Park. Chambersburg-Wolf Lake Park, Ang. Wolf. Charleroi-Eldora Park, T. E. Sloan. Center Square-Central Park, Will C. Sites, Suite 4, The Maples. Chester-Twelfth Street Park. Chestnut Hill-White Marsh Valley Park, Prof. Lingerman's Palace of Amusement. Clearfield-Clearfield Park, E. H. Shaw. Conneaut Lake-Exposition Park, C. P. Kepler, 1416 Carnegie bldg., Pittsburg. Easton-Oakland Park, J. G. Honecker; Island Park, Eastell Transit Co.; Bushkill Park, Northampton Traction Co., props., Geo. E. Sciple, mgr. Erie-Grove House Park, Four-Mile Creek, H. T. Foster, box 225; Waldameer Park, Thos. Maloney, mgr., F. Melville, New York City, booking agt.; Frontier Park, Frontier Am. Co., State st. Greensburg-Oakford Park, M. A. Coffey, Frank Melville, booking agt. Harrisburg-Paxtang Park, F. M. Davis, box 394; Verno's Dreamland, Verno Churchill, Columbus Hotel. Kittanning-Lenape Park, Kittanning & Leichburg Ry. Co., F. A. Moesta. Johnstown-Luna Park, S. F. Zimmerman, Jordan bldg.; Luna Park, Phil Caulfield, Frank Melville, booking agt. Lancaster-Eocky Spring Park, H. B. Griffiths, P. O. box 67, Edward Mosart, mgr. theatre; People's Park and Woolworth Book Garden, John P. Peoples, mgr. Lebanon-Pennsylvania Park, A. M. Patch; Mt. Getz Park, I. M. Butler. Lima Bridge-Shawnee Park, J. E. Fowler, Bloomsburg, Pa. Lock Haven-Agar's Park, A. L. Lichenwalter. McKeesport-Versailles Park; Olympia Park, J. P. Harris. Mauch Chunk-Manila Grove, Tamagna & Laneford Traction Co., props., A. C. Fritsch. Monongahela-Monongahela Valley Driving Park; Eldora Park. Newcaste-Cascade Park, M. E. McCahey, F. Melville, New York City, booking agt. Norristown-Plymouth Park; H. Hannaway. Oil City-Monarch Park, W. B. McCallum; Smithson's Park, G. H. Berbeck. Philadelphia-Willow Grove Park, Rapid Transit Traction Co., props., F. H. Lincoln; Washington Park, E. Genenger; Chestnut Hill Park, H. B. Auchy; Washington Park on the Delaware, W. J. Thompson; Torredale Park, J. M. Welner, 631 Chestnut st.; Fox Chase Park, Heller & Glading; Woodside Park, W. L. Deering, 8 S. 14th st.; Central Park, J. F. Slocowski, prop., Albert J. Meyers; Washington Park, Louis Gooz.

Pittsburg-Oakton Park, A. S. McSwigan; Southern Park, A. S. McSwigan; Oakwood Park; A. S. McSwigan, F. M. Melville, booking agt.; Kennwood Park, Henrywood Park Co., Farmers' Bank bldg.; Olympia Park, Harris & Sons; Idlewild Park, Ligenier Valley E. B., George Seufft; Alquippa Park; Duquesne Gardens, A. S. McSwigan; Highland Park Zoo; Luna Park, Frederick Ingersoll, 307 Fourth ave., Ingersoll Hopkins Am. Co., St. James bldg., N. Y., booking agt. Pottstown-Ringing Rock Park, E. E. Chaner. Pottsville-Tumbling Run Park, J. E. Hoellman, Union Traction Co. Punxsutawney-Highland Park, Al F. Haver. Reading-Driving Park; Caronia Park, The Interstate Park Am. Co., O. S. Geiger. Reynoldsville-Highland Park, Harris & Gilmore; Winslow Park (near Punxsutawney.) Sayer-Oak Grove Park, Jas. E. Keech. Scranton-Rocky Glen Park, Rocky Glen Park Co.; Lake Ariel, Lake Ariel Imp. Co. Warren-Irvidale Park, Warren St. R. E. Co., F. R. Scott, mgr. theatre. Williamsport-Vallmont Park, Lyman A. Pray; Starr Island Park, Montourville St. Ry. Co.; Sylvan Dell Park, John English; Nippano Park, Biester & Sarton, am. mgrs. Willow Grove-Willow Grove Park, F. H. Lincoln. Wilkesbarre-Sans Souci Park, Jas. O. Walsh, 43 E. Market st. York-Highland Park.

RHODE ISLAND

Newport-Fzebody Park, M. R. Sheedy, Chan E. Cook, am. mgr.; Easton's Beach, J. G. Parmenter. Providence-Boyden Heights, Chas. C. Ames, 212 Union st.; Chestnut Grove Park, Chas. A. Potter, 86 Weybosset st.; Roger Williams Park, E. A. Harrington; Narragansett Park, A. H. Moore; Crescent Park, F. W. Dexter, box 700; Rocky Point Excursion Grounds, R. A. Harrington. Woonsocket-Hog Park, Maurice Boom.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Charleston-Isle of Palms, Jake Wells; Chicora Park. Columbia-Hyatt Park, F. L. Brown; Casino, Smithdell & Brown; Eau Claire Park, Columbia St. Ry. Co.; Ridgewood Park; P. I. Wells. TENNESSEE Bristol-Clifton Park, Oliver Taylor; Fairmont Park. Chattanooga-Olympia Park, U. S. Garrett, mgr., Y. C. Alley, mgr. theatre; Oxley Zoo. Jackson-Highland Park, Jackson & Suburban St. Ry. Co. Knoxville-Elhower Park, E. R. Roberts; Magnolia Park, E. R. Roberts. Memphis-East End Park, A. B. Morrison, J. J. Murdoch, booking agt., Chicago. Nashville-Glendale Park, Y. O. Alley, cr. Nashville Ry.

TEXAS

Austin-Watter's Park; Hyde Park, .. A. Miller, mgr. theatre. Bryan-Kernol's Park. Dallas-Oak Lawn Park; Cycle Park and Theatre, .. E. McAdams. El Paso-Washington Park, Fred. C. Lemly; San Souci Park, G. W. Dalley, prep. Ft. Worth-Greenwald's Park, F. C. Greenwald; Herman Park, Julius Beebe; Lake Erie Park, H. B. Burton, Handley, Tex. Gatesville-Confederate Park, W. D. Johnson. Houston-Lake Erie Park, H. B. Burton. Houston-Highland Park, F. M. Bishop; Magnolia Park, T. D. Casey. Laredo-Loma Vista Park, Chas. Ross, box P.

La Porte-Crescent Park (colored people only), E. H. Williams; Sylvan Beach, owned by Gulf Coast Resort Co., 612 Fannin st., Houston, Tex., H. M. Holleman, booking agt. Mineral Wells-Vichy Summer Theatre; Crazy Well Park, M. A. Westlow, box 301. Paris-Charleroi Park and Eastline Theatre, Paris Transit Co., Jno. A. Porter. Port Lavaca-Port Lavaca Pier and Casino, Harry Redan, care Industrial Dept., S. F. Ry., Houston, Tex. San Antonio-Muth's Concert Garden and Pavilion, Wm. Muth; Electric Summer Park, Sidney H. Wells, cr. Grand Opera House. Temple-Midway Park, between Temple and Belton, C. W. Witham; Texarkana Springs Park, G. C. Leonard. Waco-West End Summer Theatre, J. Schwartz.

UTAH

Ogden-Glenwood Park, J. S. Young. Castilla-Castilla Hot Springs, J. Meyera. Salt Lake City-Lagoon Park, J. Bergerman; Saltair Beach; Colder's Park, Max A. Peters; Utahna Park, W. R. Gourley. VERMONT Bellows Falls-Barber's Park, C. H. Copley, cr. Bellows Falls and Saxtons Riv. St. Ry. Co. Barre-Granite City Park; Castle Park and Theatre, J. D. Ossola. VIRGINIA Danville-Reservoir Park Casino, J. Wells, sole mgr., A. Jenkins, bus. mgr. Fair Oaks-Fulton Park, Fulton Park Am. Assn. Hampton-Buckroe Beach Park, J. V. Blackford, box 225. Lynchburg-Rivermont Park, Jake Wells, mgr.; Corbin Shields, loc. mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C. Manchester-Forest Hill Park, H. H. Hartsell, mgr. Newport News-Warwick Casino, G. F. Adams. Norfolk-Buckroe Park Casino, G. W. Bex; Ocean Midway, J. H. Livingston, 211 Citizens' Bank bldg.; Pine Beach, J. H. Livingston, box 708; Bay Shore Park, J. St. Claire. Ocean View-Ocean View Casino, Jake Wells; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.; Bay Shore Park, J. St. Claire. Petersburg-Ferndale Park, Virginia Passenger & Power Co., John E. Horvell. Pine Beach-Pine Beach Theatre, Perkins & Dashiell. Richmond-Broad Street Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co.; Main Street Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co.; West End Electric Park, Va. Am. Co., Geo. E. Governor, gen. mgr.; Reservoir Park, Va. Am. Co.; Forest Hill Park, Va. Am. Co.; Casino Theatre, Jake Wells; Seven Pines Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co.; Westhampton Park, Va. Pass. and Power Co. Roanoke-Mountain Park Casino, Harry Bernatek; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.; Crystal Springs Park, H. M. Darnell, mgr. West Point-Beach Park, G. E. Governor, Richmond, Va. WASHINGTON Seattle-Lechl Pavilion, Seattle Electric Co.; Madison Park. Spokane-Cour D'Alene Lake Resort, Al Kirchner, box 661; Natatorium Park. WEST VIRGINIA St. Albans-Beach Glen. Charleston-Electric Park, F. Wilson, Norfolk, Va. Chester-Rock Springs Park, J. H. Maxwell, mgr., Samuel McCutcheon, East Liverpool, O., am. mgr. Fairmont-Traction Park, A. J. Euckman. Huntington-Clydeside Park, J. E. Gallick; Camden Park, Camden Interstate Traction Co. Parkersburg-Terrapin Park, Murray Mackey Co. Wheeling-Wheeling Park, Wheeling Park Association, props.; C. Hirsch, mgr.; City Park Casino, J. E. Spreth, box 124, Bridgeport, O.; Mozart Park; Luna Park, Wheeling Am. Co. WISCONSIN Dartford-Terrace Park. Ocean Bay-Hagemester Park, G. A. Walter; Street Railway Park. Janesville-Electric Park, O. ce Burdick. Kenosha-Central Park, Peter Steisbeck. Madison-Lake Park, Prof. F. W. Kohl. Marinette-Lakeside Park, L. J. White. Milwaukee-Pabst Park, F. W. Harland, Third and Burleigh sts.; Schlitz Park, Geo. Schubert; Blatz Park; Pabst White Fish Bay Resort, H. Kenopa; Wanderland, T. G. Whaling, Herman bldg.; West End Park, M. Shanly, 413 W. Hubbard st. Oshkosh-Electric Park, E. E. Downs. Sheboygan-Lake View Park, Lake View Beach and Amusement Co. CANADA Brantford-Agricultural Park and Sherman Theatre, F. C. Johnson; Mohawk Park; Grand Valley Park, Frank P. Haven. Bridgeport-Riverside Park, Berlin & Waterloo St. Ry., Ltd., Berlin, Ont. Et. Eric Ont.-Beach, W. Wharton. Galt-Edgewild Park; Casino Summer Park, J. D. Eagen and George Phillips; Galt Park. Gananoque-Summer Theatre, Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr. Hamilton-Sherman Park, W. B. Sherman; Nona Park, J. G. Appleton. Kingston-Lake Ontario Park, D. P. Braulgan, mgr., Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr.; Long Island Park, J. J. Brophy. London-Spring Bank Park, C. B. A. Carr; Queen's Park; Bennett's Theatre, C. W. Bennett. Montmorency-Montmorency Falls, J. W. Baker. Montreal-Riverside Park, Max Bashman, mgr., Al E. Reed, am. mgr.; Sommer Park, LeVigne & LaJoie; Victor Park. Ottawa-Britania-on-the-Bay, J. E. Hutchison, mgr., Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr. Owen Sound-King's Royal Park, J. W. Walsh. Quebec-Exposition Park, F. E. Legare; Montmorency Falls Park, J. E. Tarton. St. John-Rockwood Park; Riverview Park; Seaside Park, Ernest DeMill. St. Thomas-Pinapore Lake Park, Geo. Stacey, box 362. Toronto-Hanlan's Park, Chas. W. McMahon, am. mgr., L. Solomon, mgr.; Island Park; Monroe Park, Wm. Banks. Winnipeg-River Park, T. H. Morris; Auditorium Summer Gardens, Clarence Space, T. H. Morris, am. mgr.; Elm Park, T. H. Morris; Winnipeg Summer Beach, T. H. Morris, att. mgr. Woodstock-Fairmont Park.

New Fairs.

COLORADO Montrose-Western Slope Fair, Sept. 19-23. W. O. Redding, pres.; Jno. E. Felton, treas.; Charles L. Blake, sec. CONNECTICUT Nangatack-Beacon Valley Grange Fair, Sept. 4. W. J. Noble, pres.; W. G. Hard, treas.; Wm. L. Lloyd, sec. IDAHO Nez Perce-Nez Perce Co. Fair, Oct. 3-7. K. G. Osterbant, pres.; L. N. Swift, treas.; P. W. Mitchell, sec. ILLINOIS Atlanta-Logan Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. J. B. Jordan, sec. Champaign-Champaign Co. Fair, Sept. 12-15. W. W. Lindley, sec. Davers-McLean Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. Jno. S. Poppel, sec. El Paso-Woodford Co. Fair, Aug. 28-Sept. 1. J. F. Bosworth, sec. Elwood-Willi Co. Fair, Sept. 20-22. Elry Spangler, sec. Golconda-Pope Co. Fair, Oct. 4-7. Henry Walter, sec. McComb-Putnam Co. Fair, Sept. 26-29. F. B. Smith, sec. Marshall-Wenona Co. Fair, Sept. 13-15. Ettie Thierry, sec. Martinsville-Clark Co. Fair, Sept. 12-16. Wm. R. Standfield, sec. Monticello-Platt Co. Fair, Aug. 7-12. C. H. Ridgely, sec. Morrison-Whiteside Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. A. R. Lewis, sec. Murphysboro-Jackson Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. J. E. Craine, pres.; Willard Wall, treas.; Chas. L. Ritter, sec. Newion-Jasper Co. Fair, Sept. 19-22. H. A. Fuller, sec. Olney-Richland Co. Fair, Sept. 12-15. F. W. Bournell, sec. Pinckneyville-Perry Co. Fair, Sept. 19-22. E. J. Rubing, sec. Sandwich-Sandwich Fair, Sept. 13-15. H. A. Severy, pres.; C. L. Stinson, sec. Saybrook-McLean Co. Fair, Aug. 15-18. Dr. J. M. Anderson, pres.; Frank Woolley, sec. Warren-Union Agrl. Fair, Sept. 19-22. Joseph Appel, pres.; Geo. Mabon, treas.; T. A. Sullivan, sec. Woodstock-McHenry Co. Fair, Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Wm. Desmond, pres., Fremont Hoy, treas.; Geo. Hunt, sec. Yorkville-Kendall Co. Fair, Sept. 5-8. C. S. Williams, sec. INDIANA Flora-Carroll Co. Fair, Aug. 8-11. Chas. Voorhees, pres.; J. E. Copen, treas.; S. W. Clark, sec. Frankfort-Clinton Co. Fair, Aug. 22-25. A. A. Laird, pres.; Geo. A. Smith, treas.; Chas. E. Petty, sec. IOWA Sheldon-Sheldon Fair, Aug. 30-Sept. 1. E. E. Springer, pres.; F. E. Frisbie, treas.; J. L. McLaure, sec. MAINE Amherst-Northern Hancock Fair. Dates not set. A. N. Jewett, sec. Andover-Northern Oxford Fair. Dates not set. Jno. F. Talbot, sec. Bangor-Eastern Maine Fair, Aug. 19-22. E. L. Sterns, sec. Belfast-Waldo Co. Fair, Sept. 5-7. H. E. Ellis, sec. Bethel-Riverside Park Fair. Dates not set. L. A. Hall, sec. Bingham-Bingham Fair. Dates not set. B. L. Badger, sec. Bluehill-Hancock Co. Fair, Sept. 19-21. C. S. Snowman, sec. Bridgton-Bridgton Farmers' Club Fair, Sept. 12-14. W. E. Crosby, sec. Bristol-Hills-Bristol Fair. Dates not set. Geo. A. Huston, sec., Damariscotta. Camden-Camden Fair, Aug. 22-24. R. L. Bean, sec. Canton-Androscoggin Valley Fair, Sept. 26-28. O. M. Richardson, sec. Cornish-Osipee Valley Fair. Dates not set. J. C. Aft, sec. Damariscotta-Lincoln Co. Fair, Oct. 3-5. B. A. Woodbridge, sec., North Newcastle. East Eddington-East Eddington Farmers' Club Fair. Dates not set. E. B. Comins, sec. East Holden, R. F. D. 1. East Pittston-Pittston Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. A. E. Marson, sec. East Sebago-Lake View Park Fair. Dates not set. A. L. Brackett, sec. Eden-Eden Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. Ephraim Alley, sec. Ellsworth-Hancock Co. Fair. Dates not set. H. F. Whitcomb, sec. Exeter-West Penobscot Fair, Sept. 26-28. E. E. Colbath, sec. Farmington-Franklin Co. Fair, Sept. 12-14. R. S. Sampson, sec. Freeport-Freeport Poultry Assn. Dec. 27-29. Geo. P. Coffin, sec. Fryeburg-West Oxford Fair. Dates not set. B. Walker McKean, sec. Hartland-East Somerset Fair, Oct. 5-7. E. A. Webber, sec. Lee-Lee Union Fair. Dates not set. Geo. B. Lowell, sec. Lewiston-Maine State Fair, Sept. 12-15. J. L. Lowell, sec., Auburn. Livermore Falls-Androscoggin Co. Fair, Aug. 29-31. J. W. Maxwell, sec., Sabattus. Madawaska-Madawaska Fair, Oct. 21. Beml A. Daigle, sec., St. David. Madison-Somerset Co. Fair. Dates not set. J. F. Withee, sec. Monroe-Waldo and Penobscot Fair, Sept. 12-14. C. M. Moore, sec., Winterport. North Berwick-North Berwick Fair. Dates not set. Chas. M. Boyle, sec. Orrington-Orrington Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. N. A. Nickerson, sec. Pembroke-Washington Co. Fair. Dates not set. S. A. Wilder, sec., W. Pembroke. Phillips-North Franklin Fair. Dates not set. M. Sewall Kelley, sec. Presque Isle-North Arcoostook Fair, Sept. 13-14. E. T. McGlughlin, sec. Princeton-North Washington Fair. Dates not set. Albert L. Jones, sec.

Richmond—Richmond Farmers' Club Fair. Dates not set. Dan Brown, sec. Gardiner, E. 13. Sherman Mills—Southern Aroostook Fair. Dates not set. Isaac Cushman, sec. South Harrison—Northern Cumberland Fair. Dates not set. B. W. Fogg, sec., Harrison. South Paris—Oxford Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. W. O. Frothingham, sec. South Windsor—South Kennebec Fair. Sept. 5-7. Arthur N. Douglas, sec. Gardiner, E. F. D. 9. Topsham—Sagadahoc Co. Fair. Oct. 10-12. G. R. Tedford, sec. Unity—Unity Park Fair. Oct. 4. E. P. Reynolds, sec. Waterville—Central Maine Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. E. Smith, sec. Winslow. West Cumberland—Cumberland Farmers' Club Fair. Sept. 28-27. A. M. Crocker, sec., Cumberland Center.

MICHIGAN.

Capac—Capac Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Geo. Chapman, pres.; H. B. Hitchings, treas.; Alvin Baiden, sec. Marquette—Marquette Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. B. Palmer, pres.; M. E. Asire, sec. & treas. Sebawaing—Sebawaing Fair. Sept. 26-29. C. F. Bach, pres.; J. W. Liken, treas.; L. W. Voepel, sec.

MINNESOTA.

Howard—Lake Wright Co. Fair. Sept. 13-15. W. M. Curtis, pres.; G. G. Luhman, treas.; L. W. Terry, sec.

MISSISSIPPI

McComb City—McComb City Fair. Oct. 17-21. W. T. Denman, pres.; T. W. James, treas.; D. C. Lenoir, sec.

MISSOURI.

Albany—Gentry Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. S. W. Clark, sec. Belton—Belton Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. A. Hill, sec. Brookfield—Brookfield Fair. Aug. 15-19. Gus Cannon, sec. California—Monteitan Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. B. Hardy, sec. Creve Coeur Lake—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 7-10. Geo. B. Bowles, sec. Chillicothe—Northern Missouri Fair. Sept. 12-15. S. D. Rohrer, sec. Columbia—Boone Co. Fair. July 25-28. E. E. Hation, sec. Edina—Knox Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. P. E. Gibbons, sec. Harris—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. O. Johnson, sec. Herman—Gasconde Co. Fair. Sept. 1-2. Aug. Begman, sec. Jacksonville—Randolph Co. Fair. Sept. 12-13. C. M. King, sec. Joplin—Agrl. Fair. July 4-8. R. M. Robison, sec. Kaboka—Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. E. Stewart, sec. LaPlata—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8-12. H. L. Libby, sec. Lees Summit—Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. E. Lamplin, sec. Memphis—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. C. Kinney, sec. Platte City—Platte Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Will Forman, sec.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Fayetteville—Fayetteville Fair. Dates not set. G. W. Lawrence, pres., Weldon; G. E. Ranson, sec.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Concord—State Fair. Sept. 12-15.

NEW YORK.

Afton—Afton Driving Fair. Sept. 26-29. Fred. Church, pres.; P. S. Krum, treas.; L. W. Seely, sec. Altamont—Albany Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Robt. J. McCauley, pres., Albany; Edw. G. Crannell, treas.; E. I. Weaver, sec., Angelica. Angelica—Allegany Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. E. S. Bartlett, Belfast; Henry C. Morgan, treas.; Geo. H. Swift, sec., Cuba. Bath—Steuben Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. J. McCarrick, pres., Cato; James Fancett, Jr., treas.; Chas. A. Shultz, sec. Brookfield—Brookfield-Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. H. L. Spooner, pres.; B. G. Stillman, treas.; N. A. Crumb, sec. Chatham—Columbia Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. McClellan, pres.; W. R. Starke, treas.; W. A. Dardess, sec. Cairo—Greene Co. Fair. Sept. 22-24. Francis G. Walters, pres.; Harvey S. Olmstead, treas.; Frank D. Cole, sec. Canandaigua—Ontario Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Jno. M. Ladd, pres., Victor; Jas. S. Hickox, treas.; Milton A. Smith, sec., Victor. Canton—St. Lawrence Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Albert T. Martyn, pres.; J. Fred Hammond, treas.; Jas. E. Johnson, sec. Cape Vincent—Cape Vincent Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. T. Stool, pres.; P. S. Judd, treas.; Frank Denzengremel, sec. Cobleskill—Cobleskill Agrl. Fair. Sept. 25-29. D. C. Dow, pres.; Leland Hodge, treas.; S. H. VanNoss, sec. Cooperstown—Otsego Co. Fair. Sept. 25-27. O. M. Allison, pres.; L. E. Walrath, treas.; Eugene D. Stocker, sec. Delhi—Delaware Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. R. G. Nicoll, pres.; J. E. W. Thompson, treas.; F. W. Youmans, sec. Dundee—Dundee Fair. Oct. 8-5. S. E. Harpending, pres.; Chas. J. Watson, treas.; Howard L. Woodruff, sec. Ellenville—Ulster Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. R. T. Cockingham, pres.; W. Kelly Shook, treas.; W. S. Doyle, sec. Elmira—Chemung Co. Fair. Sept. 18-22. Frank J. Cassada, pres.; E. J. Young, treas.; Geo. McCann, sec. Ft. Edward—Washington Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. A. DeForest, pres.; Geo. W. L. Smith, treas., Smith's Basin; Rodney Van Wornor, sec. Fulton—Oswego Co. Fair. J. W. Rigley, pres.; Edw. Quirk, treas.; H. L. Platt, sec. Haverstraw—Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. T. W. Springsteen, pres., Tallman; D. T. Ingalls, treas.; Elbert Talman, sec., Spring Valley. Hudson—Columbia Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Jacob P. Meest, pres.; Fred S. Hallenbeck, treas.; Noah H. Browning, sec. Lowville—Lewis Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1.

John L. Smith, pres., Constableville; Ira Sharp, treas.; W. S. Windecker, sec. Lyons—Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. Wm. T. Jordan, pres., Lock Berlin; Charles Smart, treas.; E. D. Klippel, sec. Malone—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Edw. W. Lawrence, pres.; Thomas Adams, treas.; Walter J. Mallon, sec. Middletown—Orange Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Aug. Denniston, pres., Washingtonville; Henry M. Howell, treas.; David A. Morrison, sec., Newburgh. Monticello—Sullivan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. L. Felton, pres.; Fred M. Crain, treas.; Leon P. Stratton, sec. Moravia—Cayuga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Geo. W. Fitts, pres., Dresserville; Henry A. Wheat, treas.; Willis Kilborne, sec. Morris—Morris Fair. Oct. 3-5. T. O. Dureo, pres., New Lisbon; J. W. Shaw, Jr., treas.; D. C. Winton, sec. New City—Rockland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Chas. M. Stafford, pres., Spring Valley; Jno. C. Schmersahl, treas.; A. A. Vanderbilt, sec. Norwich—Chenango Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. H. White, pres.; Chas. H. Hale, treas.; L. D. Smith, sec. Ogdensburg—Oswegatchie Fair. Dates not set. Wm. H. Daniels, pres.; Wm. M. Stephens, treas.; C. B. Herriman, sec. Oneonta—Oneonta Union Fair. Sept. 18-21. Walter L. Brown, pres.; Henry M. Bard, treas.; S. L. Huntington, sec. Palmyra—Palmyra Union Fair. Sept. 28-30. Chas. D. Johnson, pres.; H. G. Chapman, treas.; E. S. Averill, sec. Pboenix—Onondago Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Brien, pres.; N. A. Hughes, treas.; C. E. Williams, sec. Plattsburgh—Clinton Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. H. A. Wood, pres.; W. L. Pattison, treas.; W. T. Burleigh, sec. Potsdam—Rackett Valley & St. Regis Valley Fair. Sept. 6-9. A. D. Heath, pres.; Geo. W. Fuller, sec.; R. H. Bryns, sec. Prattsburgh—Prattsburgh Union Fair. Sept. 12-15. Henry G. Skinner, pres.; Wm. B. Pratt, treas.; Leverage Thomas, sec. Reed Corners—Gorham Fair. Dates not set. G. W. Elwell, pres.; G. W. Powell, treas.; T. Beuton Pierce, sec. Richfield Springs—Richfield Springs Fair. Sept. 11-13. M. O. Towne, pres.; O. A. Chamberlain, sec.; Jno. Gyer, treas. Riverhead—Suffolk Agrl. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Edw. Thompson, pres., Northport; Harry Howell, treas.; Harry Lee, sec. Schoharie—Schoharie Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Geo. A. Vroman, pres., Middleburg; Arthur Sholtes, treas.; Clyde H. Proper, sec. Syracuse—New York State Fair. Sept. 11-16. M. Linn Bruce, New York City; O. A. Wieting, vice-pres., Cobleskill. Troupsburg—Southern Steuben Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. Simpson, pres.; H. L. Felice, treas.; E. H. Austin, sec. Walton—Delaware Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. F. Reynolds, pres.; W. A. Shepberd, treas.; P. S. McNea, sec. Warrensburg—Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Henry Griffing, pres.; Louis E. Reoux, treas.; Fred J. Hayes, sec. Waterloo—Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. W. Huff, pres.; H. E. Becker, treas.; Edward Nugent, sec. Watkins—Schoharie Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. Frank Waugh, pres.; W. S. Waugh, treas.; Arthur N. Gottry, sec. Wellsville—Wellsville Fair. Aug. 22-25. Oak Duke, pres.; Jno. B. Jones, treas.; F. D. Rice, sec. Westport—Essex Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jas. M. Graef, pres.; C. E. Stevens, sec.; A. J. Daniels, treas. West Sand Lake—Bennington Co. Fair. Aug. 23-26. Henry J. Best, pres.; Fayette Thomas, treas.; Oscar J. Lewis, sec., Castleton. Whitney's Point—Broome Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Robt. S. Parsons, Binghamton; P. H. Lauders, treas.; Fred E. Allen, sec. White Plains—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 25-30. Moses W. Taylor, pres., Hawthorne; Jos. B. Soe, treas., Valhalla; Ed. B. Long, sec.

NORTH DAKOTA

Graud Forke—N. D. State Fair. Dates not set. D. V. Moore, sec.

OHIO

Berea—West Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. O. R. Stone, sec. Burton—Geauga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. S. Ford, sec. Cadiz—Harrison Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. E. B. Kirby, sec. Canfield—Mahoning Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. B. L. Manchester, Salem. Chillicothe—Scioto Valley Fair. Aug. 23-26. F. M. DeWeese, pres.; F. Earl DeWeese, sec. Cincinnati—Hamilton Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. D. L. Sampson, sec. Lancaster—Fairfield Co. Fair. Oct. 11-14. W. T. McGlenaghan, sec. Lisbon—Columbiana Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. F. Moore, sec. Mariou—Marion Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. A. Knapp, sec. Medina—Medina Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. O. O. Van Densen, sec. Ottokee—Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. D. W. Williams, sec. Richwood—Richwood Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. L. Horn. Rome—Rome Fair. Sept. 23-29. Jno. Gregg, sec., Sunbury. Sandusky—Erie Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. H. Zerbe, sec. Somerset—Northern Perry Co. Fair. Oct. 18-20. J. H. Karyl, sec. Springfield—Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 22-28. H. Van Bird, sec. Summerville—Summerville Fair. Sept. 19-22. Wm. W. McClintock, sec. Washington—Guernsey Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. F. St. Clair, sec. West Union—Adams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. W. Ellison, sec.

TENNESSEE.

Chattanooga—Merchants' Fair. Sept. 28-30. Columbia—Maury Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Gallatin—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 9-12. Murfreesboro—Rutherford Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Newport—Appalachian Fair. Oct. 10-12. James B. Stokely, pres.; J. M. Jones, treas.; E. W. Hooper, sec.

TEXAS.

Bryan—Central Texas Fair. Oct. 17-20. W. B. Howell, pres.; H. A. Burger, treas.; Tom A. Searcy, sec.

WISCONSIN.

Ashland—Ashland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. W. G. Nohl, sec. Appleton—Appleton Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Jos. Koffend, Jr., sec. Cedarburg—Cedarburg Fair. Sept. 21-23. Jacob Dietrich, sec. Cumberland—Cumberland Fair. Sept. 6-8. A. H. Larson, sec. Dodgeville—Iowa Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. I. Lahn, sec. Elroy—Elroy Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. P. A. Cleary, sec. Evansville—Rock Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. W. Gillies, sec. Rome—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 14-16. Shelbyville—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 6-9. Fond du Lac—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Watson, sec. Galesville—Galesville Fair. Aug. 29-31. S. C. French, sec. Hillsboro—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-15. A. N. Jones, sec. Hortonville—Outagamie Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. A. L. Murphy, sec. Iron River—Bayfield Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Geo. W. Ripley, sec. Lodi—Lodi Union Fair. Sept. 12-14. A. H. Hinds, sec. Madison—Dane Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. M. W. Terwilliger, sec. Manitowoc—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Chas. G. Hacker, sec. Marshfield—Central Wis. State Fair. Sept. 18-21. Geo. W. Welton, sec. Phillips—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-29. F. K. Randall, sec. Platteville—Big Badger Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. H. Gribble, sec. Plymouth—Sbeboygan Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. Otto Gafron, sec. Reedsburg—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. A. Sholte, sec. Spring Green—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 20-22. E. M. Davis, sec. Wantons—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 27-29. F. F. Wehner, sec. West Bend—Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 18-20. W. P. Rix, sec. Westfield—Marquette Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. W. P. Fuller, Jr., sec. Weyauwega—Waupesa Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. M. Hill, sec.

ALABAMA

Birmingham—Alabama State Fair. Oct. 4-14. R. M. Williams, sec.

ARKANSAS.

Rogers—Arkansas State Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. W. Walker, pres.; Jno. E. Falke, treas.; A. M. Buckley, sec.

CALIFORNIA.

Colusa—National Trotting Fair. Dates not set. W. B. Merrill, pres., Tennant Harrington, treas.; Jas. W. Scoggins, sec. Tulare City—Tulare Fair. Dates not set. H. Whaley, pres.; W. T. Ingmerson, sec.

COLORADO.

Grand Junction—Mesa Co. Fair. Sept. 18-22. W. P. Ela, pres.; M. M. Shares, treas.; C. D. Fisher, sec. Lamar—Prowers Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. A. N. Parrish, pres.; W. C. Geuld, treas.; Chas. Maxwell, sec. Pueblo—Colorado State Fair. Sept. 11-15. J. E. Topping, pres.; Thos. H. Devine, treas.; Thos. R. Hoffmire, sec.

CONNECTICUT.

Danbury—Danbury Fair. Oct. 2-7. Samuel T. Rundle, pres.; Jno. W. Balon, treas.; G. W. Rundle, sec. Harwinton—Harwinton Fair. Oct. —. Lewis E. Catlin, supt. priv., E. F. D. No. 2, Torrington, Conn. Lyme—Lyme Grange Fair. Dates not set. Wm. Merson, pres., Hamburg; H. B. Sisson, treas., Hamburg; J. W. Stark, sec. Rockville—Rockville Fair. Sept. 26-28. Andrew Kingsbury, pres.; E. A. Randall, treas.; H. D. Noble, sec. Williamantic—Horsehoe Park Fair. Sept. 19-21. Chas. A. Gates, pres.; Fred. A. Sanderson, treas.; T. E. Sudd, sec.

DELAWARE.

Middletown—Grange Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. J. Atwood Weldin, pres.; L. Scott Towasend, treas.; Frederick Brady, sec.

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville—Jacksonville Fair. Nov. 16-26.

GEORGIA.

Athens—Northwest Georgia Fair. Oct. 3-6. H. J. Rowe, sec. Atlanta—Georgia State Fair. Oct. 9-21. Frank Weldon, sec. Augusta—Augusta Fair. Nov. 6-11. Calhoun—Gordon Co. Fair. Oct. 24-27. J. T. McVey, sec. Chickasawga—Northwest Georgia Fair. Oct. 3-7. T. W. Lee, pres.; M. C. Bonds, treas.; E. H. Wyatt, sec. Dalton—Fourth Annual Fair. Oct. 16-20. Frank T. Reynolds, pres. Douglas—Coffee Co. Fair. Nov. 6-10. J. J. Rogers, mgr. Lawrenceville—Gwinnet County Fair. Dates not set. Maj. W. E. Simmons, pres.; N. L. Hetchins, Jr., sec. Lexington—Oglethorpe Co. Fair. Oct. 23-28. Jno. Knox, pres. & mgr. Macon—Georgia Farmers' Fair. Oct. 24-Nov. 3. Eugene Anderson, sec. Waycross—Waycross Fair. Nov. 12-17.

IDAHO.

Blackfoot—Southeastern Idaho Fair. Sept. 19-22. C. W. Berryman, pres.; G. H. Holbrook, treas.; W. H. Stufflebeam, sec. Boise—Inter-mountain Fair. Sept. 25-30. Jas. A. Pinney, pres.; E. H. Plowhead, treas.; W. F. Dolan, sec.

Caldwell—Canyon Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14. D. D. Campbell, pres.; W. R. Sebrae, treas.; J. B. Gowen, sec. Lewiston—Lewiston-Clarkston Fair. Oct. 16-21. C. H. Kester, pres.; Jno. T. Ray, treas.; Chris F. Osmera, sec.

ILLINOIS.

Aledo—Mercer Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. Lee, pres.; W. D. Emerson, sec. Avon—Avon Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. B. Boston, pres.; W. G. Mings, treas.; Julian Churchill, sec. Belvidere—Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. Hannah, pres.; Wm. G. Greenlee, treas.; M. D. Perkins, sec. Bushnell—Bushnell Fair. Aug. 8-11. Geo. D. Bell, pres.; J. S. Nunnemake, treas.; J. F. Johnson, sec. Camargo—Douglas Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Jno. B. Hammett, pres., Tuscola; Geo. C. Jeffers, treas.; A. Hayward, sec. Cambridge—Henry Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. L. J. Wilkinson, pres.; Henry White, treas.; Theo. Eoltenstein, sec. Carlinville—Macoupin Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. S. T. Carmody, pres., Nilwood; A. M. Boring, treas.; Geo. J. Castle, sec. Carmi—Carmi Fair. Sept. 5-9. J. J. Dale, sec. Charleston—Coles Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. A. J. Craig, pres.; T. T. Shoemaker, treas.; W. O. Glaser, sec. Clinton—DeWitt Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Jno. Fuller, pres.; S. T. Newell, treas.; Hugh S. Magill, sec. Delavan—Tazewell Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. W. Crabb, pres.; J. T. Culbertson, treas.; J. O. Jones, sec. Edinburg—Edinburg Co. Fair. Sept. 5-10. W. W. Austin, pres.; T. S. Gravenhorst, treas.; J. W. Gravenhorst, sec. El Paso—El Paso Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. J. F. Schofield, pres.; A. H. Waite, treas.; J. F. Bosworth, sec. Equality—Gallatin Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Dr. L. W. Gordon, pres.; Chas. Stein, sec. Fairbury—Fairbury Union Fair. Sept. 4-8. J. B. F. Leininger, pres.; Harry L. Leininger, treas.; Chas. F. Leininger, sec. Fairfield—Wayne Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 2. B. F. Leinger, pres.; Harry L. Leinger, treas.; Chas. F. Leinger, sec. Galena—Galena Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. Barner, sec. Greenup—Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. P. J. Bowman, pres.; O. C. Leggett, treas.; H. E. Cash, sec. Griggsville—Illinois Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. Guthrie—Agrl. Fair. Oct. 30-Nov 4. Highland—Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 7-10. A. H. Schott, pres.; J. N. Stokes, sec. Joliet—Will Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. A. Ruland, pres.; R. T. Kelley, treas.; Thos. J. Kelley, sec. Joslin—Rock Island Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Wm. Filbert, pres.; Jno. Shafer, treas., Port Byron; F. J. Whiteside, sec. Jonesboro—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. S. J. Frost, pres.; Henry Trieb, treas.; Wm. M. Hurst, sec. Kankakee—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 4-9. T. C. Schober, pres., Union Hill; W. J. Brock, treas.; Len Small, sec. Knoxville—Knox Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. G. L. Lacy, pres., Gilson; Robt. Collins, treas.; R. W. Sweeney, sec., Galesburg. LaSalle—LaSalle Fair. Oct. 2-7. Geo. A. Wilson, pres.; N. W. Duncan, treas.; Alfred Shelton, sec. LeRoy—LeRoy Fair. Aug. 23-25. John Baremore, pres.; E. D. Kline, sec. Libertyville—Lake Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. J. Carter, pres.; E. W. Parkhurst, treas.; J. B. Morse, sec. Macomb—McDonough Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Marion—Williamson Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Jacob Goodall, pres.; Geo. H. Goodall, treas.; Geo. C. Campbell, sec. Morrison—Whitehall Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. A. Smith, pres.; Wm. Boyd, treas.; W. E. Lewis, sec. Mt. Carroll—Carroll Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Jas. A. Warner, pres.; J. D. Turnbough, treas.; Cal. M. Feezer, sec. Mt. Sterling—Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Paris—Edgar Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Wm. H. Moss, pres.; R. G. Sutherland, treas.; S. B. McCord, sec. Princeton—Bureau Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jas. M. Ennis, pres., Walnut; H. B. Peterson, treas.; Chas. L. Trimble, sec. Quincy—Quincy Fair. Aug. 22-25. Robinson—Crawford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Savilla Shipman, pres., Hardinsville; H. W. Schwenk, treas.; Henry Coulter, sec., Hardinsville. Shawneetown—Gallatin Co. Fair. Aug. 22-29. Charles Carroll, pres.; Jno. McKelligott, treas.; Marsh Wiseheart, sec. Shelbyville—Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. J. C. Weatherwell, pres.; G. A. Roberts, sec. Springfield—Illinois State Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 7. A. D. Barber, pres., Hamilton; Edw. A. Hall, treas.; W. Garrard, sec. Sterling—Mineral Springs Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. T. Williams, pres.; J. Harpham, treas.; W. Kilgour, sec. Urbana—Champaign Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. C. Dallenbach, pres., Champaign; J. B. Busey, treas.; W. W. Lindley, sec. Wyoming—Wyoming Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. B. MacClintock, sec. Watska—Iroquois Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. H. H. Hotelling, pres., Gilman; Will A. Coucy, treas.; John O. Reeder, sec.

INDIANA.

Anderson—Anderson Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. B. Orr, pres.; Wm. Boland, treas.; W. H. Heritage, sec. Angola—Steben Agrl. Fair. Oct. 10-13. Clyde C. Carlin, pres.; Henry Lindes, treas.; Orville Goodale, sec. Booneville—Big Booneville Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Glamer Felzer, pres.; A. L. Beeler, treas.; J. F. Richardson, sec. Bowtell—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Hiram Bright, pres.; Matt Cooper, sec. Bourbon—Bourbon Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. G. D. Ettinger, pres.; H. F. Bowman, treas.; B. W. Parks, sec. Bremen—Agrl. Fair. Oct. 3-6. Jno. Huff, pres.; Henry H. Miller, sec. Chrisney—Spencer Co. Fair. Aug. 14-19. J. C. Haines, pres.; J. P. Chrisney, sec. Cicero—Hamilton Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. O. M. Tomlinson, pres.; J. M. Achenbach, sec. Columbus—Bartholomew Co. Fair. Sept. 11-13. F. T. Gramp, pres.; Ed. Redman, sec.

Connersville-Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Francis T. Boots, pres.; Bass Sparks, sec.; T. O. McBurney, gen. mgr.

IOWA
Allison-Butler Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. L. J. Rogers, sec.

Schain, pres.; J. A. McWald, treas.; C. S. Brown, sec.

Buttons, All Kinds. St. Louis Button Co.

Ogden-Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 6-8. Wm. Hilland, pres.; Julius Kuntz, treas.; C. B. Clark, sec.

KENTUCKY
Barbourville-Knox Co. Fair. Jno. O. Matthews, pres.; F. E. Barner, treas.; W. W. Tinsley, sec.

Harrodsburg-Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. W. I. Allin, sec.

LOUISIANA
Alden Bridge-Booster Parish Fair. Oct. 27-28.

MAINE
Acton-Shapleigh and Acton Fair. Dates not set.

MARYLAND
Timonim-Maryland State Fair. Sept. 5-9.

MASSACHUSETTS
Amesbury-Amesbury and Salisbury Fair. Sept. 12-14.

Buttons, All Kinds. St. Louis Button Co.

Storbridge—Worcester South Fair. Sept. 14-15. C. V. Corey, sec. Taunton—Bristol Co. Fair. Sept. 20-23. Jas. P. Dunn, sec. ...

MICHIGAN.

Adrian—Leuswee Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. H. Fairbanks, sec. Allegan—Allegan Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. H. Foster, pres.; Roy Wilcox, treas.; W. H. Warner, sec. ...

MINNESOTA.

Adert Lea—Freeborn Co. Fair. Sept. 18-20. D. K. Tracy, pres.; C. H. Freeman, treas.; Robt. J. Stuedy, sec. ...

MISSOURI.

Bowling Green—Pike Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Jas. E. McPike, pres.; Ed. Briggs, treas.; H. M. Strother, sec. ...

Bozeman—Inter-State Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. F. L. Renepe, pres.; H. L. Casey, treas.; J. M. Smith, sec. ...

NEBRASKA.

Albion—Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Neil, pres.; Jos. Greene, treas.; H. L. Brooks, sec. Auburn—Nemaha Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. E. Long, pres.; W. H. Bamsfield, treas.; C. G. Snow, sec. ...

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Claremont—Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 8-5. Jno. M. Howe, pres.; Edw. J. Bossiter, treas.; Jno. D. Ayer, sec. ...

NEW JERSEY.

Trenton—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-29. M. E. Margerum, sec. Mt. Holly—Great Mt. Holly Fair. Oct. 8-6.

NEW MEXICO.

Albuquerque—Albuquerque Racing Fair. May 28-31. C. E. Newcomer, pres.; P. F. McCanna, sec. Albuquerque—New Mexico Territorial Fair. Sept. 18-23. W. H. Greer, pres.; J. E. Hern- ...

NEW YORK.

Albion—Orleans Co. Fair. Sept. 15-17. L. H. Beach, sec. Ballston—Saratoga Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Eugene Wiswall, pres.; W. L. Cavert, treas.; N. V. Witbeck, sec. ...

Reeves, pres.; P. E. Sleight, treas.; W. H. Hyde, sec. Newark Valley—Northern Tioga Fair. Aug. 29-31. Chas. H. Barnes, pres.; E. F. Beldom, treas.; G. E. Purple, sec. ...

Orangeburg—Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. V. Springsteen, pres.; Talman; D. T. Ingalls, treas.; Spring Valley; Elbert Talman, sec.; Spring Valley.

Orwego—Tioga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Lewis S. Leonard, pres.; A. W. Parmelee, treas.; L. W. Kingman, sec. Perry—Silver Lake Fair. Sept. 23-25. S. W. Hart, sec. ...

Penn Yan—Yates Co. Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. J. Huson, pres.; Geo. H. Bremer, treas.; Jno. E. Watkins, sec. Port Richmond—Richmond Co. Fair. Dates not set. Edw. P. Doyle, sec. ...

Rome—Oneida Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Henry Bar- nard, jr., pres.; L. Mittenmaier, jr., treas.; J. B. Cushman, sec. Sandy Creek—Sandy Creek Fair. Aug. 22-25. W. D. Stevens, prop.; G. T. Smith, treas.; H. Lout, Wallace, sec. ...

Sandy Hill—Fair. Aug. 8-11. Schenectady—Fair. Aug. 16-18. H. Ber- nard, pres.; E. J. Goddard, treas.; W. A. Pier, sec. ...

Trumansburg—Union Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. William T. Biggs, pres.; Horace A. Mosber, treas.; Guy O. Homan, sec. Vernon—Vernon Fair. Sept. 28-28. F. A. Cody, pres.; D. W. Hart, treas.; O. G. Simmons, sec. ...

Warsaw—Wyoming Co. Fair. Sept. 21-22. W. H. Rooper, sec.; Irving G. Botstorf, treas.; Wm. E. Webster, sec. Watertown—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. K. Cole, pres.; Evans' Mills; E. C. Maxson, treas.; Adams Center; W. B. Skeels, sec. ...

White Plains—Westchester Co. Fair. Sept. 25-30. Moses G. Gaylor, pres.; Jos. B. Lee, treas.; Edw. B. Long, sec. ...

Burlington—Alamance Fair. Oct. 22-25. J. A. Long, pres.; Graham; R. A. Freeman, treas.; J. A. Turrentine, sec. ...

Charlotte—Mecklinburg Fair. Oct. 24-27. R. J. Bredard, pres.; W. Chambers, treas.; W. S. Orr, sec. Greensboro—Central Carolina Fair. Oct. 10-12. Dr. J. T. J. Battle, pres.; Neil Ellington, treas.; Jno. W. Cook, sec. ...

Raleigh—North Carolina State Fair. Oct. 16-21. Ashley Home, pres.; Clayton; C. B. Denson, treas.; J. E. Fogg, sec. Winston-Salem—Forsyth Co. Fair. Oct. 8-9. G. A. Hauser, pres.; G. E. Webb, sec. ...

Crytal—Tri-County Fair. July 8-5. W. J. Greenwood, pres.; Jno. F. Appleton, treas.; Fred. W. Stafford, sec. ...

Akron—Summitt Co. Fair. Oct. 8-6. Jno. F. Moore, pres.; Copley; R. F. D. No. 89; G. W. Brewster, treas.; O. J. Swinsbart, sec. ...

Athens—Athens Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. A. Murphy, pres.; E. R. Walker, treas.; H. H. Hanning, sec. Attica—Attica Union Fair. Sept. 26-29. H. M. Kaufman, pres.; J. Nelson Starr, treas.; Dr. D. V. Hoke, sec. ...

Bantam—Clermont Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Bellefontaine—Logan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. A. Horner, pres.; Jno. P. Alken, sec. ...

Blanchester—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. J. E. Ross, pres.; E. Goodwin, treas.; Miner Swau, sec. Boston—Clermont Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. M. Bondehan, pres.; Newtonville; J. C. Hupp, treas.; John Rowan, sec.; 2118 Monroe ave. Norwood.

Bowling Green—Bowling Green Fair. July 4-7. R. S. Sweet, sec. Bucyrus—Crawford Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. Bucyrus—Crawford Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. J. W. Stuekman, pres.; W. A. Bicka, treas.; D. W. Hurr, sec. ...

Canal Dover—Tuscarawas Co. Fair. Oct. 17-20. Carrollton—Carroll Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. M. E. Cooper, pres.; Magnolia; T. J. Saltzman, treas.; C. A. Tope, sec. ...

Celina—Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. C. F. Kruger, pres.; W. H. Romer, treas.; St. Henry; Fred Heiby, Ft. BeCOVERY. Chsprin Falls—Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Chandlerville—Moskingum Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. K. Browning, pres.; A. F. Vest, treas.; E. Y. White, sec. ...

Clarksville—Clinton and Warren Co. Fair. Aug. 8-10. Warren A. Brady, pres.; F. L. Miller, treas.; Mrs. V. A. Gorham, sec. Columbus—Ohio State Fair. Sept. 4-8. W. W. Miller, sec. ...

Coshocton—Coshocton Co. Fair. Oct. 10-18. W. Simons, pres.; W. B. Miller, treas.; Eobt. Boyd, sec. Croton—Hartford Central Fair. Sept. 18-15. W. E. Hatfield, pres.; Centerburg; C. L. Mc- Cracken, treas.; W. H. Siegfried, sec. ...

Dayton—Montgomery Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Eaton—Priebe Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. Noah Sler- ter, pres.; West Manchester; C. F. Brooke, jr., treas.; G. W. Dangherty, sec. ...

Elyria—Lorain Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. E. Miller, pres.; L. D. Hamlin, treas.; Anthony Neldog, sec. Fludlay—Hancock Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Wm. Demand, sec. ...

Gallipolis—Gallia Co. Fair. Aug. 16-18. W. M. Duff, pres.; Point Pleasant, W. Va.; F. G. Musgrove, sec and treas., Point Pleas- ant, W. Va. Greenville—Great Dark Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. J. M. Brown, pres.; Arcanum; Ed. Ammon, treas.; Gordon; J. M. Hall, sec. ...

Jefferson—Ashtabula Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. W. H. Dodge, pres.; Dodgeville; C. C. Babcock, treas.; J. M. Roberts, sec. Kenton—Hardin Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. M. Thompson, sec. ...

Kinsman—Kinsman Fair. Aug. 29-31. H. J. Waid, pres.; J. A. Hamilton, treas.; H. J. Fobes, sec. Lebanon—Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. A. D. Smith, pres.; Geo. W. Carey, sec. ...

Lima—Allen Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. A. States, pres.; West Cairo; G. B. Fetter, treas.; T. B. Bowersock, sec. Lima—Lima Fair. June 27-30. F. E. Barter, sec. ...

London—Madison Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. McConnellsville—Morgan Co. Fair. Sept. 23-25.

Benj. F. Reed, pres.; Harry M. Finley, treas.; Geo. H. Black, sec. Mansfield—Richland Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. W. H. Shylock, pres.; Jno. Hale, treas.; Jno. E. Cozz, sec. ...

Marietta—Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Elram True, pres.; Lower Salem; C. W. Zim- mer, treas.; Stanleyville; Jas. F. Hovey, sec. ...

Marysville—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. O. Johnson, pres.; Homer Southard, treas.; W. F. Broderick, sec. ...

Mason—Mason Fair. Dates not set. J. A. Rebold, pres.; J. W. Buck, treas.; W. E. Williamson, sec. ...

Middletown—Butler Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. Montpelier—Williams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. C. Lattanner, sec. ...

Mount Joy—Scioto Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. T. Blackburn, pres.; Rarden; W. A. Mo- George, sec. ...

Napoleon—Napoleon Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Hanna, pres.; B. B. Heller, treas.; J. L. Halter, sec. ...

Newark—Licking Co. Fair. Oct. 3-7. W. H. Kussenmand, pres.; Greenville; B. M. Slinger, treas.; Homer; J. M. Farmer, sec. ...

New Bremen—New Bremen Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Theo. H. Tangeman, sec. New Lexington—New Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 28-29. Chas. H. Chappelar, sec. ...

Ottawa—Putnam Co. Fair. Oct. 8-7. W. J. Varner, pres.; Sam Cartwright, treas.; A. F. Sandies, sec. ...

Paulding—Paulding Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Allen Hybee, pres.; Jno. A. Jenkins, sec. Richmond—Richmond Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. L. Horn, pres.; L. P. Albright, treas.; H. C. Duke, sec. ...

Ripley—Ripley Fair. Aug. 8-11. L. H. Wil- liams, sec. Russellville—Russellville Fair. Oct. 12. J. D. Selp, pres.; T. M. Salisbury, treas.; J. O. Miller, sec. ...

St. Clairsville—Belmont Co. Fair. Aug. 29- Sept. 1. D. S. Creamer, pres.; W. T. Jod- kins, treas.; J. H. Taylor, sec. ...

Sardinia—Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Farmer Kennedy, sec. Sidney—Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. J. Carhill, pres.; Jno. Duncan, treas.; J. E. Russell, sec. ...

Smithfield—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29. Alonzo Hayne, pres.; Adena; Chas. McKinney, treas.; J. G. Hayne, sec. ...

Springfield—Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Sycamore—Sycamore Fair. Oct. 17-20. J. L. Curtis, pres.; Geo. A. Klahr, treas.; M. Vance, sec. ...

Timn—Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. H. Knapp, pres.; Republic; E. T. Winsted, treas.; Morgan E. Ink, sec.; Republic. ...

Upper Sandusky—Wyaudot Co. Fair. Oct. 8-6. H. E. Hedges, pres.; Peter Frank, jr., treas.; A. F. Schoenberg, sec. ...

Urbans—Champaign Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Van Wert—Van Wert Fair. Sept. 12-15. E. F. Leslie, pres.; Conroy; E. B. Gilliland, treas.; E. V. Walborn, sec. ...

Wapakoneta—Anglaise Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Chas. Fraxier, pres.; Unioopolis; T. E. Bewaher, treas.; A. E. Schaffer, sec. ...

Warren—Trumbull Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. M. A. McChlain, sec. Washington C. H.—Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Roll G. Allen, sec. ...

Williamson—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Wellington—Wellington Fair. Aug. 22-25. Woodsfield—Mourco Co. Fair. Dates not set. ...

W. C. Mooney, pres.; Geo. P. Dorr, sec. Wooster—Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Jno. C. McClaren, pres.; W. A. Wilson, treas.; G. J. Eldridge, sec.; Shreve. ...

Xenia—Greene Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Zanerville—Mark Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. K. Browning, pres.; R. Y. White, sec.; Chand- lersville; A. F. Vest, treas. ...

OKLAHOMA.

Blackwell—Blackwell Inter-State Fair. Oct. 16-22. Wm. Buckholz, pres.; W. H. Thompson, treas.; E. P. Blake, sec. ...

Deer Creek—Grant Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. A. T. Dungan, pres.; T. J. Hartman, treas.; C. F. Bherle, sec. ...

Newkirk—Kay Co. Fair. Oct. 9-12. S. Spore, pres.; Harry Thompson, sec. Oklahoma City—Oklahoma Co. Fair. Oct. 23-23. Shawnee—Pottawatomie Co. Fair. Nov 6-11.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Allentown—Lehigh Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Hon. Jeremiah, pres.; Milton J. Kern, treas.; H. B. Schall, sec. ...

Bedford—Bedford Co. Fair. Oct. 8-5. Jno. Line, pres.; Wm. I. Elcholtz, sec. Bethlehem—Pennsylvania State Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. Walter Lovatt, pres.; W. M. Appleg- ate, treas.; H. A. Gorman, sec. ...

Bloomsburg—Columbia Co. Fair. Dates not set. E. P. Haggenbach, pres.; A. N. Yost, sec. Brookville—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. B. Henderson, sec. ...

Burgessville—Union Fair. Oct. 8-5. D. J. Dowden, mgr.; W. A. Coryson, treas.; R. P. Stevenson, sec. ...

Butler—Driving Park and Fair. Aug. 22-25. Geo. A. Schaffner, pres.; E. W. Bingham, treas.; I. J. McBride, sec. ...

Cambridge Springs—Cambridge Fair. Aug. 22-25. E. E. Humes, pres.; J. O. Sherred, treas.; Albert S. Faber, sec. ...

Carlisle—Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. E. M. Mullin, pres.; W. H. McCrea, sec. Clarion—Clarion Co. Fair. Sept. 5-11. Conneaut Lake—Conneaut Lake Fair. Aug. 28- Sept. 1. Chas. T. Byers, sec. ...

Corry—Corry Fair. Sept. 11-14. S. D. Dorn, sec. Dayton—Dayton Fair. Sept. 26-29. Wm. Gal- lagher, pres.; O. H. Good, treas.; W. C. Marshall, sec. ...

Edinboro—Edinboro Fair. Aug. 15-17. C. W. Billings, sec. Forksville—Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. Fred. Newell, pres.; A. G. Little, treas.; Ulysses Bird, sec. ...

Hanover—Hanover Fair. Sept. 12-15. R. M. Wirt, pres.; T. J. Little, treas.; M. O. Smith, sec. ...

Honesdale—Wayne Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. L. Ferguson, pres.; Seelyville; J. V. Starnes, treas.; Bethany; E. W. Gammell, sec. ...

Kittanning-Armstrong Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. E. J. McGiven, pres.; C. J. Jessop, treas.; W. E. Noble, sec.
Lehighon-Carbon Co. Fair. Aug. 20-Sept. 1. C. E. Brinkman, pres.; W. H. Obert, treas.; A. F. Greenwalt, sec.
Lewisburg-Union Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Geo. B. Frederick, pres.; Reuben Kline, treas.; Bucknell; C. Dale Wolfe, sec., Bucknell.
Madisonville-Lackawanna Grange Fair. Sept. 23-29. J. A. Yeager, pres.; E. J. Mansfield, treas.; Lionel Winship, sec., Moscow.
Mansfield-Mansfield Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. M. Clark, pres.; W. D. Husted, treas.; H. R. Hoard, sec.
Milton-Great Milton Fair. Oct. 3-6. Wm. H. Hackenberg, pres.; Edwin Paul, sec.
Montrose-Susquehanna Co. Fair. Sept. 13-14. F. L. Lott, pres.; R. E. Beebe, treas.; F. A. Davies, sec.
Nazareth-Northampton Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. S. Messinger, pres.; Latamp; J. R. Reinheimer, sec.
Newport-Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. D. H. Shelley, pres.; T. H. Butturf, treas.; J. C. F. Stephens, sec.
Oxford-Oxford Fair. Sept. 27-29. S. E. Nivin, pres.; Landenburg; F. G. Andrews, treas.; H. C. Thomas, sec.
Pulaski-Pulaski Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Pomeroy-Lewisburg-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Ben Record, sec.
Reading-Great Reading Fair. Oct. 3-6. Jas. McGowan, pres.; Gieger's Mills; Milford N. Ritter, treas.; H. Seidel Throm, sec.
Stoneboro-Stoneboro Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Vernon, pres.; Robt. P. Cann, treas.; Geo. H. Fowler, sec.
Stroudsburg-Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. S. Williams, pres.; O. F. Phillips, treas.; F. B. Overfield, sec., East Stroudsburg.
Towanda-Bradford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. William J. McCabe, pres.; M. E. Horton, treas.; Chas. Culvert, sec.
Troy-Troy Fair. Sept. 12-15. Liston Bliss, pres.; L. H. Oliver, treas.; D. F. Pomeroy, sec.
Williams Grove-Grange Inter-State Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 1. R. A. Thomas, pres., Mechanicsburg.
Youngwood-Westmoreland Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. D. Barnhart, pres., Mt. Pleasant; D. B. Fisher, treas.; F. M. Waughman, sec., Harrison City.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Charleston-S. O. State Fair. Oct. 2-7. Columbia-State Fair. Oct. 23-27. G. A. Guignard, pres.; A. Gasmwell LaMotte, treas.; A. W. Love, sec.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Belle Fourche-Belle Fourche Fair. Dates not set. Frank R. Cook, pres.; A. H. Maxwell, sec.

TENNESSEE.

Alexandria-DeKalb Co. Fair. Sept. 7-8. D. D. Overall, pres.; J. W. Wood, treas.; Bob Roy, sec.
Clarksville-Montgomery Fair. Dates not set. Jno. F. Shelton, pres.; W. B. Shelton, treas.; W. B. Beach, sec.
Cleveland-Farmers' Fair. Dates not set. M. V. Jones, pres.; Jno. W. Cate, sec.
Trenton-Gibson Co. Fair. Oct. 11-14. T. J. Hapwell, pres.; W. F. McRae, treas.; Chas. L. Wade, sec.
Union City-West Tennessee Fair. Sept. 26-30. W. C. Harris, pres.; H. Dietz, treas.; J. W. Woolley, sec.

TEXAS.

Brady-Trans-Colored Exposition. July 3-8. H. H. Booe, sec.
Dallas-Texas State Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 15. C. A. Keating, pres.; J. B. Adoue, treas.; Sydney Smith, sec.
Greenville-Hunt Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. J. O. Hayter, pres.; Jas. Ormstedt, treas.; H. L. Carpenter, sec.
Correll-C. T. N. Fair. Aug. 9-13. G. Phipps, sec., box 484.
Kerrville-West Texas Fair. Sept. 7-9. Charles Real, sec.
Llano-Llano Co. Fair. Sept. 29-30. S. D. Baumtree, pres.; C. I. Boynton, sec.
San Antonio-San Antonio Fair. Oct. 21-Nov. 1. Jno. W. Kokernot, pres.; S. B. Weller, treas.; J. M. Vance, sec.
Taylor-Taylor Fair. July 4-6. John F. Black, sec.

UTAH.

Split Lake City-Desert Agrl. and Mfg. Fair. Oct. 3-7. J. G. McDonald, pres.; Wm. Bateman, sec.

VERMONT.

Manchester-Battenkill Valley Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. B. Smith, pres.; D. H. Dyes, treas.; Dr. J. F. Page, sec.
Middleburg-Addison County Fair. Sept. 5-9. Frank C. Dyer, pres.; W. Salisbury; C. B. Pinner, treas.; Fred L. Hamilton, sec., West Salisbury.
Morrisville-Lamville Valley Fair. Aug. 29-31. G. M. Powers, pres.; O. M. Waterman, sec.
Springfield-Springfield Fair. Sept. 12-13. R. C. Crosby, pres.; Geo. F. Leland, treas.; Fred C. Davis, sec.
Waterbury-Winooski Valley Fair. Sept. 12-14. G. E. Moody, pres.; W. B. Elliott, treas.; Chas. Keene, sec.
Woodstock-Windsor Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. A. E. Fuller, pres.; C. H. English, treas.; C. J. Paul, sec.

VIRGINIA.

Lynchburg-Inter-State Fair. Oct. 3-6. Carter Glass, pres.; S. T. Withers, treas.; Frank Lovelock, sec.
Norfolk-Norfolk Fair. Oct. 16-21. C. O. Wrenn, pres.; P. O. box 296.
Tasley-Peninsula Fair. Aug. 8-11.
Tappahannock-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8-11. J. W. Blackstone, pres.; Wm. Hopkins, sec.
WASHINGTON.
Everett-Snohomish Co. Fair. Sept. 18-23. T. P. Oliver, pres.; Jos. A. Swallow, treas.; Dan Currie, sec.
North Yakima-Washington State Fair. Oct. 2-7.
Fuyallup-Valley Fair. Oct. 3-8. W. J. Bowman, pres.; W. D. Cotter, treas.; J. P. Nevins, sec.
Spokane-Spokane Inter-State Fair. Oct. 9-15. Howell W. Feel, pres.; E. J. Dyer, treas.; Robt. H. Cosgrove, sec.

WASHINGTON.

Washington-Inter-State Fair. Aug. 23-25. J. F. Thompson, pres.; F. E. Wilson, treas.; C. W. Boyer, sec.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Martinsburg-Innowood Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. J. F. Thompson, pres.; F. E. Wilson, treas.; C. W. Boyer, sec.

Middlebourne-Tyler Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. O. S. Stanley, pres.; W. E. Kirchner, treas.; O. B. Riggle, sec.
New Martinsville-Wetzel Co. Fair. Aug. 14-17. Justus Eackin, pres.; J. A. Pyles, treas.; J. B. Thorn, sec.
Pennsboro-Pennsboro Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. E. Wells, pres.; Wm. A. Strickler, sec.
Shepherdstown-Morgan's Grove Fair. Sept. 5-8. C. D. Wepon, pres.; John P. Kearfoot, treas.; E. T. Licklider, sec.
Weston-Lewis Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14.
Wheeling-Exposition and State Fair. Sept. 11-15. A. Reymann, pres.; Geo. Hook, sec.

WISCONSIN.

Amberst-Portage Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. J. Niven, pres.; Sheridan; L. A. Pomeroy, treas.; A. J. Smith, sec.
Antigo-Langlade Co. Fair. Sept. 10-12.
Appleton-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1.
Augusta-Egan Co. Fair. Dates not set. Geo. Bills, pres.; A. E. Bradford, treas.; Birt Fredericks, sec.
Baraboo-Sank Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Chas. Wild, pres.; Frank Shultz, treas.; S. A. Pelton, sec.
Beaverdam-Dodge Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. L. Wallace, pres.; H. B. Drake, treas.; C. W. Harvey, sec.
Beloit-Inter-State Fair. Aug. 15-18. Geo. G. Cram, pres.; D. H. Tanock, treas.; T. D. Corcoran, sec.
Berlin-Berlin Agrl. Fair. Aug. 22-25. H. W. Temme, pres.; E. Grant Bunce, treas.; W. J. Clement, sec.
Black River Falls-Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. Bolger, pres.; O. F. Olson, treas.; E. L. Ormsby, sec.
Boscobel-Boscobel Fair. Oct. 4-6. Jacob Scott, pres.; Joe B. Manert, treas.; Louis B. Ruka, sec.
Chilton-Calumet Co. Fair. Aug. 31-Sept. 2. Fred. Horman, pres.; New Holstein; Winfield S. Lloyd, treas.; Gregory Dorschel, sec.
Chippewa Falls-Northern Wisconsin State Fair. Aug. 23-31. Robt. B. Clark, sec.
Darlington-Lafayette Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Geo. Ward, sec.
Elkhorn-Walworth Co. Fair. Sept. 18-23. H. C. Norris, sec.
Gay's Mills-Central Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. Atley Peterson, pres.; Soldiers' Grove; N. Jurgeson, treas.; E. G. Briggs, sec.
Jefferson-Jefferson Co. and Rock River Valley Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Carlin, pres.; O. F. Roessler, sec.
Kilbourn City-Later Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Nat. Wetzel, pres.; D. Wintermute, treas.; Geo. H. Campbell, sec.
La Crosse-Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-30. T. H. Spence, pres.; E. M. Wing, treas.; C. S. VanAiken, sec.
Lancaster-Grant Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Geo. A. Moore, sec.
Medford-Taylor Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. F. M. Shaw, pres.; L. A. Maler, treas.; W. G. Toome, sec.
Merrill-Lincoln Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. H. R. Fehland, pres.; Wm. F. Peterman, treas.; J. W. Bruce, sec.
Mequon-Dunn Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. B. Chickering, pres.; F. A. Vasay, treas.; Geo. Gallaway, sec.
Milwaukee-Wisconsin State Board of Agriculture. Sept. 1-15. Geo. McKerrrow, pres.; J. J. Kempf, treas.; Jno. M. True, sec.
Mineral Point-Southern Wis. Fair. Aug. 15-18. T. M. Priestley, sec.
Mondovi-Buffalo Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. C. E. Otis, pres.; N. A. Peeso, treas.; M. C. Fisher, sec.
Monroe-Green Co. Fair. Sept. 13-16. W. Ludlow, pres.; L. A. Honger, treas.; Willart T. Saucerman, sec.
New Richmond-New Richmond Fair. Sept. 19-22. O. J. Williams, pres.; F. R. Winter, treas.; L. A. Baker, sec.
Oconto-Oconto Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. B. Chase, sec.
Neillsville-Clark Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. W. Hommel, pres.; G. L. Redwood, treas.; H. C. Clark, sec.
New London-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-29.
Portage-Columbia Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. H. Wells, pres.; B. N. McConchie, treas.; J. E. Jones, sec.
Richland Centre-Richland Co. Fair. Sept. 28-29. J. W. Martin, pres.; Gotham, Wis.; K. C. Lybrand, treas.; W. F. Fogo, sec.
Seymour-Seymour Fair. Sept. 25-30. Peter Tubbs, pres.; H. J. VanVuren, sec.
Viroqua-Vernon Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. M. Minshall, pres.; J. M. McLees, sec.
Wausau-Marathon Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8.

WYOMING.

Cheyenne-Frontier Park Fair. Sept. 4-6. Edw. Hofman, pres.; J. L. Murray, treas.; C. B. Richardson, sec.

CANADA.

Alexander-County Fair. Sept. 21. C. F. Macdonald, sec.
Alvinston-Fair. Oct. 3-4.
Alymer-Canada's Great Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. D. H. Eric, sec.
Bowmanville-West Durham Fair. Sept. 20. M. A. James, sec.
Brandon-Man.-Western Man. Fair. Aug. 1-4. F. J. Clark, mgr.
Bridgen-Fair. Oct. 3.
Brookville-Co. Fair. Sept. 21. R. H. Field, sec.
Calgary, N. W. Ter.-Inter-Western Pacific Ex. July 19-20. Onas. W. Peterson, sec.
Campbellford-Campbellford Fair. Sept. 29. G. A. Hay, sec.
Carberry, Man.-Norfolk Fair. July 19-20. O. H. Brooks, sec.
Carman, Man.-Dufferin Agrl. Fair. July 6-7. T. Kernighan, sec.
Cartwright-Man.-Cartwright Fair. July 18-19. A. W. Bagnell, sec.
Chatham-West Kent Dist. Fair. Sept. 26-28. A. J. Dolson, pres.; E. G. Fleming, treas.; Henry Robinson, sec.
Collingwood, Ont.-Great Northern Exhibition. Sept. 26-29. W. A. Hogg, pres.; Jas. Halliwell, treas.; J. W. Archer, sec.
Crumbo-Blenheim Fair. Sept. 26-27. T. B. Telfer, sec.
Crystal City, Man.-Mountain Agrl. Fair. July 13-14. W. G. Dix, sec.
Cypress River, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 21. Jas. McDole, sec.
Dauphin, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8. T. Whitmore, sec.
Deloraine, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 20-21. P. C. Shepherd, sec.
Dunville-Dunville Fair. Sept. 26-27.

Edmonton, N. W. Ter.-Industrial Ex. June 29-July 1. F. Fraser Tims, sec.
Elkhorn, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 17-18. W. M. Cushing, sec.
Forest-Fair. Oct. 5-6.
Gladstone, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Bridge, sec.
Glenco-Fair. Sept. 26-27.
Hamiota, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 11. A. D. McCounell, sec.
Hartney, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 18-19. T. B. Woodhull, sec.
Kemptville-Oxford Fair. Sept. 24-25. L. H. Guest, sec.
Killarney, Man.-Southern Man. Fair. Aug. 8-10. J. Schnair, sec.
Kingston, Ont.-Kingston Dist. Fair. Dates not set. Mayor B. McFarland, pres.; C. W. Wright, treas.; J. Morgan Shyr, sec.
London-Western Fair. Sept. 8-16. Capt. W. J. Reid, pres.; D. Mackenzie, treas.; J. A. Nelles, sec.
Milton-Milton Fair. Oct. 13. Wm. Hurbottle, sec.
Morden, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 20-21. M. C. Rumball, sec.
Morris, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 10-11. L. J. Elliot, sec.
Nelson, B. C.-Nelson Fair. Sept. 27-29. Jas. J. Johnstone, pres.; J. J. Malone, treas.; J. E. Annable, sec.
Oak Lake, Man.-Lansdowne Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10. W. J. Hellwill, sec.
Orillia-Orillia Fair. Sept. 14-16. A. B. Thompson, sec.
Ottawa, Ont.-Exhibition. Sept. 8-16. E. McMahon, sec.
Owen Sound-North Grey Fair. Dates not set. A. G. Mackey, sec.
Paisley-Paisley Fair. Sept. 26-27. J. E. Sheppard, sec.
Paris-North Grant Exposition. Sept. 23-29. H. C. O'Neil, sec.
Peterborough-Industrial Exhibition. Sept. 23-27. D. Hughes, pres.; F. J. A. Hall, sec.
Petrolia-Fair. Sept. 21-23.
Portage La Prairie, Man.-Portage & Lakeside Fair. July 18-19. W. Sheppard, sec.
Renfrew-Renfrew Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-28. W. S. Smallfield, sec.
Richmond-Richmond Fair. Sept. 26-27. W. McElroy, sec.
Sarnia-Fair. Sept. 25-27.
Sanit Ste. Marie-East Algoma Fair. Oct. 3-4. Joo. Dawson, pres.; Wm. Brown, treas. and sec.
Sherbrooke, Ont.-Canada's Eastern Exhibition. Sept. 2-9. C. A. French, pres.; Wm. Tomlinson, sec.
Shoal Lake, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8. Frank Dobbs, sec.
Strathclair, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 9. A. E. Sutherland, sec.
Strathroy-West Middlesex Fair. Sept. 18-20.
Swan River, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10. E. J. Darroch, sec.
Toronto-Canadian National Exhibition. Aug. 26-Sept. 12. J. O. Orr, sec.
Watford-Fair. Sept. 23-29.
West London-Fair. Sept. 8-16.
Vauclerk Hill, Ont.-Prescott Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Alex. A. LeRoy, pres.; Fred. W. Thistlewaite, sec.
Westbourne, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Budge, sec.
Winchester, Ont.-Winchester Fair. Sept. 6-7. Col. F. Ault, pres.; W. Laflamme, sec. and treas.

New Street Fairs.

Albert Lea, Minn.-Street Fair. June 12-17. Cosmopolitau Carn. Co., attr.
Alexandria, Va.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Jones-Adams Shows, attr.
Ashley, Mich.-Fourth of July Celebration and Farmers' Carnival July 4. Richard Chapman, sec.
Arcola, Ill.-Free Street Fair. Auspices Business Men's Assn. June 5-10. Lachman-Keetch Shows, attr.
Bevo, Nev.-Street Fair. June 29-July 4. Nat. Beese Carn. Co., attr.
Carrollton, O.-Street Fair. Auspices M. W. of A. Aug. 1-5. W. G. Ashbrook, sec.
Cartersville, Mo.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Bus-sell & Owens' Am. Co., attr.
Circleville, O.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Smith Greater Am. Ent., attr.
Dayton, Ky.-Street Fair. June 19-24. Robinson Co., attr.
Enid, O. T.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Great Alamo Shows, attr.
Erie, Pa.-Summer Festival. Benefit of the Hospitals. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. L. G. Sterrett, mgr.
Fort Worth, Tex.-Street Fair. Dates not set. Dan Zook, chrm. carn. com.
Garden City, Kan.-Street Fair. June 5-10. World's Fair Midway Carn. Co., attr.
Governor, N. Y.-Old Home Week and Centennial. Aug. 24-30. H. C. Bogera, chrm.
Harrisburg, Ill.-Street Fair. June 12-17. St. Louis Syndicate Am. Co., attr.
Jeannette, Pa.-Street Fair. June 5-10. E. G. Barkout Am. Co., attr.
Lebanon, Mo.-Street Fair. June 5-18. Royal Am. Co., attr.
London, O.-Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Robinson Am. Co., attr.
McDonald, Pa.-Free Street Fair. June 12-17. K. G. Barkout Am. Co., attr.
Mattoon, Ill.-Street Fair. Dates not set. Monemesu, Pa.-Free Street Fair. June 26-July 1. K. G. Barkout Am. Co., attr.
Mound City, Ill.-Street Fair. June 5-10. St. Louis Syndicate Am. Co., attr.
New Kensington, Pa.-Free Street Fair. June 19-24. K. G. Barkout Am. Co., attr.
Nicholasville, Ky.-Sweet Fair. Auspices Elkin Tent No. 61. Knights of The Maccabees. July 3-8. W. G. Davis, chrm. exec. com.
Pekin, Ill.-Street Fair. June 12-17. U. S. Carnival Co., attr.
Petersburg, Ill.-Merchants' Free Street Fair. June 5-10. U. S. Carn. Co., attr.
Ponca City, O. T.-Street Fair. June 12-17. Echlin-Harris Am. Co., attr.
Paxson-Lewis, Pa.-Free Street Fair. July 2-8. K. G. Barkout Am. Co., attr.
Rockyford, Col.-Street Fair. Auspices Board of Trade. June 5-10. Meyer's Modurch Am. Co., attr.

South Bend, Ind.-Street Fair. July 3-8. Robinson Am. Co., attr.
Springfield, Ill.-Merchants' Carnival. Sept. 30-Oct. 7. Henry A. Dirksen, chrm. ent. com.
VanBuren, Mo.-Indoor Carnival. June 12-17. Walsh's Crystalplex Carn. Co., attr.
Woodmere, Mich.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Pll-beam Bros.' United Carn. Co., attr.

Street Fairs and Carnivals.

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Aldion, Mich.-Free Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices W. R. K. of P. June 12-17. Pll-beam Bros.' United Carn. Co., attr.
Alpena, Mich.-Street Fair. July 10-15. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
Alpine, Mich.-Street Fair. June 19-24. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.
Anderson, Ind.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Fred Hewitt's Expo. Shows, attr.
Ashtabula Harbor, O.-Street Fair. June 12-17. Baltimore, Md.-Rebuilding Celebration. Sept. 10-16. J. Harry Tregoe, pres. assn.
Barberton, O.-Street Fair. July 3-8. O. C. Moon, sec. F. O. E.
Barnesville, O.-Street Fair. June 5-10.
Bay City, Mich.-Street Fair. July 3-8. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
Belle Plaine, Ill.-Street Fair. Aug. 8-13. Baldwin Bros.' Shows, attr.
Belleville, Ont.-Street Fair and Reunion. July 21-25. Arthur McGinnis, sec.
Billings, Mont.-Street Fair. June 19-24. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
Boonville, Mo.-Street Fair. Auspices Eagles. Aug. 14-19. M. J. Kootz, sec.
Bridgeton, N. J.-Fourth Annual Festival and Carnival. Auspices Bridgeton Hospital and Bridgeton Athletic Assn. June 28-July 1. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
Caldwell, Kan.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Echlin-Harris Am. Co., attr.
Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
Canton, Ill.-K. of P. Carnival. Oct. 2-7. Geo. C. Hoyt, sec.
Carroll, Ia.-Street Fair. June 19-24. Great Bogan Shows, attr.
Caruthersville, Mo.-Free Street Fair. July 3-8. G. W. Dushman, sec.
Cedar Rapids, Ia.-Ninth Annual Carnival and Horse Show. Oct. 2-7. E. J. Carel, sec.
Champaign, Ill.-Free Street Fair. June 5-10. Lachman-Keetch Shows, attr.
Charleston, Ill.-Uniform Rank K. of P. Carnival Assn. Dates not set.
Cheboygan, Mich.-Street Fair. July 17-22. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
Chicago Junction, O.-Free Street Fair. Auspices F. O. Eagles. June 19-24. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.
Clinton, Ill.-Street Fair. June 12-17. Patterson & Brainerd Carn. Co., attr.
Clyde, Kan.-Fifth District M. W. A. Log Rolling and Watermelon Carnival. Aug. 31-Sept. 1. E. J. Felse, sec.
Columbus, Ind.-Carnival. Auspices Columbus Woodmen June 5-10. Robinson Am. Co., attr. Ralph Ellis, sec.
Connellsville, Pa.-Military Band Carnival. June 19-24. Continental Am. Co., attr.
Coshocton, O.-Old Home Week. Aug. 7-12. Geo. S. Caton, sec.
Council Bluffs, Ia.-Fourth Annual Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 4-9. E. A. Troutman, sec.
Pll-beam Bros.' United Carn. Co., attr.
Cripple Creek, Col.-Street Fair. June 19-24. Danville, Ill.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Ferari Bros.' Carnival Co., attr.
Deadwood, S. D.-Street Fair. June 5-10. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
Decorah, Ia.-Carnival. June 25-July 1.
Defiance, O.-Free Street Fair. Auspices Red Great Gaskill Shows, attr.
Men. June 5-10. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.
Deulson, Ia.-Street Fair. June 12-17. Great Bogan Shows, attr.
Deuver, Col.-Street Fair. July 3-15. Great Gaskill Shows, attr.
Duluth, Minn.-Enclosed Carnival. Auspices Third Regiment Band. Aug. 23-Sept. 2.
Dumont, N. J.-Firemen's Fair and Carnival. Oct. 3-7. W. S. Shedman, gen. mgr.
Emporia, Kan.-Street Fair. Auspices Neosho Tribe No. 4 Red Men. Sept. 4-9. L. A. Newton, Jr., sec.
Erie, Pa.-Odd Fellows' Carnival. Auspices L. O. F. Temple Assn. July 17-22. C. F. Hummel, Dr. C. H. Harvey and B. H. Brown, L. G. Sternett, committee on arrangements, Great Mundy Shows, attr.
Fargo, N. D.-Street Fair. July 24-29. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
Findlay, O.-Free Street Fair. Auspices Pathfinders' Lodge. July 3-8. W. L. Teal, sec.
Welder's Carn. Co., attr.
Fleetwood, Pa.-Street Fair. June 5-8. Doc's Flint, Mich.-Golden Jubilee. June 7-8. J. D. Dort and E. O. Wood, sub-committee.
Ford City, Pa.-Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. No. 2. July 3-8.
Ford City, Pa.-Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. Sept. 4-9.
Ft. Plain, N. Y.-Street Fair. Sept. 11-16. Emiel Rebell, sec.
Ft. Scott, Kan.-Street Fair. Auspices of F. O. Eagles. July 10-15. Parker Am. Co., attr.
Fostoria, O.-Street Carnival. Auspices Fraternal Order of Eagles. May 29-June 3. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.
Frankfort, Ind.-Big Pow-wow Celebration. Auspices the Confederate Veterans. July 18-21. W. H. Johnson.
Governor, N. Y.-Free Street Fair and Firemen's Carnival. July 3-8. Pierce Am. Co., attr.
Grand Forks, N. D.-Street Fair. July 31-Aug. 5. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
Great Falls, Mont.-Street Fair. July 10-15. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
Grand Lodge, Mich.-Street Fair. June 20-July 1. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
Hamilton, O.-Free Street Fair. Auspices Red Men No. 190. Sept. 1-5. Wm. Trick, sec.
Welder's Carn. Co., attr.
Helena, Mont.-Street Fair. July 2-9. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
High Point, N. C.-Free Street Fair. June 5-10. American Carn. Co., attr.
Holly, Mich.-Street Fair. June 26-July 1. The Wilson Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
Howell, Mich.-Street Fair. June 12-17. The Wilson Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.

Hutchinson, Kan.—Carnival. June 5-10. Great Parker Am. Co., attr.
 India, Mich.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
 Jackson, Tenn.—Pythian Street Fair and Carnival. Oct. 16-21. J. T. McCutchen, jr., sec. and treas.
 Jackson, Miss.—Corn and Cotton Carnival. Oct. —
 Jacksonville, Fla.—Carnival. Auspices Jacksonville Carnival Assn. Nov. —. W. E. Carter, pres.
 Kittanning, Pa.—Fifth Annual Firemen's Free Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. No. 3. July 31-Aug. 5. Harry J. Walter, sec.
 LaCrosse, Wis.—Street Fair. Auspices Merchants' Protective Assn. July 3-8.
 Lansing, Mich.—Street Fair. June 1-6. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
 Lapeer, Mich.—Street Fair. July 3-8. The Wixom Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
 Lawrenceburg, Ky.—Street Fair. Dates not set.
 Leadville, Col.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Great Gaskill Shows, attr.
 Lexington, Mo.—Eagle Street Fair. Auspices Lexington Eagles' Club. July 3-8. Ernest Fegert, sec.
 Logansport, Ind.—Fourth Annual Spring Carnival. June 5-10. John E. McMillan, sec. Mundy Shows, attr.
 London, Can.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Mundy Carnival Co., attr.
 London, Ky.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Miles-May Showland, attr.
 London, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion, Semi-Centennial and Summer Carnival. Aug. 7-13. B. C. McCann, sec.
 Madison, Ind.—G. A. R. Encampment. June 12-15. Jos. R. Colgate, chrm.
 Madisonville, Ky.—Street Fair. Auspices Woodmen of the World. June 5-10. Seeman-Millican Mardi Gras Co., attr.
 Malvern, Pa.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Great Hogan Shows, attr.
 Mankato, Minn.—Mankato Business Men's Carnival. July 3-5. C. H. Griebel, jr.
 Maysville, Ky.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices of the Red Men. June 12-17.
 Meadville, Pa.—Business Men's Benefit, I. O. O. F. July 24-29. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.
 Middletown, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Shiloh Light Council No. 93. June 12-17. Fred. Johnson, sec. Welder's Carnival Co., attr.
 Midway, Ky.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Miles-May Showland, attr.
 Mill Shoals, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 3-12.
 Milwaukee, Wis.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Ferrar Bros.' United Shows, attr.
 Mt. Clemens, Mich.—K. of P. Free Carnival. June 19-24. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.
 Mt. Sterling, Ill.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Baldwin Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
 Mt. Vernon, N. Y.—Outdoor Carnival and Firemen's Convention. June 19-24.
 Muscatine, Ia.—Street Fair and Carnival. Aug. —
 Neligh, Neb.—Street Carnival. Sept. 13-15. W. W. Cole, sec.
 Newark, O.—Street Fair. July 3-9.
 New Castle, Pa.—Free Carnival. June 5-10. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.
 Norfolk, Va.—Street Fair. Auspices Knights of Pythias. June —. Layton Carnival Co., attr.
 Oakland, Cal.—Street Fair. June 5-17.
 Okaloosa, Ia.—Street Carnival. Auspices City Council. June 19-24. Great Parker Am. Co., attr.
 Paris, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion and Summer Carnival. Aug. 14-19. G. B. Stewart Jones, gen. sec.
 Paterson, N. J.—Carnival. June 5-17. W. E. Johnson, 170 Broadway.
 Paxton, Ill.—Free Street Fair. Auspices The Paxton Club, Business Men's League. July 3-8. Lachman-Ketch Shows, attr.
 Peru, Ind.—Street Fair. Auspices Red Men. Aug. 7-12.
 Pine Beach, Ga.—Carnival. June 11-17. Columbia Am. Co., attr.
 Plymouth, Mich.—Street Fair. June 19-24. The Wixom Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
 Pontiac, Mich.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
 Portland, Me.—Merchants and Manufacturers' Exposition and Military Carnival. Auspices Maine National Guard, Patronage of Board of Trade and Business Men. June 22-July 1.
 Portland, Mich.—Street Fair. June 5-10. The Wixom Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.
 Portsmouth, O.—Street Fair. Auspices A. O. U. W. June 5-10. Frank Beaumont, chrm.
 Pottstown, Pa.—Street Fair. June 29-July 5. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
 Prairie du Chien, Wis.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Helms Bros.' National Carnival Co., attr.
 Quincy, Ill.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Ferrar Bros.' United Shows, attr.
 Reading, Pa.—Street Fair. June 10-15. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
 Reynoldsville, Pa.—Street Carnival. July 4-6. R. M. Gibson, sec.
 Rock Falls, Ill.—Merchants' and Business Men's Free Street Fair. June 19-24. Ed. Nuellen, sec.
 Rockford, Ill.—Street Fair. July 10-15. Ferrar Bros.' Carn. Co., attr.
 Rome, N. Y.—Merchants' Exposition and Free Street Fair. June 5-10. Pierce Am. Co., attr.
 Royer's Ford, Pa.—Street Fair. June 22-28. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
 Boyertown, Pa.—Street Fair. June 19-21. Doc's Nickel Carn. Co., attr.
 Rushville, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 2. Baldwin Bros.' Shows, attr.
 Saginaw, Mich.—Street Fair. Aug. 21-26. Capitol Am. Co., attr.
 St. Johns, Mich.—Street Fair. Aug. 14-19.
 St. Joseph, Mo.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices Central Labor Council. June 5-10. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.
 St. Peter, Minn.—County Fair and Street Carnival. Sept. 14-16. E. E. Miller, sec.
 Sheboygan, Wis.—Free Carnival. Aug. 14-20.
 Sheridan, Wyo.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
 Sheffield, Ala.—Street Fair. Dates not set.
 Seymour, Ind.—State Log Rolling, Foresters Encampment and Carnival. Sept. 4-9. L. E. Jennings, sec.
 Shreveport, La.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Whitney's Greater Shows, attr.
 Sterling, Kan.—Street Fair. Auspices Business Men. Sept. —
 Superior, Neb.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Dixie Carn. Co., attr.
 Tarkio, Mo.—Free Fall Frolic. Sept. 5-10.
 Terre Haute, Ind.—Merchants' Gala Week. June 19-24. Felix Blankebaker, sec.

Timn, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Red Men. June 12-17. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.
 Tomah, Wis.—Merchants' Carnival. June 19-24. Helms Bros.' National Carnival Co., attr.
 Treuton, Mo.—Street Fair. July 3-7. Eagle Carnival Co., attr.
 Wabash, Ind.—Eagles' Theatre Street Carnival. July 31-Aug. 4. Fremont McZeas, sec.
 Wafu, Mass.—Street Fair. Auspices Business Men's Assn. Sept. 14-16.
 Warsaw, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 15-20. Baldwin Bros.' Shows, attr.
 Watseka, Ill.—Business Men's Free Street Carnival. June 5-10. Mitchell & Sanger's Mounarch Carn Co., attr.
 Wells, Minn.—Street Fair. June 5-10. Cash Carn. Co. (No. 2), attr.
 Wellington, Kan.—Big Band Carnival. June 12-17. Helms Bros.' National Carnival Co., attr.
 Wichita, Kan.—Carnival. June 12-17. H. C. Lockwood, sec. Gaskill Shows, attr.
 Winchester, Ill.—Merchants' Free Street Fair and Carnival. Aug. 21-26. E. A. Lankford, sec.
 Wilmington, N. C.—Street Fair. Auspices Cherokee Assn. Haymakers No. 912. Dates not set. W. L. West, sec.
 Wilmerding, Pa.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices Fire Co. July 4-8. Thos. H. Holland, sec.
 Windber, Can.—Street Fair. Aug. 7-12. Collins' Am. Co., attr.
 Woodward, Okla.—Red Men's Carnival. Oct. —. W. A. Briggs, sec.

CHAUTAUQUAS.

ALABAMA.

Talladega—July 17-Aug. 1. Wellington J. Vandiver.

ARKANSAS.

Eureka Springs—July 9-Aug. 6. Homer T. Wilson.
 Fort Smith—June 23-July 4. Rev. E. T. Edmonds.
 Springdale—July 24-31. Chas. F. Renner.
 Siloam Springs—July 20-26. Fred Bartala.

CALIFORNIA.

Long Beach—July 11-23. Prof. G. I. Crow, Los Angeles.
 Pacific Grove—July 18. Mrs. E. J. Dawson.

COLORADO.

Boulder—July 4-Aug. 4. F. A. Hoggeas.
 Colorado Springs—Garden of Gods Chautauq. Aug. 10-21. J. E. Robinson.

CONNECTICUT.

Painville—July 18-26. Daniel W. Howell, 411 Windsor ave., Hartford, Conn.

GEORGIA.

Barnesville—Early July. W. B. Smith.
 Dublin—June 19-24. H. M. Stanley.
 Newman—July 17-23. W. L. Sticker.

ILLINOIS.

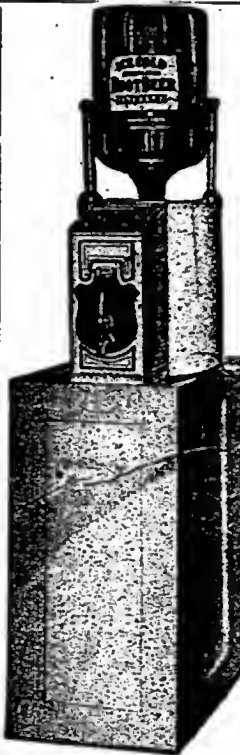
Aurora—Aug. 12-20. O. L. Wilson, 323 Mercantile block.
 Bloomington—July 21-31. R. F. Berry.
 Canton—June 24-July 4. J. H. Sewerby et T. C. Fleming.
 Clinton—Aug. 18-23. E. E. Bentley.
 Danville—Aug. 18-31. Rev. E. H. Carr.
 Decatur—July 8-18. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Delavan—(Indoor) Oct. 5-11. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Dixon—July 30-Aug. 1. Hon. Adam Krape, Lena.
 El Paso—(Indoor) Oct. 19-24. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Galesburg—July 29-Aug. 7. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington.
 Joliet—July 15-24. W. L. Miller, Pontiac, Ill.
 Kankakee—Aug. 21-30. O. W. Menezey, 3003 LaSalle st., Chicago.
 Lincoln—Aug. 16-23. S. E. Gullett, supt.; G. B. Stringer, pres.
 Litchia Springs—July 29-Aug. 15. Rev. Jasper L. Douthitt, Litchia.
 Mechanicsburg—Aug. 19-27. R. S. Bullard.
 Moline—July 18-24. W. V. Richards or E. H. Wilson.
 Mattoon—Aug. 12-22. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Monmouth—Aug. 15-24. Rev. J. S. Tinsley, Little York.
 Oak Park—July 1-10. H. M. Holbrook.
 Ottawa—Aug. 18-27. L. O. Baird.
 Petersburg—Aug. 9-24. Rev. Geo. H. Turner.
 Piasa—July 20-Aug. 19. W. O. Paisley, Lincoln, Ill.
 Pontiac—July 22-Aug. 6. A. C. Folsom.
 Princeton—June 26-July 5. L. S. Smith.
 Paris—Aug. 4-14. W. L. Miller, Pontiac.
 Rockford—Aug. 17-31. A. C. Folsom, Pontiac.
 Shelbyville—July 24-Aug. 7. Dr. J. C. Westervelt.
 Sterling—July 21-31. H. M. Holbrook, Oak Park.
 Sycamore—Aug. 12-22. H. M. Holbrook, Oak Park.
 Urbana—Aug. 18-27. Rev. Richard C. Haney, Moline.

INDIANA.

Brooklyn—July 22-Aug. 10. Rev. E. E. Carpenter, Wabash.
 Culver—Military Academy, Summer Naval School for Boys. June 5-Aug. 30. D. B. Gignallat.
 Elkhart—Aug. 25-Sept. 2. Chas. L. Wagner, Chicago, Ill.
 Jefferson—Aug. 6-15. Prof. O. A. Frosser, New Albany.
 LaPorte—July 23-Aug. 2. Rev. Geo. C. Moore.
 LaPayette—June 12-22. Fred Meyer, Lafayette; J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Madison—Aug. 10-20. J. V. Cravens.
 Remington—Aug. 12-27. Robert Parker.
 Richmond—Aug. 28-Sept. 4. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Rome City—Island Park Chautauq. July 20-Aug. 12. Rev. F. J. Snyder, sec., La Grange; Dr. W. L. Davidson, Supt., Washington, D. C.
 Vincennes—July 25-Aug. 13. E. S. Carr.
 Winona Lake—July 5-Sept. 1. Sol. C. Dickey, 118 Monument Place, Indianapolis.
 Zionsville—Aug. 5-23. J. O. Hurst.

IOWA.

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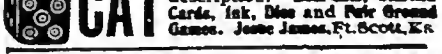
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Aug. 7. F. Gilliam Cromer, 1814 N. Main st., Dayton. Hiawatha Lake—July 24-Aug. 4. Rev. C. J. Rose, Granville, O.

Hagerstown, Md.—June 7-9. Elias B. Hartle. Rice Lake, Wis.—State Firemen's Tournament. June 21-23. Harry L. Bone.

Toronto, Can.—Industrial Exhibition. Aug. 29-Sept. 11. Washington, D. C.—Central American Exposition. Sept. 11.

IOWA.

Burlington—League of Ia. Municipalities Con. Sept. 13. F. G. Pierce, Marshalltown, Ia. Clinton—State German American Editorial Assn. Con. Sept. —. Henry Helms. Des Moines—Catholic Order of Foresters State Con. June 13. J. J. Ott, pres., Du-quesne, Ia. Iowa City—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. Sept. 28. Alfred Wingate, Des Moines, Ia.

MAINE.

Orono—Epworth League State Con. June 29-30. Horace B. Haskell. Waterville—Sons of Veterans' State Encampment. June 7-8.

MISSOURI.

Traverse—G. A. R. State Encampment. June 20-21. Fayette Wyckoff, Lansing, Mich.

MINNESOTA.

Duluth—B. P. O. E. of Minn. State Con. June 8. Duluth—N. W. Coal Dealers' Assn. Con. June 27-29. G. H. Reeves, Lumber Exchange, Minneapolis, Minn. Excelsior—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. June 9-10. C. D. Ferrell, Wayzata, Minn. Minneapolis—1. O. G. T. Gr. Lodge Con. June 15-16. Emma M. James, 1305 Stevens ave.

MONTANA.

Butte—State Baptists' Assn. Con. Sept. 16-19. C. S. Chapman, sec.

NEBRASKA.

Omaha—State Undertakers' Con. June 6-8. H. E. Burkett. Omaha—Union Veterans Union State Encampment. June 16. J. Francis Hopper, 512 Brown Block. Omaha—Inter-State Coal Dealers' Assn. Con. June 22-23. B. Harris, New York Life Bldg.

NEVADA.

Carson City—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June 13. C. N. Noteware. Reno—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 8. A. B. Stoddard, Virginia City, Nev.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Bretton Woods—Insurance Commissioners' Natl. Con. Sept. 26-28. J. J. Brinkerhoff, Springfield, O. Concord—Knights Templar Gr. Commandery Con. Sept. 26. Plymouth—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 27-28. Frank A. Manseau, Manchester, N. H. Portsmouth—Y. P. S. E. State Con. Sept. 27-28. Herbert Kendall, Nashua, N. H.

NEW JERSEY.

Atlantic City—F. O. S. of A. Natl. Camp Con. Sept. 26. F. E. Steca, 524 N. 6th st., Philadelphia, Pa. Anshury—Knights of St. John & Malta Con. Sept. 5. Francis Houghtaling, Gr. Chancellor. Bloomfield—High Court of N. J. I. O. F. Con. Sept. —. F. A. Mackenzie, 215 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J. Burlington—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 4. Newark—Gr. Circle Brotherhood of the Union Con. Sept. 18-19. D. W. Doan, 927 Penn st., Camden, N. J. Vinland—Medical Officers of America Institution for Idiotic & Feeble Minded Assn. Con. A. C. Rogers, Fairbank, Minn. Woodbury—A. O. U. W. State Council Con. Sept. 6. Morris Baner, 280 Townsend st., New Brunswick, N. J.

NEW YORK.

Elmira—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Con. Miss Ella Yeakel, 407 Jackson st., Syracuse, N. Y. Ithaca—State Veterinary Assn. Con. Sept. —. Wm. Henry Kelly, Albany, N. Y. Delhi—Order of the Golden Seal Con. June 19-21. Newbury—Natl. Army & Navy Spanish American War Veterans of N. Y. Con. (3rd Wed.) Sept. John Schumacher, 401 Pulaski st., Brooklyn, N. Y. New York City—American Society Professors of Dancing Con. P. B. Carpenter, jr., 23 N. Main st., Providence, R. I. New York City—New England Water Works' Assn. Con. Sept. —. Willard Kent, 715 Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass. New York City—Furniture Assn. of America Con. July 18-20. George H. Miller, 423 Lexington ave. Rochester—State Optical Society Con. June 20-21. W. W. Blissell. Troy—High Court I. O. F. Con. Sept. 12. C. E. Fitzgerald, 399 Porter ave., Buffalo, N. Y. Watertown—Sons of Veterans Division Encampment. June 14-16. G. E. Snyder, 16 State st., Rochester, N. Y.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Asheville—State Grocers' Retail Assn. Con. June 16-17. A. Nicholes. Asheville—Southern Student Conf. June 17-23. Asheville—American Institute of Electrical Engineers' Con. June 19-23. Ralph W. Pope, 85 Liberty st., New York City.

OHIO.

Bianchester—Y. P. C. U. State Con. June —. Rev. S. G. Ayres, 620 June st., Cincinnati, O. Cedar Point—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June —. A. Delang, Cincinnati, O. Cedar Point—Associated Ohio Dailies Con. June 16-17. John T. Mack, pres., Sandusky, O. Delphos—Catholic Knights of Ohio Con. Sept. 12. Chas. B. Anthony. Wellston—Y. M. I. Inter-State Con. Sept. —. Jacob Miller, Irouton, O. Oregon. Portland—Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo Con. Sept. 9-12. J. H. Baird, Nashville, Tenn. Portland—Kentucky Press Assn. Con. June —. Robert E. Morningstar, Bowling Green, Ky. Portland—Reunion I. O. F. Gr. Lodge of Oregon & Washington. June 9. E. E. Sharon, 1. O. O. F. Temple. Portland—Texas State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 23. J. W. Butler, Clifton, Tex.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Allentown—Dames of Malta Snp. Con. Sept. 18. Hattie F. Randolph, 823 Saratoga st., E. Boston, Mass. Bedford—State Bar Assn. Con. June 27-29. J. B. Colaharp, 405 Bets bldg., Philadelphia, Pa. Bedford Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn.

Con. Sept. 21-23. M. Bush, Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa. DuBois—Loyal Temperance Legion Con. June 27-30. Mrs. Emma M. M. Preston, Kennett Square, Pa. Johnstown—A. G. Knights Mystic Chain U. B. State Con. Sept. 12. W. D. Low, 7235 Bennett at., Pittsburgh, Pa. Johnstown—A. O. K. of M. O. Select Castle Con. Sept. 12. J. J. Davis, box 256, Pittsburgh, Pa. Philadelphia—I. O. O. F. Sovereign Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 16. Frank Grant, Baltimore, Md. Williamsport—G. W. O. of Odd Fellows Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 12-13. J. M. Stafford, 89 Market st., Marietta, Pa.

RHODE ISLAND.

Westerly—R. I. S. of Labor Con. Sept. 18. Walter A. Clarke.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Aberdeen—Royal Arch Masons Grand Chapter Con. June 15. Aberdeen—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 21-23. J. H. Hauser. Grand Forks—Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter Con. June 26-30. Mrs. Florence M. Hoskins, Blismark, N. D.

TENNESSEE.

Memphis—F. & A. M. Grand Lodge Con. June 19-23. W. S. Thompson, 1315 Demouhram st. Nashville, Tenn.

TEXAS.

Calvert—Knights of Honor of the World Gr. Lodge Con. June 26-29. J. H. Foster.

VERMONT.

Richford—Sons of Veterans' State Encampment. June 13-15. F. W. Spear, Bennington, Vt.

WASHINGTON.

Bellingham—Order Eastern Star Gr. Chapter Con. June 15-16. Mrs. Mary E. Cade. Bellingham—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. June 19. W. C. Willcox. Vancouver—Sons of Veterans' Inter-State Encampment. June 20. Col. M. Johnson, Astin, Wash.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Elkins—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 20. Breat Shriver, New Martinsville, W. Va.

Parkersburg—Knights of the Golden Eagle Gr. Castle Con. Sept. 8. L. S. Wigal, Guyandotte, W. Va.

White Sulphur Springs—American Fisheries Society Con. July 25-27. John D. Whist, Albany, N. Y.

WISCONSIN.

LaCrosse—State Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. June 13.

Milwaukee—Natl. Wholesale Grocers' Assn. Con. June 29-29. Wm. J. Janson, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Milwaukee—U. O. of Foresters Supreme Court. July 17. S. W. Dennison, Hathaway bldg.

Oshkosh—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 20-21. E. W. Welshrod.

Rice Lake—State Firemen's Assn. Con. June 27-28. F. H. Henry, Jefferson, Wis.

WYOMING.

Cheyenne—K. of P. Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 2. W. W. Paterson, Gr. Chancellor.

CANADA.

Joliette, Quebec—L. O. F. High Court of Quebec Con. Sept. —. John W. Stocks, box 664 Sherbrooke, Quebec.

London, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion. Aug. 7-18. B. C. McCann.

Montreal—American Society of Municipal Improvements Con. Sept. —. Geo. W. Tilson, Municipal bldg., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Paris, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion. Aug. 14-19.

Toronto, Ont.—American Directory Publishers' Con. Sept. —. W. H. Bates, 89 3rd ave., New York City.

Toronto, Ont.—International Union Journeymen Horsehoers' of the U. S. & Can. Con. Sept. 11. R. A. McKee, gen'l sec.

Toronto, Ont.—Woman's Auxiliary to the International Typographical Union Con. Aug. 1. Mrs. Ed. D. Donnell, 906 W. 8th st., Cincinnati, O.

Toronto, Ont.—International Typographical Union Con. Aug. 14-19. J. W. Bramwood, Newlton Claypool bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

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Denver—Natl. Federation of Musical Clubs' Con. June 7-10. Denver—Natl. Railroad Agents' Assn. Con. July —. N. A. Cottrell, Bismark, Mo. Denver—Ladies of the G. A. R. Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Mrs. Mary T. Huger, pres., St. Louis, Mo. Denver—Women's Relief Corps Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Heien M. Ayers, Concord, N. H. Denver—Train Dispatchers' Assn. of America Con. June 20. J. F. Mackie, 7043 Stewart ave., Chicago, Ill. Denver—National Electric Light Assn. Con. June 6-8. J. C. Andrews, 405 17 st. Denver—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Con. June —. W. E. Lawlor, Trinidad, Col. Denver—Foresters of America Gr. Court Con. June 8-10. Kenneth Henderson, box 181. Denver—Fraternal Order of Eagles Gr. Aerie Con. Aug. 16. A. E. Partridge, Kansas City, Mo. Denver—American Osteopathic State Con. Aug. 15-20. Dr. H. L. Childs, Anhorn, N. Y. Denver—G. A. R. Con. Sept. 4-7. J. E. Gilman, Boston, Mass. Denver—Natl. Wool Growers' Con. June —. Denver—Epworth League Con. July 5-9. E. M. Randall, 87 Washington st., Chicago, Ill. Trinidad—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 8. W. S. O'Brien, 210 Continental bldg., Denver, Col.

CONNECTICUT.

Bridgeport—Sons of St. George Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 9. W. A. Cente, 33 Bishop st., New Haven, Conn.

Bridgeport—Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-18. Miss J. B. Strobbridge, 56 Suburban ave., Stamford, Conn.

Hartford—Natl. Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-19. Miss Emma Barnett, Rich Valley, Ind.

Hartford—Natl. Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-19. Meriden—22nd Annual Con. of the Gr. State Firemen's Assn. June 14-15. J. S. Jones.

Stamford—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 26. H. N. Marvin, 33 Gibbs st., New Haven, Conn.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington—State Medical Society Con. June 11-15. John Palmer, M. D.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa.

Washington—Natl. Elocutionists' Assn. Con. June 26. Robert I. Fulton, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, O.

Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa.

Washington—Sons of Veterans' Inter-State Encampment. June —. F. E. Cross.

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville—Turpentine Operators' Natl. Con. Sept. 13-14. J. A. Hollomon.

Tampa—State Board of Pharmacy Con. June 15. B. Berger, room 14, First Natl. bank bldg.

GEORGIA.

Americus—F. & A. M. W. W. U. Gr. Lodge Con. June 13. Sol. O. Johnson, Savannah, Ga.

Atlanta—Teachers of Colored Youth's Natl. Assn. Con. June 28-30. F. G. Smith.

Atlanta—Knights of Honor Supreme Gr. Lodge Con. June 18. J. R. Sheppard, Edgewood, S. C.

Atlanta—Natl. Assn. of Master Plumbers' Con. June 6-8. Daniel Shannon, 120 Mills st., Boston, Mass.

Fitzgerald—Retail Grocers' Assn. of Georgia Con. July 11-12. John Stratton, 1423 Empire bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

Forest Park—Veterans' Assn. of 30th Georgia Regimental Annual Reunion. July 28. A. P. Adams.

Gainesville—Southern Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 6-8. Frank Nelson, 217 Church st., E. Knoxville, Tenn.

Macon—Annual State Horticultural Society Con. Aug. 1. Chas. T. Smith, Concord, Ga.

Macon—League of Ga. Municipalities Con. Aug. (2nd wk.) Bridges Smith.

Savannah—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 13. F. M. Cohen.

IDAHO.

Coeur D'Alene City—Grand Army Encampment. June 21. J. J. Whittier.

Sandpoint—Lumbermen's Con. June 15-17. J. Aselin.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago—Advertising Novelty Mfrs' Assn. Con. Sept. 5-7. Ben B. Strone, Coahocton, O.

Chicago—American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers Con. July 7-8. Secretary, Box 1818, New York City.

Chicago—Natl. Baptist Con. Sept. 13. W. L. Caselin, Nashville, Tenn.

Chicago—Inter-State Retail Coal Dealers' Assn. Con. June 9-10. F. E. Lukens, 1419 Monarch bldg.

Chicago—State Homopathic Assn. Con. June —. Barton Hazelton, 482 N. Clark st.

Chicago—Reunion Army of the Philippines Natl. Society. Aug. —. T. E. Duncan, Kansas City, Mo.

Chicago—Natl. Arbery Assn. Con. Aug. 15-17. Ed. B. Weston, M. D., pres.

Chicago—American Institute of Homoeopathy. June 26-July 1. Chas. Getchell, M. D., 100 State st.

Chicago—Natl. German American Teachers' Assn. Con. July —. Alexis Mueller, Lockport, N. Y.

Chicago—Inland Daily Press Assn. Con. June 20. Will V. Tuftord, sec and treas., Mason City, Ia.

Chicago—Master Steam Boiler Makers' Assn. Con. June 5-7. N. L. Aldrich, 17 Battery pl., New York City.

Chicago—Natl. Jesuit Alumni. July —. J. B. Denver, Equitable bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

Chicago—American Whist League Congress Con. July 10.

Chicago—Natl. Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Assn. Con. June 7-9. David Stanber, 1601 Anott bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.

Chicago—American Swedish Singers Union Con. July 20-23. Herman Nordberg, 1614 Belmont ave.

Chicago—International Woman's Label League Con. June 6-11. Mrs. M. H. Baltz, 505 E. Market st., Elmira, N. Y.

Chicago—Natl. Telephone Con. June 20-21. J. B. Hoge, Electric bldg., Cleveland, O.

Chicago—Shirt, Waist and Laundry Workers' International Union Con. Aug. 8. John J.

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Manning, box 11, Sta. 1, Troy, N. Y. Chicago—State Woman's Press Assn. Con. June 8. Mrs. Harry Baston Foggy, 7221 Princeton ave. Chicago—Masters' Assn. of U. S. Con. Aug. 1. J. J. Pank, 263 LaSalle st. Chicago—Daughters of Liberty Natl. Council Con. Aug. 15. Mrs. Jennie Knapp, Whiting, Ind. Chicago—Wholesale Saddlery Assn. of the U. S. Con. June 12-16. W. R. Stone, Rochester, N. Y. Chicago—International Hahnemannian Assn. Con. June 22-24. J. B. E. King, 6713 Westworth ave. Chicago—Woman's Prohibition Club of America Gen. Council Con. June 21-22. Miss Emma B. Walker, Decatur, Ill. Chicago—Labor Con. June 27. Eugene V. Deba. Chicago—Amalgamated St. Railway Employees' Con. —. W. D. Labon, 221 Mitchell ave., Detroit, Mich. Chicago—International Glove Workers of America Con. Aug. 1. A. H. Coselman, 43 First ave., Gloversville, N. Y. Chicago—Stereotypers and Electrotypers' Union Con. Aug. 8. George W. Williams, 534 Warren st., Boston, Mass. Chicago—College Editors' Natl. Con. June —. H. M. Pratt, Iowa City, Ia. Joliet—Krieger Societies' Natl. Con. Aug. 26-29. Wm. Grohne. Joliet—Gr. Observatory North Star Benefit Assn. Con. July 18-19. G. L. Peterson, Moline, Ill. Joliet—German Army and Navy Assn. of N. A. Con. Aug. —. Kewanee—Fraternal Tribunes Gr. Lodge Con. June 13. K. M. Whitham, Rock Island, Ill. Mills Shoals—Reunion. Aug. 8-12. Dr. Merick, pres. Peoria—26th Annual Con. of State Retail Liquor Dealers' Assn. September —. M. J. McCarthy, 109 Randolph st., Chicago, Ill. Peoria—Auctioneers' State Con. June 6-7. Col. G. H. Head. Peoria—Music Teachers' Con. June 6-9. Quincy—Y. P. C. U. of U. B. Church State Con. June 6-8. Mrs. Pearl M. Bolton, Alexis, Ill. Quincy—International Mill Workers' Con. June 19. W. E. Kellington, Minneapolis, Minn. Rock Island—Natl. Fraternal Tribunes Con. July 11. Robert Rexdale. Springfield—State Undertakers' Assn. Con. June 13-16. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill. Springfield—Y. P. S. E. State Con. July 7-12. H. H. Marcusson, 1221 Assn. bldg

Louisville—United Confederate Veterans' State Reunion. June 14-16. N. E. Tisdal, Bank, Tex.

Richmond—Rebekah State Assembly. Sept. 27-28. Mrs. Corinne C. Graham, 1600 Sixth ave., Louisville, Ky.

LOUISIANA.

Portland—State Homeopathic Medical Society. June. — Cora Johnson, M. D., Skowhegan, Me.

Shreveport—State Con. of Y. P. S. C. E. June. — Miss Ann M. Watson, Bank, La.

MAINE.

Portland—Knights of Templars' Sup. Con. Oct. 18. Chas. A. Maxwell, 8 Cedar st.

MARYLAND.

Baltimore—State Democratic Editorial Assn. Con. June 9. J. M. Street, Bel Air, Md.

Baltimore—Natl. Amateur Oarsmen Assn. Con. Aug. 11-12. Frank Fitzmeyer, box 740, New York City.

Baltimore—Christian Endeavor Workers' Natl. Conf. July 5-10. W. M. Robinson, 821 W. Carrollton ave.

Baltimore—Y. T. S. E. International Con. July 5-10. VanOgden, Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.

Hagerstown—Maryland Firemen's Con. June 7-9. H. T. Levely, Annapolis, Md.

Hagerstown—State Bar Assn. Con. June 28-30. Secretary, 102 E. Lexington st., Baltimore, Md.

Westminster—P. O. S. of A. State Con. Aug. 8. P. B. Englar, Taneytown, Md.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Allerton—U. O. G. Star State Con. June 8. Joseph S. Paine, 17 School st., Boston.

Boston—A. & I. Order Knights of Malta Grand Commandery Con. June 13. Frank R. Hayden, 100 Boylston st.

Boston—State Electrical Contractors' Assn. Con. July 19. W. H. Morton, 44 Whiteboro st., Utica, N. Y.

Boston—Natl. Assn. Masters of Dancing Con. June 13. Geo. W. Smith, Gray and High sts., Columbus, O.

Boston—Home Circle Sup. Council Con. June 21. Jules M. Swain, 120 Tremont st.

Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. — Theo. H. Cannon, 1277 Stock Exchange, Chicago, Ill.

Boston—Northeastern Federation of Women's Clubs Con. Aug. — Mrs. G. C. Lawkins, Compton pl.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 19. Martin M. Wood, 118 Sixth st., Lynn, Mass.

Boston—Natl. Loomknives' Assn. Con. Sept. 12. John J. Purcell, 191 Davis st., New Bedford, Mass.

Boston—State Dental Society Con. June 7-9. Dr. F. Kistel, Fall River, Mass.

Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters' International Con. Aug. 1. Theo. F. McDonald, 1228 Stock Exchange bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Boston—Photographers' Assn. of America State Con. Aug. 8-11. J. M. Bandtel, Milwaukee, Wis.

Boston—International Steel, Copper and Plate Printers' Con. June 21. T. L. Mahan, 319 S. st., northwest, Washington, D. C.

Worcester—Dames of Malta Sovereign Grand Body Con. June 12. Fred W. Treen, Haverhill, Mass.

MICHIGAN.

Benton Harbor—Order of Patricians Sup. Court Con. July 25. F. H. Platt, Tomlinson bldg., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Detroit—International Assn. of Factory Inspectors' Con. Aug. — A. C. Beckus, Milwaukee, Wis.

Detroit—International League of Press Clubs July 1. Henry Star Richardson, cr. Daily News, Philadelphia, Pa.

Detroit—Dramatic Order of Knights of Kohn, Assn. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. — H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

Detroit—Eastern Star Benevolent Fund of America Con. Aug. 22. Miss M. E. Crowe.

Detroit—Order of the Star of Bethlehem Eminent Gr. Commandery of N. A. Con. June 20. T. J. Crowe.

Detroit—State Dental Assn. Con. June — A. L. LeGros, Three River, Mich.

Detroit—State Gas Assn. Con. Sept. 20. H. W. Douglas, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Detroit—Universal Craftsmen's Council of Engineers' Con. Aug. 14-18. Robt. G. Ingleson, Whitney bldg., Cleveland, O.

Detroit—D. O. K. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. 15-18. H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway st., St. Louis, Mo.

Grand Rapids—Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers' Assn. Con. July 25-27.

Grand Rapids—Master Butchers of America Con. Aug. 1. C. Christoffersen, Omaha, Neb.

Jackson—Rathbone Sisters Gr. Temple Con. Sept. 18. Mrs. Ethel A. Henbrick, Middleville, Mich.

Lake George—American Pediatric Society Con. June 19-21. Samuel S. Adams, M. D., Washington, D. C.

Mackinac Island—Natl. Fraternal Congress Con. Aug. 27. M. W. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.

Mackinaw—Natl. Fraternal Press Assn. Con. Aug. 28. A. E. Stevenson, 415 Stevens bldg., Detroit, Mich.

Saginaw—I. O. O. F. High Court Con. June 18. William H. Spurling, 23 Frank st., Detroit, Mich.

Saginaw—State Retail Hardware Assn. Con. Aug. 9-10. A. J. Scott, Marine City, Mich.

Traverse City—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 20-21. Vina E. Redfield, Jackson, Mich.

Ypsilanti—Allgemeiner Arbeiter Bund Con. June 13-15. George Letter.

MINNESOTA.

Duluth—Fraternal Order of Eagles, State Con. June 15-18. W. E. Brown, 417 W. Superior st.

Duluth—International Assn. of Fire Engineers' Con. Oct. J. S. Phelps.

Duluth—International Fire Chiefs' Assn. Con. Aug. 15-19. W. R. Joyner, pres., Atlanta, Ga.

Kindstrom—Luther League State Con. June 13. Rev. Frank E. Jansen.

Litchfield—Interstate Firemen's Assn. Con. June. — Oct. J. S. Phelps.

Minneapolis—American Institute of Bank Clerks' Con. July 21-22. George E. Allen, New York City.

Minneapolis—W. C. T. U. State Con. Sept. 18. Eda F. Hendrix.

Minneapolis—State Dental Assn. Con. June. — Dr. J. F. McGree.

Minneapolis—American Local Freight Agents' Assn. Con. June 23-27. G. W. Deans, Toledo, O.

Minneapolis—American Grain Buyers' Assn. Con. July 11. Ed. Barrett, Atwater, Minn.

Minneapolis—Natl. Spiritualists' Assn. Con. Oct. 18-22. Mrs. M. T. Loagley, 698 Pa. ave., S. E. Washington, D. C.

Minneapolis—American Opticians' Assn. Con. July 27-29. E. L. Jones, Sandusky, O.

Minneapolis—Universalists Gen. Con. Oct. 20-25. Rev. G. E. Demaree, Manchester, N. H.

New Ulm—Catholic Order of Foresters' High Court Con. June. — F. H. Martin, Duluth, Minn.

Red Wing—Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran Synod of America Con. June 1-19. Prof. A. J. Lore, Jewell, Ia.

St. Paul—I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment. June 13. A. L. Bolton.

St. Paul—Natl. Guard Inter-State Con. June 15. Charles Dick, pres., Washington, D. C.

St. Paul—Rebekah State Assembly. June 16. Eunice Welville, 2513 Tremont ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

Winona—State Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 15. David Colville, The Oleo, St. Paul, Minn.

MISSISSIPPI.

Meridian—A. O. U. W. International Con. Aug. 10. Joe Ehrlich, —any, Ga.

Meriden—Ephworth League State Con. June 5-8. W. D. Hawker.

Vicksburg—Knights of Canaan Sup. Lodge Con. June 20-24.

MISSOURI.

Grand City—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 15-18. F. P. Houser.

Kansas City—Natl. Firemen's Con. Aug. 29-31. Peter B. McCarthy, St. Louis, Mo.

Kansas City—Millers' Natl. Federation Con. June 7-10. L. T. Jammur, 612 Royal bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Kansas City—United Amateur Press Assn. Con. July 7-9. Frank E. Murphy, Brantford, Ont.

Marshall—State Sunday School Assn. Christian Church Con. June 16-21. W. A. Moore, Mexico, Mo.

Mexico—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Council Con. June 9-10. A. J. Fitzpatrick, Chicago, Ill.

Pertle Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 13-16. Dr. H. M. Whelpley, 2342 Albion Place, St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis—Fraternal Bankers' Assn. Con. June 20. Chas. F. Hatfield, Chemical bldg.

St. Louis—International Brick, Tile and Terra Cotta Workers' Union Con. Sept. 11. Geo. Hodge, 56 Fifth ave., Chicago, Ill.

MONTANA.

Anaconda—B. P. O. E. State Con. June. — Harry O'Gorman.

Butte—I. O. O. F. Gr. Lodge 37th Con. Aug. 23. J. A. Longstaff, Helena, Mont.

Deer Lodge—State Federation of Women's Clubs' Con. June 6-8. Mrs. H. B. Mitchell, pres., Lincoln, Neb.

Kalispell—State Federation of Labor Con. Aug. 21. H. O. Smith, Helena, Mont.

Missoula—Ephworth League State Con. June 15-18. Asa F. Sutton, Cascade, Mont.

NEBRASKA.

Cambridge—Annual Southwest G. A. R. Reunion. Aug. 25-31. Chas. Mensel.

Omaha—State Retail Liquor Dealers' Assn. Con. June 6. Henry Keating, Krug Theatre Bldg.

Superior—State Sunday School Assn. Con. June 13. Miss M. B. Adams, 129 N. 9th st., Lincoln, Neb.

York—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 6-8. Oscar Beman, Grand Island, Neb.

NEVADA.

Carson City—I. O. O. F. Gr. Lodge. June 20. W. H. Gifford.

Carson City—Rebekah State Assembly. June 20. Mrs. Anna M. Warren, Reno, Nev.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Dover—Catholic Order of Foresters' High Court Con. June. — A. L. Pelesiore, Concord, N. H.

NEW JERSEY.

Asbury Park—Sons of Temperance Natl. Division Con. July 12-13. Rose Black, 113 East st., Trenton, N. J.

Asbury Park—Natl. Educational Assn. Con. July 3-7. Irwin Shepard, Winoona, Minn.

Atlantic City—Genl. Federation Council of Women's Clubs Con. June 7-8. Mrs. Chas. B. Yardley, 332 William st., E. Orange, N. J.

Audubon City—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 13-15. W. F. Bidway, M. D.

Atlantic City—Fraternal Mystic Circle Sup. Ruling Con. July 11. J. D. Myers, Title bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

Atlantic City—U. S. Brewers' Assn. Con. June 6-8. Chas. J. Warner, 109 E. 15th st., New York City.

Audubon City—Independent Order of Foresters' Sup. Court Con. Aug. 1. John A. McGilivray, Temple bldg., Toronto, Ont., Can.

Atlantic City—Legion of the Bed Cross Supreme Council Con. June 12-17. Jno. B. Trebbler, 1417 Hollis st., Baltimore, Md.

Atlantic City—National Steam Fitters' Assn. Con. June 12-15. H. B. Gomers, N. Y. C.

Atlantic City—P. O. S. of A. Natl. Camp Con. Sept. 26-27. F. E. Stees, 624 N. 9th st., Philadelphia, Pa.

Atlantic City—Natl. Photo-Engravers' Assn. Con. June. — E. A. LeGros, 247 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.

Atlantic City—American Laryngological Assn. Con. July. — Dr. James Newcomb, New York City.

Bloomfield—I. O. O. F. High Court Con. Sept. — F. A. Mackenzie, 215 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J.

Milville—Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain of N. J. Aug. 22. Thomas Hans, 110 W. Foundry st.

Newark—International Jewelry Workers' Con. July 10. Wm. F. Shade, 3033 N. 8th st., Philadelphia, Pa.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Concord—State Historical Assn. Con. June 14. A. S. Wait, New Port, N. H.

Portsmouth—A. & I. Order Knights of Malter Grand Commandery Con. June 15. Thomas D. Sale, 45 Exchange st., Portland, Me.

NEW YORK.

Albany—State Independent Telephone Assn. Con. June 21-22. W. E. Base.

Albany—Catholic Young Men's Natl. Union Con. Aug. — Jas. H. Fitzgerald, Mechanics Valley, Pa.

Alexandria Bay—American Seed Trade Assn. Con. June 20-22. C. E. Kendall, 115 Ontario st., Cleveland, O.

Auburn—Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers' State Con. Aug. 7. Jno. A. Goodwin, 16 N. Lexington ave., White Plains, N. Y.

Binghamton—A. & O. Order Knights of Malter Grand Commandery Con. June 13. A. K. Christie, Auburn, N. Y.

Binghamton—Degree of Pocahontas State Council Con. June 13. Mrs. Mary E. Eschler, Gr. K. of E., 22 E. 13th st., N. Y. C.

Buffalo—Foresters of America Sup. Con. Aug. 22-26. E. M. McMurtrey, 367 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Buffalo—Natl. Dental Assn. Con. Aug. 1. Dr. E. F. Beck, 62 State st., Chicago, Ill.

Buffalo—Am. Chemical Society Con. June 22-24. W. A. Noyes, Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.

Buffalo—The Gideons U. O. E. Natl. Annual Con. July 28-30. John H. Nicholson, Jaxeville, Wis.

Buffalo—Natl. Park Supts. Assn. Con. June 26-30. J. E. Colwell.

Buffalo—Natl. Brotherhood of Operative Fitters' Con. July. — Edward Menge, East Liverpool, O.

Buffalo—B. P. O. E. Natl. Con. July 11-18. P. C. Robinson, Dubuque, Ia.

Buffalo—Traveling Freight Agents' Assn. Con. June 14-16. E. E. Delaney, 147 Dearborn st. Buffalo—Brotherhood of Railroad Master Mechanics' Assn. Con. June 14-16. Joseph W. Taylor, 667 The Rookery, Chicago, Ill.

Coorning—Central N. Y. Firemen's Con. July 23-27. Frank M. Shoemaker.

Ithaca—I. O. E. M. Gr. Council Con. Aug. 8-10. E. J. Boyd, 375 Bleeker st., N. Y. C.

Lake George—American Pediatric Society Con. June 19-21. Samuel S. Adams, 1 Depot Circle, Washington, D. C.

Lockport—L. O. G. J. Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 22-24. Chas. T. Telford, Delhi, N. Y.

Manhattan Beach—L. I. Master Car Builders' Assn. Con. June 19-21. Joseph W. Taylor, 667 The Rookery, Chicago, Ill.

Manhattan Beach—American Railway Master Mechanics' Assn. Con. June 14.

Mt. Vernon—Firemen's Con. June 17-22.

Mt. Vernon—Beta Phi Fraternity of the United States Con. June. — George Upson, Newark, Ohio.

New York City—Eastern Assn. of Car Service Officers' Con. June 8.

New York City—Amalgamated Leather Workers' Union of American Con. July 4. John Roach, 52 Forest Bldg., S. 4th st., Philadelphia, Pa.

New York City—Assn. of American Railway Accounting Officers' Con. June 28.

Newark—Stationary Engineers' Assn. Con. June 9.

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New York City—Protestant Churches of America Gen. Con. Nov. — Rev. W. H. Robertson.

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New York City—Music Publishers' Assn. of U. S. Con. June 13. Charles B. Bagly, 937 Pa. ave., Washington, D. C.

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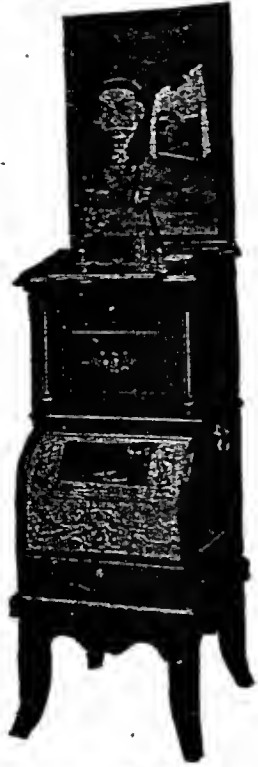


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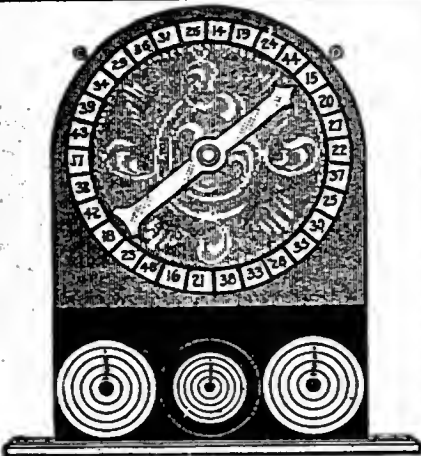
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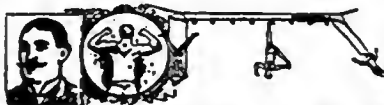
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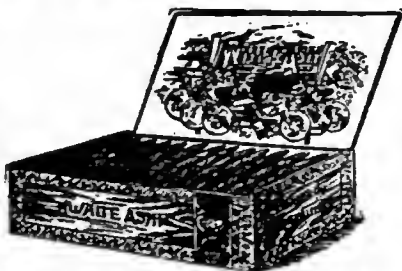
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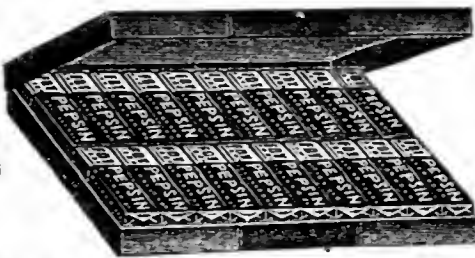
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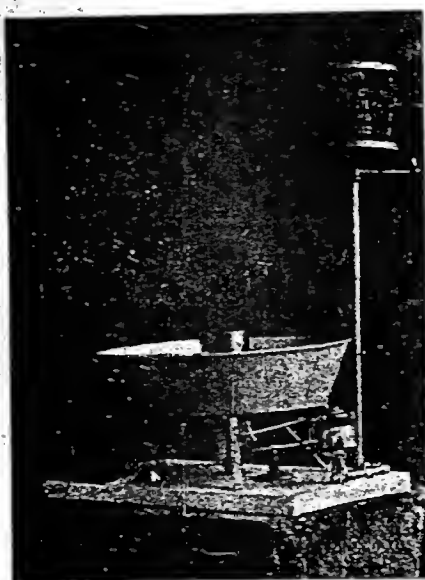
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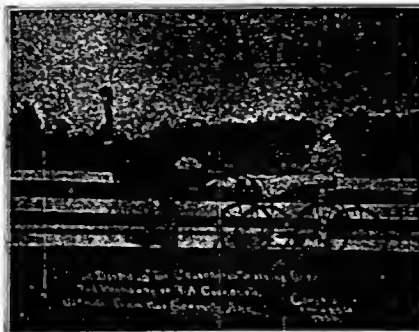
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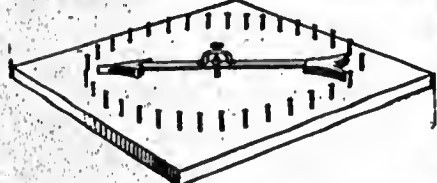


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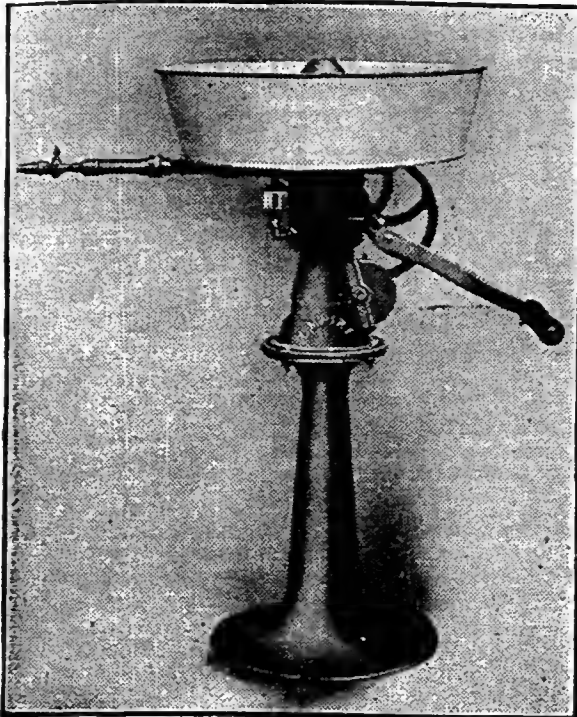
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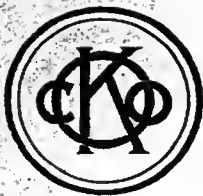
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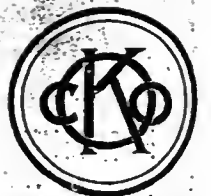
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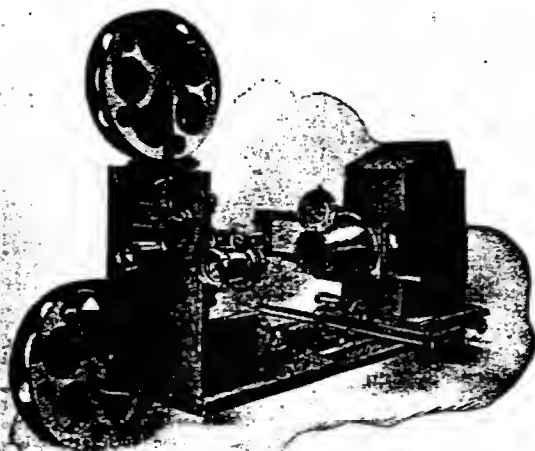
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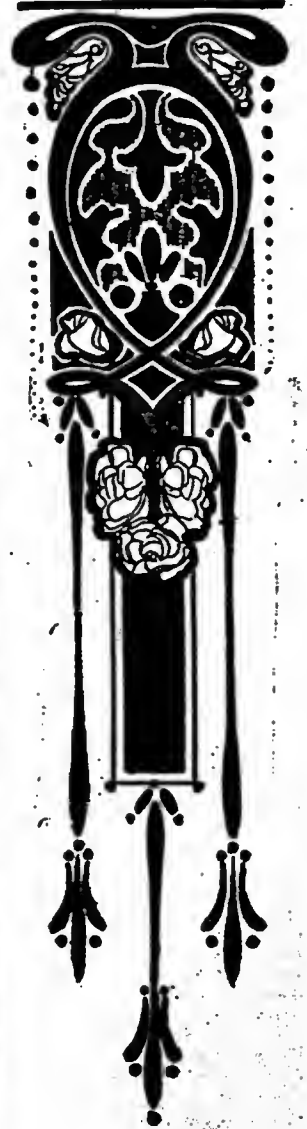
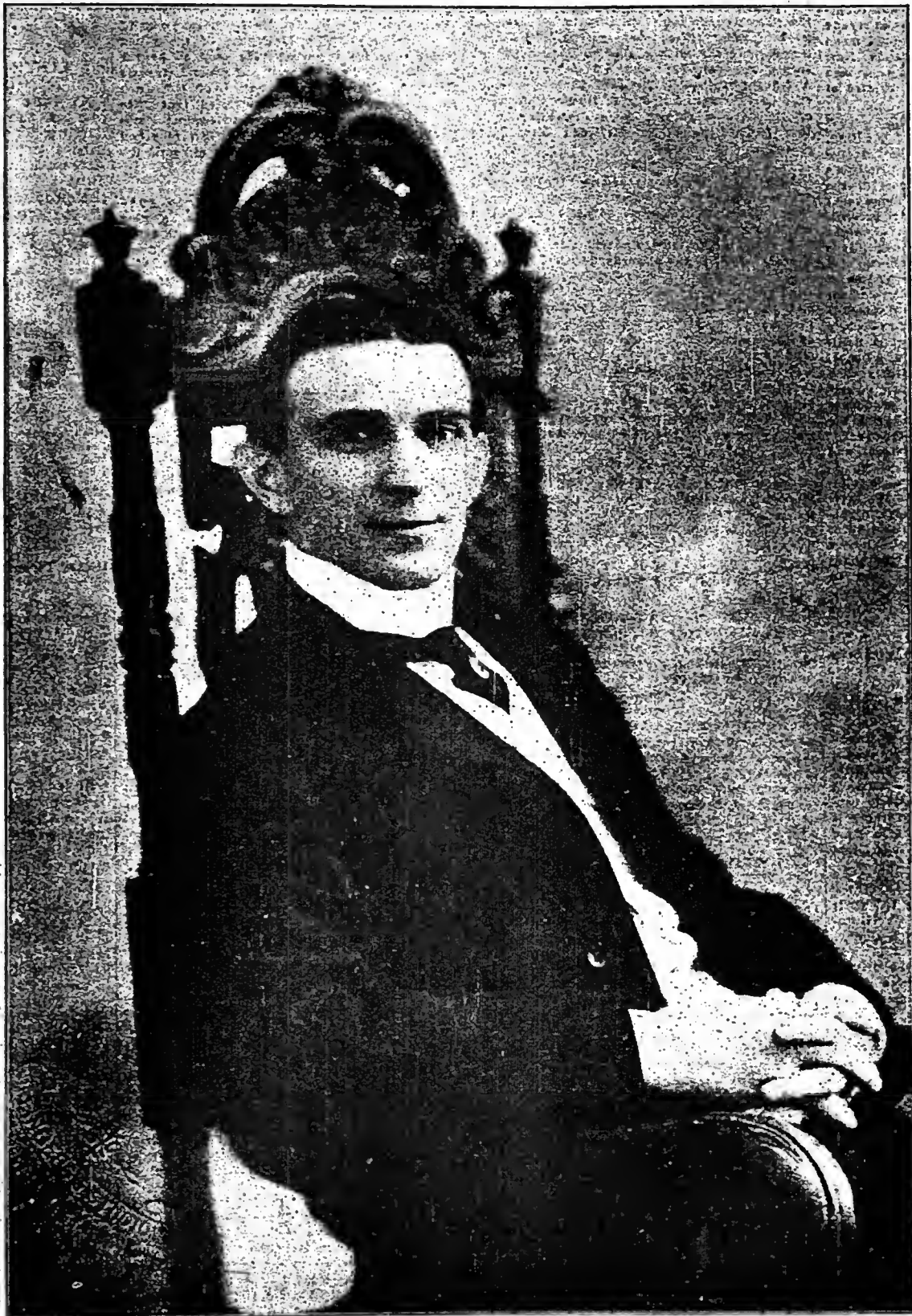
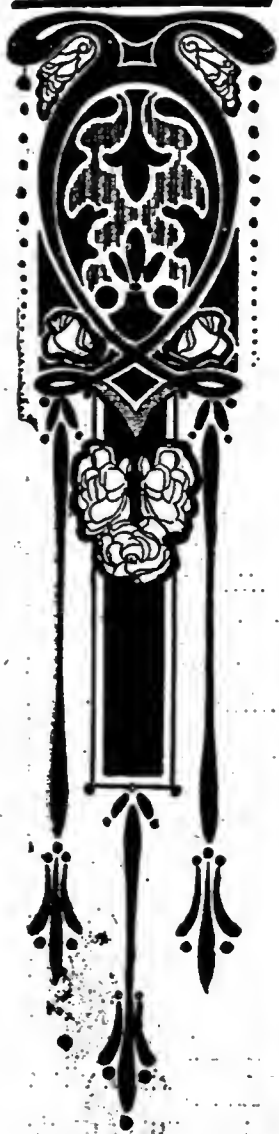
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Early Summer Developments In News —Views and Items Of General Theatrical Interest

NEW YORK'S theatrical season closed on Saturday last, with the first days of June. One of our newspaper statisticians, in referring to our sixty-five normally active theatres, sought out Julius Cahn for an official opinion as to the attendance at our theatres during the past season. When Mr. Cahn was asked if he thought 5,000 people per week was too high an average attendance for these sixty-five theatres, he said most decidedly not; that at least 7,000 per week would come nearer giving an idea of what the average attendance has been in New York during the last season. This would mean that 453,000 people went to the theatre in New York city every week, and counting the season at the shortest as thirty-six weeks, from September to May, it would mean that 16,380,000 visited the theatres in New York city in one year, or every man, woman and child in New York went to the theatre at least four times.

When theatre doors begin to close, the roofs begin to open, and thus it is that the Aerial Gardens, the Lion Palace, Hammerstein's Paradise, and on Monday night, June 12, the Wisteria, will add a diversity of amusement to the indoor theatricals, which, at present, bids fair to weather the summer. Straight variety is the Hammerstein way of doing things on the roofs of the Victoria and Belasco Theatres, vaudeville will be supplied by Wilson & Boom at the Lion Palace, and the entertainment at the Aerial Gardens, over the New Amsterdam Theatre, comprises a musical tom-foolery called Lifting The Lid, with a Gilbert & Sullivan review of the aftermath of the nonsensical John J. McNally-Wm. Jerome-Jean-Schwartz clever conceit. When the Aerial Gardens opened Monday evening, June 5, weather conditions were ideal, and a large audience escaped the heat of the "first hot evening of the year," found comfort and agreeable entertainment and were satisfied.

In Lifting The Lid, Eddie Leonard, a minstrel comedian whose chief glory has heretofore been achieved in the conquest of "night-stand" audiences, finally comes into his own. Some of New York's daily newspaper reviewers credit him with making the hit of the piece and all of them have kind words to say in recognition of his cleverness. Leonard's well-wishers will agree that Lifting The Lid has achieved much in giving this sincere and "always trying" young man a chance to exhibit his cleverness in the town where it is generally supposed to do one the most good. Corinne, too, has been rejuvenated, and is credited with much and plenty honors in the review.

Mr. Witmark & Sons' leasing department has become one of the most important features of that institution. This is especially true of the operas included in the Witmark Music Library, all of which are exclusively controlled by this thriving house. One of these is The Little Duchess, which the Witmarks have leased to the Aborns, the original Anna Held production of the opera.

The New York Trust Co. has taken a mortgage for \$150,000 on the New York Hippodrome. Elmer S. Dundy, of Thompson & Dundy, the managing directors, said that this was merely the final step in financing the Hippodrome construction scheme. If audiences which pack this vast auditorium at every one of the twelve weekly performances can avail this "plaster" will seem insignificant within a very few months. That the "Hip" has put a serious crimp in the box-office takings of our theatres since it has been opened, no one will deny. That it will continue so to do seems probable.

H. W. Link, general agent of A. L. W. Martin's Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. was welcomed to The Billboard office Tuesday afternoon. He is in town arranging the final details of the Stair & Havlin Circuit for "the big city show" and soon returns to Chicago where he will make his headquarters, as usual, this summer. The Martin show takes to the road at Peru, Ind., Aug. 17, better equipped than ever to present the sterling old drama to the waiting multitudes. A. L. W. Martin is summing up with the Wallace Show, making money and taking it easy.

While James F. Metcalf, the fighting critic, was debarred from the Knickerbocker

theatre the other night, Coco, a trained ape, was admitted. Mr. Metcalf came out in the open and demanded what he feels to be his right of admission on paid tickets, but Coco was amuddled in under the overcoat of his keeper and was enjoying the show before the house management was aware of his presence. When the monkey attracted more attention than the performance upon the stage, they put him out. Mr. Metcalf, by the way, has obtained a ruling in Justice Court which sustains his claim to right of admission to any theatre for which he buys and pays for a ticket, but the association of New York Theatre Managers will carry the case higher up.

Keith's Theatre opens the season with all the attaches in cool, gray uniforms; all the ventilating and refrigerating appliances which have given it the reputation of being the most comfortable theatre in Gotham, in good working order; and seasonable bills selected especially with a view to making patrons forget the weather and all other troubles. A feature of the bill for June 12 is the vaudeville engagement of Henry V. Donnelly, formerly of Donnelly & Girard, in a dramatization of Roy McCardell's clever Mr. and Mrs. Nagz sketches.

While I was watching Colby and Way's clever specialty at Proctor's Twenty-third street the other evening I recalled a story Charles Colby once related to me. He had stepped from a train while it halted for a short stop at a station in North Dakota, in a section of our glorious country where the wind has never yet been known to stop blowing, and as the wind blew his breath down his throat and nearly carried him over the roof of the station, he accosted one of the natives who was enjoying the daily excitement of watching the trains go through town, and said to him: "Tell me, stranger, does the wind blow this way, all the time?" And the native answered: "No, it may be blowing the other way, to-morrow." And Colby blew out with the train.

One of the New York papers asserts that "the question is, did some one punch Van Bessalear Wheeler's jaw," but from the density of the silence I am constrained to ask "Did some one Van Bessalear Punch Wheeler's jaw?" Norris & Rowe please write.

J. Bernard Dyllin, who has brought honor to the Condon family, of Brooklyn, through the long years of success upon the stage, is preparing for a tour of the Orpheum Circuit. His recent retirement from the Little Johnny Jones Co. was a voluntary act on his part, and a result of a difference of opinion between he and Manager Sam Harris as to how much money a man should receive for playing a summer engagement in Chicago. No one who witnessed Dillon's artistic interpretation of the thankless role of the Chinaman in Johnny Jones will doubt that he is worth all he asked, for his work was as clear cut as a cameo and he made his role an integral part of the piece.

Manager F. Proctor, at his Twenty-third Street Theatre, last week, presented one of the best vaudeville bills New York has been favored with in many months, and the packed houses on hand at every performance spoke volumes of appreciation on the part of our observant theatregoers. The attendance proved that when a bill containing such artistic people as the Great Lafayette, the Four Mortons, Violet Dale, Ward and Curran, Colby and Way, May Robson, and Howard and North is advertised as on view, New Yorkers immediately realize that it is a show worth attending. One of the most pronounced successes in the bill was scored by Howard and North, two young men possessed of bright ideas and the wit to carry them out. They offer a decided novelty in talking acts; their humor is wholesome and original, and they blend pathos so deftly that one finds oneself witnessing a little drama, full of human interest, without realizing, until they are drawn into it, that anything out of the usual is going to happen. They scored a well merited hit.

Colby and Way have nothing more than the original basis of their clever act in present evidence. Colby keeps the old school of ventriloquism strictly up to date, and he makes his little blockheads produce more food for laughter than half a dozen other acts, of the average class can show. Miss Way easily

holds the championship among dancing dolls and the allied efforts of these two real artists is an act of surpassing merit. The Four Mortons lived up to every expectation their abilities have established. May Robson gave a striking character drawing in a little sketch she calls Coming; and Ward and Curran renewed old acquaintances and added scores of new partisans to their campaign of song and humor.

To the Great Lafayette fell the honors of the evening. This clever artist seems to be the one man among the score of necromancers who can, single handed, entertain an audience so well that demands for encores exceed his allotment of time upon the stage. For more than half an hour, the other evening, Lafayette kept a packed house thoroughly interested, completely mystified and anxious for more. The diversity of his offering is one of the chief wonderments to an observer, for he runs a wide gamut in sleight of hand and illusion, and when he reaches his impersonations his vein of comedy is refreshing to behold and enjoyable to an extreme degree.

Seated around me were a cluster of wonderfully informed men and women. One man knew that Miss Way was Charley Colby's daughter, another told the exact ages of all of the Four Mortons, and another knew the age of Frank Ward. When Lafayette announced his impersonation of Maurice Levy, composer of The Reuben and The Maid, one of the young ladies near me remarked "He used to be the leader at Field's Theatre," and when Lafayette followed with an impersonation of Offenbach the same young woman vouchsafed that "He was the composer who refused to conduct Marie Cahill's songs." And thus did Lafayette attest his ability to provide fun on both sides of the footlights.

Violet Dale won an immediate success with her clever impersonations, singing three songs in imitation of as many local favorites and concluding with a very trying and extremely well executed impersonation of Mrs. Carter in Du Barry. The hills of California, whence she came, may well be proud of this one.

Here is a bit of history which will make interesting reading for those of our readers who are striving to achieve fame from small beginnings, and if some struggler can be thereby encouraged the story will be well worth the reading. Two young traveling salesmen for New York dry goods houses met, a few years ago, in a small hotel in a little western city. "Bum town," said one of them frowning at the empty street seen from the hotel window.

"Bad business," grumbled the other. "Let's go to a show." "Not a theatre open in town." The first man stood with his hands thrust deep into his pockets. "Can you play?" he asked. "I never gamble," replied the other austere. "No, no. I mean a piano. There's a pretty fair one in the parlor.

Nothing cements friendship so quickly as a liking for music. Before the evening closed these two drummers were fast friends. Furthermore, they had written a song, the story of a city waif. They gave it the title The Little Lost Child.

The song, written because the traveling salesmen were lonely and there wasn't a theatre open in town, was published and it caught the popular fancy. Orders came surprisingly fast and the young men were embarrassed by the quantity of their mail.

"Let's rent an office," said one of them. "An office for one song?" "We'll make stereopticon views to fit the ballad, and hire them out to slingers." And the office was rented.

One of the young drummers was Joseph W. Stern, the other Edward B. Marks. The song and the one-room office, at 45 East Twentieth street, New York, were the evolution of the firm of Joseph W. Stern & Co., music publishers.

Into the little office they admitted George Rosey, the march writer. Mr. Rosey rewarded their hospitality by writing The Honeymoon March, a copy of which they sent to every bride in the United States. This cheap and novel method of advertising made the infant firm known to many thousands of families and their friends.

Good fortune followed when it gave them opportunity to publish She Was Bred in Old Kentucky, and Monroe Rosenfeld's songs Take Back Your Gold, and I Don't Care If You Never Come Back.

By this time the firm needed larger quarters and moved to 34 East Twenty-first street. It had come to be known as "The House of Hits."

Twelve years from the time the young drummers wrote a ballad to amuse each other one evening in a western hotel, they are erecting one of the largest buildings for the accommodation of a music house in this country. Late this summer they will remove their business to this five-story building on Thirty-eighth street, west of Broadway.

LILLIAN LeROY



The story itself is copied from an indefinite source, but the moral is broad enough to make me regret that credit cannot be given.

WALTER K. HILL.

LIFTING THE LID OPENS

Corinne and Eddie Leonard shone out as the bright particular stars in Lifting The Lid, which was given its initial production on the roof of the Amsterdam Theatre, New York City, June 5. The following cast assisted in the production.

CHARACTERS IN ACT I.

Mathilde Macartini, a dressmaker.....Corinne Bessie Otis Adams, a country girl studying for the stage.....Virginia Earl Grace Gaston, a telephone girl.....Sue Stuart Hilda Hilton, a telephone girl.....Lillian Hndson Marie Wilton, a Boston girl.....Diamond Donner I. Just Dothem, a lobbyist.....Louis Harrison George Stonefellow.....Frank Greene Willie Steele, a southern gambler, known as "Texas Dan".....Eddie Leonard William T. G. Rome.....Julius Tannen Commissioner Muchadoo.....Frank Todd Commissioner McClarin.....Edwin Wilson Commissioner McClintock.....Henry Cootie Honest John.....Allan Ramsey Henry Willie.....Seymour Brown Silas, member of assembly.....Henry Cootie Peleg, member of assembly.....H. Schroeder Walter.....James Grant Newsboy.....William Torpey Detectives.....Messrs Palea, Grant, Bac, Brown Roundsmen.....Allan Ramsey

CHARACTERS IN ACT II.

Police Officer.....Henry Cootie Mr. McGinty.....Henry Schroeder Timmy McGinty.....Master Mike Murphy Mickey Flynn.....Master Pincus Leokoy Hammerstein.....Louis Harrison Employee at Field's Theatre.....Edwin Wilson Common People.....James Grant Theatre Trust.....Master Abraham Tom Lawson.....Henry Cootie Trusts.....By the male chorus The Press.....Allan Ramsey

Lifting The Lid is a very pleasing little travesty on the great game of American politics. There are more girls than men in the cast, but so much the better. Mr. John J. McNally is the author, and William Jerome and Jean Schwartz are responsible for the music, which is catchy and well adapted to the light summer entertainment. Virginia Earle and Louis Harrison played prominent parts acceptably well.

RURAL COMEDY FOR NEW YORK

Quite an enthusiastic little audience assembled June 5 at the Grand Opera House, New York, to witness the premiere of Down Our Way, a rural comedy in four acts by Evellyn Saxton. Following is the cast:

Cyrus Jones.....George Parton John David Jones.....Alfred G. Swenson Howard, Miller.....Herbert E. Denton Zeb Stiles.....Richard Thompson Hank Brown.....Calvin Tibbitts Davis.....Dean Borup Vane.....George McCabe Spencer.....Harry Janet Gordon.....Dan Jermon Jack Flint.....Chas. Moss. Mr. Barrows.....J. E. Delaney T. Mark.....I. Mould Policeman.....F. D. Edwards Newsboy.....I. Merton Mrs. Jones.....Stella Congdon Chapman Betsy Brown.....Desie Ryan Mattie.....Alice Walker Dossy.....Eleanor Kent

The story concerns the life of a farmer's lad, John David Jones, who goes off to Harvard and succumbs to the turbulent gayety of Boston and Cambridge society and comes to grief and shame. He is ultimately saved by his rural sweetheart and a young man to whom his father had given two dollars in a fit of unwonted generosity.

Pat-Chats

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87 S. Clark St.

Prospectus and Purposes Of The Advertising Show To Be Held In The Chicago Coliseum In October

THE TREND of modern commercial activity has brought the trade show to the front as an important factor in modern commercial life. Everybody who wants to buy an automobile goes to an automobile show, and the business transacted at these exhibitions every year is phenomenal, amounting to many hundreds of thousands of dollars. Furniture exchanges in New York and Chicago draw the entire furniture-buying world to their exhibitions where orders are placed for a large proportion of the year's furniture business.

The latest effort in this line is the Advertising Show, which is to be held in the Coliseum, Chicago, October 11 to 18, inclusive, 1905. The conception of this show is a brilliant idea, and promises to be a matter of very great importance to the advertising world. The Coliseum has, perhaps, the largest exhibition floor of any permanent exhibition in the world, and lends itself peculiarly well to an exposition of this kind. Everybody in the advertising business is interested in the project, and to get a clear conception of what is being attempted, I had the pleasure of calling upon and enjoying a chat with the managers, Messrs. Geo. F. Parker and J. L. Bieder, who have offices at 55 Lake street.

Mr. Parker has had over twenty years' experience in various enterprises of this kind, and has mapped out plans for several of the most successful expositions of a similar nature. He is widely and favorably known, and his connection with this enterprise is a guarantee that the exposition will be a successful one. His genius has been demonstrated at all of the larger expositions, such as the World's Fair at Chicago and St. Louis and the expositions at Atlanta, San Francisco, Omaha and Buffalo.

Mr. Bieder is the president of the J. L. Bieder Co., of Chicago, one of the most successful concerns in the country manufacturing advertising novelties. He is in a position to appreciate the needs of those who have advertising to sell, and the association of these two men make a peculiarly strong combination. I asked Mr. Bieder:

"Do you think there is a need among advertisers for an exposition of this kind?"

"Advertising is unquestionably the most important part of modern commercial activity. More money is spent in advertising than in any other one method of securing business, and a large part of this expenditure is wasted by advertisers employing wrong methods or mediums. No one recognizes this more clearly than advertisers. We have received letters from some of the largest advertisers in the country commending us for this enterprise, stating that they expected to reap much benefit from being

"It will last seven days, commencing on Wednesday, October 11, and running until the night of Thursday, October 18."

"Do you expect a large attendance?"
"We expect at least 200,000 people will visit the exposition. The admission fee is fifty cents, but each exhibitor will be given as many tickets of admission as they care to distribute. Most of the exhibitors will issue invitations to their customers and prospective customers, enclosing tickets of admission. This will put tickets in the hands of nearly every advertiser in the middle west."

"It is not your object then to make a profit on the admissions?"

"No. The object is to get everybody who is interested in advertising to the show, and we do not expect any visitors except those who are directly interested in advertising."

"Will the exhibitors derive any benefit other than the privilege of displaying their lines?"

"Yes. We expect an immense amount of business will be transacted. We believe there will be more orders placed for advertising during the seven days of this show than was ever placed in the same length of time."

"Upon what do you base this claim?"
"Upon the fact that advertisers will come to

such subjects as are of vital importance to advertisers. The lectures will be of an educational nature, and are intended to enable advertisers to correctly judge of the various methods of advertising. We expect this will be one of the most important features of the show. In addition to this there will be promenade band concerts at every session, and several other features which will make this show one of the most important events in the advertising world that has ever occurred. There will be many surprises in store for even the oldest advertising man, and there will be exhibited many new processes in the field of advertising that have never been shown before.

"We have received letters from advertisers from nearly every large city from Boston to Denver signifying their intention of visiting the show, and it will certainly be an occasion which will mark an epoch in the field of advertising."

From the interest that I have seen among advertising men, I am convinced that the First Advertising Show will be a wonderful success. Advertisers seem to be universally of the opinion that the time is opportune for the affair, and this speaks much for the success of the undertaking.

Since the live young manager, Wm. B. Friedlander, has been in charge of Will Rossiter's professional headquarters, things have taken on a very rosy hue. To the casual observer this house is certainly doing business, and will pass under the wire this fall with five or six favorites. The slogan of the house is "Sing Will Rossiter's Sunny Songs," and from the way they are falling in line it is certainly a most happy thought. "Take me to St. Joe, Joe," and "May, May, May." It is

J. L. BIEDER



Theatre, Seattle, Wash., has been changed to the Star Theatre, Portland, Ore., and will hereafter have the management of that theatre.

W. C. Powell, composer of Gondolier and The Troubadour severed his connections with The Jerome H. Remick Company this month, and will incorporate in New York, on June 10, a company to be known as the Polla-Powell Publishing Co. Mr. Polla will devote his undivided attention to the promotion of his new patrol, The Grenadier.

W. L. Dana, senior member of the firm of Pillsbury-Dana & Co., Minneapolis, has been in Chicago the past three weeks in the interests of the firm. McDonald & Gumble have placed with Mr. Dana their march song, Eleanor, also a smart song entitled Cindarella. Flo Adler will feature the former number during the summer.

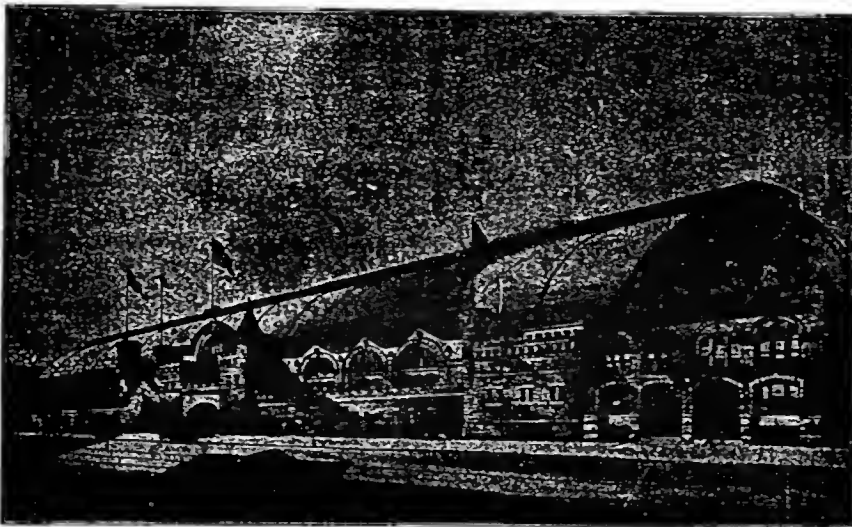
In The Shade of The Old Apple Tree, Williams & Van Alstyne's new ballad, has taken Chicago by storm, all the sales thereon have been phenomenal considering the length of time the song has been before the public. My Hindoo Man, by the same authors, is also gaining much prestige in the local department stores. My Irish Molly O, Jerome & Swartz' new Irish ditty, is also in big demand locally, as are several of the feature numbers in their musical comedy, Mix, Puff, Poof, which has been playing at the Garrick.

Charles G. Kilpatrick, who is at present appearing at Fairmount Park, Kansas City, with his wonderful automobile act, will play the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., for one week starting Monday, June 19, while en route to the Lewis and Clarke Exposition, Portland, Ore., where he is engaged as a feature. Mr. Kilpatrick will put on his combination bicycle and shooting act at the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., for the Affiliated Western Vandeville Circuit. Chris. O. Brown, Chicago representative of the circuit, announces the following acts to open Monday, June 12. At the Star Theatre, Seattle, Jennie Catef and Andy Waldron, comedy sketch; at the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., Joseph M. Golden, original story teller; Robert and Demont, novelty hand to hand, and head to head balancers; and Stephen Fitzpatrick & Co., in their comedy sketch, Two Matrimonial Ventures.

Despite the warm weather throughout the west, the past two weeks, business has been phenomenal with the ten cent vaudeville theatres, and, as is customary, none of the houses will close during the summer season. Contrary to expectations, the Lewis and Clark Exposition has proven a great benefit to the downtown theatres in Portland, and several houses, to accommodate the crowds, have increased their seating capacity 250 seats.

Maude Rockwell, prima donna soloist, after two years of phenomenal success on the Pacific coast, opens an eastern engagement at Electric Park, Kansas City, Sunday, June 25. Miss Rockwell's success in the west has been flattering. She has played return dates throughout California, and everywhere has been featured. She has not only played return dates, but has played from four to six consecutive weeks in every house. For the past four months Miss Rockwell has been a special feature at Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco. She was tendered another six months' contract in the west on the Affiliated Circuit, but owing to previous eastern engagements, was forced to refuse the same. She will play eight weeks in the middle west and then go east for a New York opening. WARREN A. PATRICK.

THE COLISEUM, CHICAGO



this show in a receptive frame of mind looking for that which will be of benefit in their advertising efforts. If a person is going to buy an automobile, they go to the automobile show to make their selection, because there they can see everything in that line, and make a more intelligent selection. The business transacted at the Automobile Show each year in Chicago and New York is really phenomenal. Estimates place the amount of business closed at the last Automobile Show in Chicago at upwards of two million dollars, and some of the exhibitors have not completed all the orders taken there. A friend of mine told me a few days ago he ordered an automobile at the last Chicago show and that he had not received same, and the factory had written him that they had secured so many orders that they had not been able to complete deliveries up to this time."

"Do you intend to make the Advertising Show an annual affair?"

"Yes, we expect to hold the next show in Madison Square Garden, New York, next spring, and to hold a show annually in New York and Chicago."

"Are you securing many exhibitors?"

"We have been happily surprised in the way manufacturers of advertising are taking up with the idea of the show. We have already signed up many of the largest advertising manufacturers of the country, and spaces have been taken by newspaper agencies, manufacturers of printing presses, type setting machines, lithographers, printers, engravers, commercial photographers, novelties of all kinds, manufacturers of signs of various kinds and many other lines."

"Will there be any entertainment other than the exhibits?"

"There will be lecturers every day on advertising subjects. We are just now commencing to take up this part of the program, and will a little later be able to announce the lecturers and the names of the lecturers. We can promise to have some of the very best lecturers in the country, and the lectures will be on

"safe to say, are the two hot weather winners; while the march song, "Farewell, My Annabelle," is a Jim Dandy for almost any kind of an act, orchestra or band. As for catchy advertising ideas, this house has always been famous, and when you bump into everyone around town wearing a button on their lapel, with the jolly inscription "I'm Feeling Fine," it's an easy guess that Wesley Hamilton's coon song is one of the "It's," and that those behind it are wide awake. Will Rossiter also seems to have one of the best assortments of band and orchestra numbers, judging from the amount one hears at the many big band doings now in and around Chicago. And this is not all, for his descriptive number, "Trailing The Trail," and "Souvenir See," played by Innes' Band, are the two big hits at the Portland Fair. Speaking of the Fair reminds me that Harry Newton's book, "Hiram Birdseed at the Lewis and Clark Exposition," is now one of the biggest sellers on all the trains running into Portland and on the Fair Grounds; and this also happens to be published by Will Rossiter. We can't begin to mention all the fires in which Will Rossiter has an iron, but it's a cinch he's a "live one." His publication on "Stage Favorites" is one of the swellest of its kind in America today.

Jennie Catef who opens the season of twelve weeks on the Affiliated Western Circuit at the Star Theatre, Seattle, with her husband, Andy Waldron, is an honorary member of the Seattle Lodge, B. P. O. E., and the Elks are preparing to give her a grand reception on her appearance in that city after an absence of many years. The last engagement of Catef and Waldron on the coast was at the Third Avenue Theatre, Seattle, where they appeared with a stock company of their own.

Milton Swartz, the popular young treasurer of the Consolidated Amusement Company, who was for a time located at the Star

GEO. F. PARKER



able to see all of the various methods and devices for advertising demonstrated. Advertising that is valuable for one firm may be absolutely worthless to another, and it is only by comparison that an accurate estimate of any advertising can be obtained."

"How long will the exposition last?"

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Opening Of The New Waldorf— Martin Harvey's Hamlet—Co- quelin's English Season

ON MONDAY evening a fashionable audience greeted Cavalleria Rusticana, preceded by Il Maestro di Cappella, with approval. For the time being Grand Opera at moderate prices will be produced, alternating with performances of the standard drama by Eleanor Duse. For the present the customary pit is not provided. There is no box tier, but the grand tier replaces it. The balcony above—and at a still greater altitude the amphitheatre and the gallery—both reserved, increase the total seating accommodation to 1,790. There are no columns to obstruct the view, the cantilever principle having been adopted, while the planning of the horseshoe and the inclination of the seating on the three tiers have been so skillfully arranged that the stage is comfortably seen from every point of view.

A bold and broad treatment of the style of Louis XIV. provides the decoration scheme of the interior. The crush room and main staircase are striped and panelled in dove-colored and breche violet marbles, after the model of many Genoese churches, and the marble pilasters have gilt capitals. The balustrade is a copy of one of Baren's designs. On the first tier level, the refreshment salon is beautifully ornamented in cream and gold. The auditorium presents a color harmony of Rose du Barry, relieved by the cream and gold of the circle fronts and the delicate tints of the French tapestries, with which the stalls and dress circle seats are upholstered, framed in the quiet brown of French walnut. Another feature is the circular ceiling in modelled plaster, with gilt centrepieces, surrounded by a painting in the masterly style of Le Brun. Surmounting the proscenium is the basso relievo modelling of the tympanum, representing Apollo in his chariot. A deep Louis XIV. cornice runs round the theatre, giving an unusual, but, perhaps, welcome rigidity of line. The proscenium opening and the dress and upper circles are supported with pilasters of fleur de peche marble, with gilt capitals; and between the smaller pilasters on the dress circle and stall levels there are lofty mirrors reaching to the cornice.

The appearance of the auditorium at the Haymarket on Thursday last, on the occasion of the Conway Benefit, showed clearly enough that the public still retains not only a keen remembrance of, but also an affectionate regard for, H. B. Conway, despite the fact that that once popular actor has not been seen on the London stage for many years. Mr. Conway has long been debarred from work by illness, and, with characteristic generosity his friends in the theatrical profession determined to do what lay in their power to show their sympathy. Form and substance were given to this desire in the shape of a varied performance, which kept the large audience assembled amused and interested for something over four hours. Everybody who is anybody in London theatricals contributed to the programme and the matinee, and although the financial results have not yet been made public, the benefit was certainly a huge success in every way.

Mr. Martin Harvey, who is known for his original conceptions of Shakespearean characters, on Monday last at the Lyric, added another Hamlet to the present concourse of Danes. The staging of the piece was gorgeous. No fault, indeed, can be found with the setting. It reflects the greatest credit on designer and artist. But when we turn from the canker to the jewel which it contains, when the eye has been satisfied with pictorial adornment, and we look with eager anticipation at those figures which are to play their life's tragedy within this beautiful setting, we are conscious at once of a contrast and a disappointment. They sadly lack distinction, these heroes and heroines of the Royal Court of Denmark. They are not in themselves naturally interesting. What they have to do and suffer ought to affect us with keen and poignant significance, but, as a matter of fact, we are not moved. They give us too much of the effect which the poet described as "a painted ship upon a painted ocean." In a word, Mr. Harvey's stage-manager's Hamlet was exceptionally successful. Mr. Harvey's Hamlet—disappointing.

Mr. Kinsey Pelle seems to have been in some doubt as to the precise category in which to place the three-act work from his pen produced Monday at the Shaftesbury, at the

first of two matinees organized in aid of Lady Henry Somerset's Children's Camp at Birchington-on-Sea. Accordingly, he labelled his production simply a "play." After making the acquaintance of Mrs. L'Estrange, one has a suspicion that the author began writing in the spirit of satire; and then, when he, perhaps, least expected it, found himself drifting towards sentiment. Unfortunately, in this instance, the playwright never seemed able to make up his mind whether to take himself—and his audience—seriously or not. The result was somewhat perplexing. For, if he chopped and changed in his "atmosphere," so, also, he left one in doubt, longer than was necessary or desirable, as to the real character of his protagonist. Not, in fact, till well on in the second act did Mrs. L'Estrange show up in her true colors. Up to that point we are led to suppose her to be the typical Society Woman of a kind so often met now-a-days in a certain kind of play and novel, while her husband we took to be a mere nonentity, for whom she cared not a straw, and who obligingly closed his eyes to her elations with another man. The latter's marriage with an aristocratic French girl apparently effected no alteration in the ménage, and not until the author had firmly persuaded us that "Toby" L'Estrange's sporting wife was a "thorough had lot," and her lover a worse than callous and indifferent husband, did he turn round, so to speak, laugh in our faces, and transform vice into virtue. From that moment the Hon. Mrs. L'Estrange became the good fairy of the piece, confessed herself a devoted spouse, circumvented an elopement planned between the neglected wife and a "first class bouncer"—the apt description was applied to Spencer Carnegie, in the play's one dramatic incident—and brought about a reconciliation between a most unconvincing and invertebrate couple. Having thus faintly indicated the lines followed by Mr. Kinsey Pelle for the rest, it will be enough to say that his tone generally was so slipshod and his characters, for the most part, such very unreal puppets, lacking any semblance of real flesh and blood, that it was difficult to regard their doings for a moment seriously.

A very serious gap there would assuredly be in the London season were the famous French comedian, M. Coquelin, not to be numbered among its many attractions. Happily there are no longer any grounds for apprehension on this score, inasmuch as arrangements have been concluded by virtue of which M. Coquelin will give a limited number of performances at the Shaftesbury immediately before sailing for South Africa, where an extensive tour awaits him. In these performances, restricted to six, M. Coquelin will have the support of Coquelin Cadet, of M. Jean Coquelin, of Mlle. Moreau of the Comedie Francaise, of Mlle. Suzanne Devoyod, and of Mlle. Louise Sylvie, together with the members of the Paris Galette Co. The season, by arrangement with Mr. B. A. Mayer, is to be under the direction of Mr. Henri Hertz, director of the Galette.

Not a few pleasant memories must have been awakened in the ranks of the "old timers" who found themselves among the audience which attended Sir Henry Irving's revival of the "The Merchant of Venice." Rarely has the actor received a more demonstrative welcome at the hands of his admirers, and the occasion may well have recalled to those more particularly alluded to, the old Lyceum's early days, and that memorable November night in 1879, during the second season of Henry Irving's management, when London first sat in judgment on his Shylock.

Encouraged by the favor shown her at the Lyric, Miss Maxine Elliott transferred Mr. Clyde Fitch's play, Her Own Way, to the Savoy, where a hearty welcome was accorded her by a well-filled house at the beginning of the week.

In Man and Superman, produced at the Court Theatre, Mr. Bernard Shaw has given us another problem play of the philosophical order. It is a comedy of a sort, a comedy that consists of brilliant utterances, of contrasted characters, of episodes which follow one another and are not indissolubly connected in a plot, of fragments of philosophy, or rather social ethics, which meet and cancel each other. There is hardly a single doctrine which Mr. Shaw puts before us of which he does not also show the hollowiness. Are we to believe in an ideal of free love? So Mr. Shaw's representative, Mr. John Tanner, is inclined to suggest in the first act. But if so we are quickly shown that there

is a great deal to be said for the ordinary and orthodox social creed. Is woman's cause to be put before us—the rights of woman as an older generation might put it? If so we are immediately confronted by an equally eloquent exposition of the rights of man. But whatever it is all about we must admit that it is a bright, sparkling performance which was hugely enjoyed by a packed house on Tuesday evening.

Madame Rejane's appearance at Terry's next week will be coincident with an attempt on her part to bring to a state of fruition her long-contemplated scheme for the establishment of a French theatre in London.

Arrangements have been made whereby the Lyceum Theatre will be provided with a cooled air arrangement, similar to those of the Keith houses in America. Speaking of cooling preparations for the summer, I might add that a prominent American paper moulplater, now playing within sight of Leicester Square, recently caused no little excitement among the American contingent by the discovery of a quick lunch room on Leicester Square, where lemonade, as understood in America, is sold. Needless to say the American contingent immediately investigated the authenticity of Mr. M.'s discovery.

In regard to the many rumors in circulation as to the closing of the Empire for the summer months and the complete abandonment of the ordinary variety performance there, it may now be stated that the regular variety "turns" have been booked in the usual way for a future period extending certainly over the next eighteen months. In reference to a possible closing, nothing has been definitely decided. The building work that must be done is not of a very formidable character, and what have been referred to as county council requirements are at present only suggestions.

The London Coliseum has received notice from the local authorities to remove a sky sign erected on the tower of the theatre. Mr. Oswald Stoll denies that the revolving iron globe, bearing the word "Coliseum" in electric letters, constitutes a sky sign, in contravention of the London building act, will be argued in the courts.

Quite a notable firmament of theatrical "stars" shone at the St. James yesterday afternoon, and disclosed their interest in the "satellites" of the profession, as represented by the Rehearsal Club, whose general meeting occasioned the display. The club provides at 29 Leicester Square, a quiet retreat for minor actresses and the higher grade members of the Corps de Ballet and the chorus, many of whom live far from their work, and, therefore, find it impossible to return to their homes between the hours of rehearsal and performances. Mr. Arthur Bourcier presided, now that the farce of prejudice against the stage was rapidly ending its run, and young aspirants and amateurs were legion.

A variety performance which would please the warmest supporter of Free Trade in amusements, is on at the Kensington this week. The bill is headed by La Lole Fuller, whose wonderful dancing is as much appreciated as ever. Good dramatic fare is provided in the Dutch peer Who Is Galty, in which Mr. Theo. Bonwmester plays seven parts and plays them well. Excerpts from Il Trovatore and Faust please lovers of opera, and amongst the variety artistes are mentioned Miss Ina Gordon, Miss Arabelle Allen, and Mr. E. Bosanquet.

Oswald Stoll has arranged a benefit matinee for Walter Howard at the Hackney Empire on Thursday, June 1. The big booted banjoist of former days and popular end-man of the old Christy Minstrels is now stricken down with paralysis.

The scheme for general booking in every part of the house offers many advantages both to management and to the audience, and the slow progress that the idea has made seems difficult to understand. The Empire Directors have now led the way, and it is likely that before long other variety theatres will fall into line with the plan which has certainly added considerably to the popularity of London's newest variety palace, the Coliseum. The Empire arrangement, so far as the pit and gallery are concerned, stands where it did, but all over the rest of the house seats were booked for the first time this week. The plan proved completely successful.

Mr. Mouillot and Mr. Walter de Frece have started operations at the Prince of Wales' at Southampton, which is to be altered into a hippodrome. It will seat 3,000 people and will open on August Bank Holiday. Plans have been prepared by Mr. Bertie Crow. This hippodrome will be worked in conjunction with the Boscombe Hippodrome and a new one to be erected in the neighborhood.

Mr. Carl Sando, late manager of Barnum & Bailey's London office, has been appointed general manager for the American Amusement Syndicate, which purposes opening coliseums in the provinces. C. C. BARTRAM.

MAYOR OF TOKIO IN CHICAGO

The Mayor of Tokio opened for a run at the Studebaker Theatre, Chicago, June 5, and made an immediate hit. The following cast supported Mr. Richard Carle, who appeared in the role of Marcus Oriando Kidder, a Yankee impresario:

Kow Tow.....Edward Garvie
General Satake.....Addison Madeira
Ivan Orfullich.....Charles W. Myers
Tanaka.....Jessa Calne
Nikko.....Edwin Baker
Awaki.....William H. Platt
Betty Lincoln.....May Boley
Oloto San.....Hortense Mazurette
Kimono.....Adele Rowland
Ying Yang.....Kathryn Bunn
Toma.....Ethel Lloyd
Yamo.....Eleanor Burton
Cubb.....Madge Vincent
The Ostrich.....Vinton Entler
Julian Lincoln.....Edmond Stanley
Rusty.....William Rock
Madame Stitch.....Emma Janvier
Birdie Talcom.....Mervyn Courtney
The Peasant Ballet—Madge Vincent, Olive Robert, Inez Bauer, Selma Harris, Helen O'Donnell, Marie Salisbury, Helen Brandon, Daisy Johnstone, Kathryn Ardvaan.

Marcus Oriando Kidder, Impresario, Richard Carle

Interest is added to the farce by the fact that Mr. Carle is the author of the book. Mr. William Peters composed the music. The Mayor of Tokio is assured of success, both from its excellence as a production and because of its song hits. The scene is laid in Tokio. The interest is well sustained. The plot deals with a Japanese traitor endeavoring to barter his government's plans to the Russians. The Mayor of Tokio becomes the victim of somnolence, is accused of giving away plans of his government, and mistakes a party of stranded American actors for princes and princesses; provides an extra palace for them and does other things which owe their conception to the writer of light and airy summer themes.

THAYER, POST COMMANDER

Mr. Otis B. Thayer, and a competent company, produced for the first time upon any stage The Post Commander, a comedy drama in four acts by Pauline Phelps and Marion Short, at the King's Theatre, Grace Bay, N. S., June 5. The following cast assisted in the production:

Martha Spilkas, "Wes." Bigelow's hired girl.....Clara Reynolds Smith
"Doc" Applegate, veteran of G. A. R.Robert Robson
Jim Bishop, veteran of G. A. R.J. C. Brownell
Wesley Bigelow, Com. U. S. Grant PostOtis B. Thayer
Maud Hastings, related to Wes. BigelowEthel Davis
Bildad Simpkins, veteran of G. A. R.J. Mayer
Stonewall Bigelow, Wes. Bigelow's sonJ. M. Moss
Jerusha Andrews.....Estelle Wynne
Horace Finn, lawyer.....Ray C. Baker
Issabel Finn, Horace Finn's wife.....Olive Ruggles
Lettitia Gillette, Jerusha's aunt.....Har. Jenkins

The Post Commander deals with the joys and the sorrows of Wesley Bigelow, a G. A. R. veteran. His life work is to rear a structure and dedicate it to the boys who fought during the Civil War. To this end he accumulates a fortune through subscriptions. On the opening day the money is stolen and the veteran's son is implicated. However, he proves his innocence, shows up the villain and marries the girl of his choice. Mr. Thayer well portrays the emotions of the old soldier. He received the best of support from his fellow members in the Sweet Clover Co. The scene is laid in Maine in the spring of 1902.

GORDON WILL SURVIVE

This following copy of an interesting document tells its own story.

St. Paul's Lodge No. 500, A. F. & A. M., Springfield, Ill.
To all Ancient, Free, and Accepted Masons, to whom this may come, greeting. This is to certify that our worthy Brother Harry Gordon is an Entered Apprentice Mason and a member in good standing of Saint Paul's Lodge No. 500, A. F. & A. M., working under a charter from the M. W. Grand Lodge of Illinois. Given under my hand and the seal of said lodge, at Springfield, Ill., this first day of June, A. L. 3005. (Signed) WM. E. RIGGINS, Secretary.

That great reliever of all pains and tribulations, Mrs. Clarence Bennett (Capt. Marshall), in whose care Mr. Gordon now is, says his body will soon be healed, and that spiritually he will be a better man than ever.

BIG TOUR FOR FLORODORA

Messrs. Fisher & Ryley have disposed of the western and southern rights to produce Florodora to Messrs. Chas. Riggs and C. F. DeLong, who will next season take the piece for a trans-continental tour. Florodora is credited with one of the most phenomenal successes ever accorded a production, and the proposed tour should prove a big success under the successful management of Messrs. Riggs & DeLong, which will open the last week in August.

Mr. William L. Rogers, "Bill," by which appellation he is well and widely known, has decided to give up the management of the Opera House at El Paso, Texas, after a four years' term, during which time he won the respect and esteem of the theatregoers of that city. Mr. Rogers has decided to take out a company of his own. Mr. Roy Crawford, son of L. M. Crawford, has been checked in as manager of the El Paso house. Its patrons regret to see Mr. Rogers leave the management, as he is a capable and worthy man and has made a big success of the theatre.

DRAMATIC.

The Howard-Dorset Co. began a summer engagement at Riverside Park, Sioux City, Ia., June 11.

An American Lord is the name of the new piece which Wm. H. Crane will produce next season.

Wilson S. Ross writes that he has joined the forces of Liehler & Co. He opens July 31 in San Francisco.

Frank Burke, leading man for the Buffington Stock Co., is taking a two weeks' vacation with friends in Maine.

Mr. H. F. Miller, for some time correspondent of The Billboard at Creston, Ia., is now located permanently in Denver.

Miss Rosa Rand will play the role of Mrs. Malaprop in the production of The Rivals, which the Jeffersons will put on next season.

Paul Hillis closed his season with the Mortimer-Snow Stock Co. at Scranton, Pa., May 13, and is now with the Thorne Dramatic Co. for the season.

Mr. H. C. DeMuth, for the past two seasons, manager of Arizona, is now the manager of Buster Brown, playing at the Great Northern Theatre, Chicago.

Billy Daley writes that he is enjoying good health after a three months' illness. Billy goes out ahead of the Rathburn & Mann Co. next season, beginning in September.

Attractions in Maine for the summer are The Missouri Girl, A Hot Old Time, A Jolly American Tramp, A Wayward Son, Bennett & Moulton's Co. and Gormand & Ford.

Tom Grady, after a prosperous season with the Governor's Son Co., spent a week in Philadelphia and is now in Mt. Clemens for the month. He opens the Ocean at Atlantic City, July 1.

How multitudinous are the worries of fame. Blanche Bates is discussing with her press agent the advisability of spending her summer vacation on a western ranch or in taking a European tour.

Geo. Tyler and Joseph Brooks, who are touring Europe in an automobile, will not stop for anything unless it be a stone wall, says their press agent. But why stop at a stone wall?

Geo. H. Ritter, manager of the Herald Square Stock Co., writes that owing to the failure of the potato crop in Maine business is sure to be bad this summer in that state.

Miss Ada Gifford, who has been playing Lena in Arizona under the direction of Melville B. Raymond, has been transferred to the Buster Brown Co. to play the role of Mrs. Brown during the summer engagement of that piece at the Great Northern Theatre, Chicago.

The Fulton Brothers Stock Co. will play a summer engagement at the Oliver Theatre in Lincoln, Neb., beginning June 13. This company played Lincoln last summer and scored heavily. The opening bill June 13 was Lost Paradise.

Mr. Thomas E. DePew, manager of the DePew-Burdette Stock Co., and Messrs. W. F. Burdette and C. H. Breen paid The Billboard a visit last week on their way to Chicago. Their company has just closed a very successful season of forty-five weeks.

Under The Shadow of St. James is the title of a new play by Robert Blaylock, which was given its premiere at the Grand Opera House, Des Moines, Ia., May 23. Mr. Blaylock and his wife, Miss Colene Springer, appeared in leading roles in the piece.

Emil Ankermliller, advance agent the past season for the Nat. C. Goodwin company, is now with the company in San Francisco. He will remain there until the company closes the latter part of this month and will then return to New York for the summer.

Miss Belle Gold has signed with Klaw & Erlanger's Ham Tree for next season. Rehearsals will begin July 1, and the play is scheduled to open at the New Amsterdam Theatre in August. McIntyre and Heath will be the joint stars in this attraction.

Ollie Cooper, the well known child actress who has been with the Florence Roberts Co., has been taken to San Francisco suffering from quick consumption. Ollie has been identified with the stage for a number of years and was a very clever actress. Her sister, Edith, succeeds her.

Edney Ridge, the well known advance agent and publicity promoter, is in Greensboro, N. C., in the Division Freight Office of the Southern Railway. He is not connected with Lindley Park this season. Next season Mr. Ridge has been offered the advance work of a well known New York manager's melodrama that will tour the South for the first time.

The English department of Harvard university is to make an innovation this year by adding to its regular curriculum a course in playwriting. The course will be conducted by Prof. George R. Baker, known to critics and managers as an authority on the classic English drama. The new course is intended for the more advanced students.

The roster of the Byron Douglas Stock Co. at Toledo, Ohio, is as follows: Byron Douglas, Henriette Browne, Louisa Bresson, Richard Thornton, Roy Fairchild, Sylvia Starr, Frank Beamish, Beatram Yost, Emma Lathrop and Rita Knight. High class productions are being presented by the company, which has a large following in Toledo.

Sara Bernhardt has made a great hit in Paris in her reconstructed version of Racine's Esther. It is the same as given in 1689 at St. Cyr in the presence of Louis XIV. and Mme. de Maintenon. It is said that the Divine Sara made a magnificent appearance, literally glittering with diamonds and rubies on garments of golden texture.

The Sterling Dramatic Co., under the management of Jas. Morrow, opened for its summer season under canvas at Lawrenceburg, Ind., June 12-17. The company will present a repertoire of fifteen plays. They carry thirty people, a band and orchestra. They play west into Illinois and Iowa and Minnesota. Mr. Edward Sampson is agent in advance.

Mr. Geo. Landshaw, of the Lyceum Comedy Co., met with a painful accident at

Clydeside Park, June 5. We hold the record for long jumps. We jumped from New Albany, Ind., to Johnson City, Tenn., then from Chattanooga to San Antonio, Texas, thence to Hot Springs and to Ashland.

Mitchell Bros., of Norristown, Pa., report that time is coming very nicely for their production of The Gambler. The show will open on or about Aug. 14, with a special line of printing and all new scenery, playing three nights and week stands. Morrison M. Jacobs has signed with the above firm and is devoting his whole time to the production. Mr. W. Hayward Clark, formerly leading man of the Fisk Stock Co., has signed to play leads and direct the stage.

HIPPODROME FOR CLEVELAND

The Hippodrome Company and the Cleveland Hippodrome Company have been incorporated at a nominal sum for the purpose of erecting a hippodrome in Cleveland, Ohio. It is reported that a \$2,000,000 hippodrome similar to the one in New York will be erected in the Ohio city in the circuit which Messrs. Thompson & Dundy will establish throughout the country. Mr. Max Faetkenheuer, manager of the Euclid Avenue Garden Theatre, is said to be the local projector of the enterprise. A number of other local capitalists are also interested. It is reported that the company has leased for a period of ninety nine years a plot of over three acres of ground upon which the hippodrome will be erected.

DENIES CHARGE

Manager Fred Stair, of the Star Theatre, Ottawa, Ont., denies the report that he has gone over to the Empire camp, asserting that he has a binding contract with the Eastern Circuit and intends to stand by it.

J. FRED HELF

(See First Page.)

J. Fred Helf, whose likeness adorns the title page of this issue of The Billboard, is one of the youngest and most successful of New York's song writers and publishers. Mr. Helf is of the firm of Helf & Hager, with offices at 48 West Twenty-eighth street. In proportion to the length of time Mr. Helf has been writing songs, he has probably produced as many, if not more, big hits than any other song writer. One of the most remarkable of the past season, Mamma's Boy, is the product of his fertile pen and is the latest of a number of songs that have placed the young writer in the front rank of his profession.

Mr. Helf began to write songs when he was but a boy. That has not been very long ago, however, and he commenced to produce successes at once; he has never stopped. Every year there is at least one Helf hit on the market.

From his great success as a song writer, Mr. Helf conceived the ambition to become a publisher. Upon the expiration of his contract with Sol Bloom he immediately established a publishing house that ingratiated itself among the stinging performers and musicians generally by the production almost immediately of Mamma's Boy and several other hits of scarcely minor importance.

Mr. Helf has a legion of friends in the profession. His personality is exceedingly attractive and his genius, or artistic temperament, or whatever one is pleased to call it, is absolutely without those eccentricities which so often act as a repellent force.

MUSICAL.

There will be two little Johnny Jones companies next season. Robert Barry will head No. 2.

Mme. Duse has recovered from the illness with which she was recently attacked in Brussels.

Chas. K. Harris attended the opening performance of The Land of Nod, which took place at the Chicago Opera House, Chicago, June 11.

Miss Ruth White, prima donna of the of Kafetzelm at Hyde & Behman's Theatre, Chicago, will have the leading role next season in a musical comedy, entitled The Belle of Broadway.

Lillian Russell and her daughter Dorothy are now installed in their summer home at Bay Ridge, where they have planned a season of automobile driving and other diversions which go to make summer life more pleasant.

Chas. K. Harris has a number of leading ballads this summer. They are Would You Care? Down in the Vale of Shenandoah, Why Don't You Play With Me, Farewell, Sweetheart May; and I'm Trying So Hard to Forget You.

Miss Maude Rockwell, San Francisco's favorite vocalist, has been featured the latest publications of the Folio Music Publishing Co. with great success. She scored a tremendous hit with Genevieve, and by request repeated it a second week.

Miss Ruth White prima donna of the Burgomaster Co., became ill after the matinee performance at Rockford, Ill., and necessitated the closing of the company in Aurora. Next season Miss White and Oscar L. Figman will be featured in The Tenderfoot.

William N. Betscher, manager of the Betscher Symphony Concert Company of Canal Dover, Ohio, announces that he will soon have his company in readiness to start on the road. He has booked a few dates for the winter season, which he will commence some time in September.

A very successful summer engagement is being played by Sam Pickett's extravaganza company at the Majestic Theatre, Utica. A special feature is being made of two of Jos. W. Stern & Co.'s songs, Peter Piper, and Lindy. Both of them are received with great applause at every performance.

Buster Brown is making a record at the Great Northern Theatre, Chicago. The orchestra was put on the stage Decoration Day, matinee and night, and at the matinee of Wednesday the same week. Chicago critics are of the opinion that the company is much improved over that of last year. They will remain at the Great Northern indefinitely.

St. Petersburg is to have a magnificent new opera house, with a seating capacity of 4,000 persons, built by Prince Zeretelli, whose new operatic undertaking has been successful beyond expectations. In spite of the war the prince has already proved that the Russian capital can support two grand operas, and he has now secured the assistance of capitalists, who are making arrangements to put up this new building in the most sumptuous style.

One of the new musical comedies in preparation is A Little Devil's Half by Harry B. Smith and Herrman Perlet. Frank Norcross will produce it, and he has offered the principal role, a boy's part, to Virginia Earle. The piece tells the story of a youth so mischievous that it seems as if he must be in league with Satan. The description suggests an old piece played by Alice Oates, entitled Asmodous; or The Little Devil.

MISS DOWNS & CO.



EDWIN J. McDONOUGH.



MISS MARY DOWNS, As Dorothy Don't Act.



MISS DOWNS.

Above are represented Miss Downs & Co., who are presenting an entirely new and beautiful comedy, singing and dramatic sketch, entitled The Stranded Actors, which will be seen in the large parks during the summer season and then on the vaudeville circuit. Miss Downs has played in some of the leading companies and been praised by press and public for her excellent work. The costumes are magnificent, having been designed especially for her. Mr. Edwin J. McDonough is equally successful in his role as McCullough McBride, in which he introduces a character act; and having a remarkable fine voice his stinging brings forth great applause. This sketch affords splendid opportunities for Miss Downs to display her talents.

Pekin, Ill., which kept him off the boards for several nights. In the finale of the first act of Rip Van Winkle Mr. Landshaw, playing the role of Nick Vedder, fell on a glass wash board breaking the board and cutting himself severely. He was able to appear with the company at Springfield, Ill.

Mr. J. J. Rosenthal has received assurance from several managers that when he produces The Girl That Looks Like Me at the Casino Theatre, Toledo, they will be present and view the production. The play will be put on June 18 with Kathryn Osterman in the stellar role. Should the venture prove the success the management expects it the piece will be put on the road next season.

Charles Frohman has recently purchased the English rights of the four-act comedy entitled Coeur de Moineau, by Louis Artus, recently produced at the Athenee Theatre in Paris. Other plays purchased by the well-known manager are La Belle Marsellaise, by M. Pierre Berton, and produced at the Ambigu Theatre, also the Comedie Francaise, The Duel, and La Petite Boheme. All the above pieces will be produced in New York this autumn.

Following is the roster of the Harrington Stock Co.: E. A. Harrington, proprietor; Rex Leslie Kingdom, business manager; Len Harrington, advance representative; Beatrice Harrington, Mildred Harrington, Nellie Russell, Lottie Glenmore, Edythe Francis, Edmond Barrett, Seth Peel, Ben A. Tillson, Chas. Barton, Geo. LaVal, Walter Dickinson, Doc Foster, Roy Ulrich, Hank Gelsey, Herbert Young and Ed. Hottman.

The National Stock Co. opened at Clydeside Park, Ashland, Ky., June 5, to the capacity of the theatre. The roster of the company is as follows: Col. Geo. F. Hamilton, manager; D. A. Hellman, business manager; E. Franklyn Melville, director; Miss Helen K. May, Josephine Kennedy, Carrie Hamilton, Bertha Tanneclaffe, Al. H. Fox, B. H. Payton, Geo. McCorkle, Harry Blainey, Master Robert and Baby Lucille.

Mr. D. A. Hellman, business manager of Hamilton's National Stock Co., writes: We closed at Whitington Park, Hot Springs, Ark., June 1, after a successful engagement and jumped direct to Ashland, Ky., where we opened

COMPANIES CLOSING.

Ward & Vokes closed their season June 3 at Haverhill, Mass.

The Metropolitan Juvenile Opera Co. is reported to have closed in Erie, Pa.

E. R. Hogate's Ten Nights in a Barroom Co. closed its season at Mondovi, Wis., recently.

Viola Allen in A Winter's Tale closed her season in New Rochelle, N. Y., Saturday, June 3.

Owing to the illness of Miss Ruth White, prima donna of The Burgomaster Co., that organization closed at Aurora, Ill., recently.

Prof. Thomason, palmist and psychic of Kansas City, Mo., writes that he is canvassing the south. His street performances are making good.

Ben Hendricks closed his season of forty weeks, May 30, at Racine, Wis. It was one of the most successful tours ever experienced by the actor, writes Manager George Coway.

H. Price Weber's Boston Comedy Co. closed its season May 30 at Norway, Me. Mr. Weber has traveled the same territory for twenty-seven years and manages to clear a neat sum every season.

May Stewart and Lemuel B. C. Joseph closed their tour May 18. These people with a number of their company put on an open air production of As You Like It June 12-14 at Dallas, Texas.

The Lafayette Stock Co. closed its season at the Lafayette Theatre, Detroit, Mich., May 27. The different members leaving immediately to take other engagements. Miss Julia Stuart, leading woman, left for Denver to join the Bellows All-star Stock Co., of which she was a member last summer. Mr. Van Rensselaer, leading man, goes to Chicago to take an engagement.

The Walter Fane Stock Co. closed a very successful twelve weeks' tour at Merrill, Wis., May 22. Mr. and Mrs. Fane are enjoying themselves at Wisconsin's well known fishing resort, Minocqua, where they will devote the entire summer to pleasure, Mr. Fane having re-

WARD AND VOKES PART

John Ward and Harry Vokes, who have been known to lovers of musical farce for the past twenty years, closed their season in A Pair of Pinks June 3 at the Academy of Music, Haverhill, Mass., and ended their partnership engagement. The closing scenes in their long career was one to be remembered. After the closing bill June 3 the members of the company and a large number of invited guests assembled at Crescent Beach where high spirits and champagne flowed freely. The two comedians were presented with silver loving cups by the members of their company.

Mr. Vokes will form a partnership with William West, while John Ward will next season appear under the direction of E. D. Stair.

WITH THE STAGE HANDS.

The acts for the forthcoming benefit for the stage hands of Jacques and Poll's theatre, Waterbury, Conn., are being booked through the Actors' National Protective Association.

Mr. John M. Fitzgerald, stage manager of the Jacques Opera House, Waterbury, Conn., has been elected a delegate from stage hands union local No. 88 to the National convention which meets in Pittsburg, July 10.

Roy Pratt, stage carpenter, in behalf of the stage hands of Green's Opera House, Cedar Rapids, Ia., recently challenged the ushers of the house to play a game of bill, which was readily accepted by Chief Usher Geo. Medhurst. The game was pulled off June 4, resulting in a score of 18 to 16 in favor of the ushers. Batteries: Stage hands, Prendergast and Kimbo. Ushers, McLeod and Frink. The stage hands are planning revenge.

Mr. Chas. Hockenberry, who worked on the stage of Powers' Opera House at Decatur, Ill., for the past twenty years and enjoyed a wide acquaintance in the show business, died May 27 of dropsy, after a month's illness. Mr. Hockenberry had been in the hospital one month, was thought to be on the road to recovery and had been taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Mart Fleming. A chance for the worse took him off suddenly. Mr. Hockenberry was born March 6, 1861, and was head flyman at Powers'.

WEBER'S BUSINESS IN LONDON

It has developed that Joe Weber went over to London to get time for his company in the British metropolis. He has been successful in arranging with George Edwardes to book the Weber Music Hall Stock Company for a trip abroad that will take the place of the usual spring tour in America after the close of the Broadway season.

VAUDEVILLE.

Bevan and Desmond write that they play the Gorman park circuit till August 19.

Foster and Country write that they will remain at Riverview Park, Chicago, Ill., until Sept. 8.

Lizzie Mitchell opened at the Topic Theatre, Billings, Mont., May 29 for a summer season in stock.

Deimo has worked alone for the past ten months and reports that he has been a success everywhere.

Goodo, wire performer, is now connected with the Bert Silver Show. He reports that he is doing well.

Owing to conflicting names, Frank Melrose will hereafter be known as Frank Vardelle. The team will be known as The Vardelles.

Demora and Gretceta, European equilibrist, opened their ninth week on the Affiliated Western Circuit, Fischer's Theatre, San Francisco, June 5.

Pug Reynolds and Joe Daniels report meeting with success in their comedy act, entitled Troubles, in the northwest. They are booked solid until July, 1906.

The Constenell Sisters write that they have been playing over twelve weeks in Fort Worth, Texas, and that they are still receiving from two to four encores nightly.

Helston and Hood write that they have just closed a nineteen weeks' engagement at the Star Theatre, Atlanta, Ga., and returned to New York to fill in some eastern time.

Dixon and Coughlin is the name of a new vaudeville team which has started out from Sioux City, Ia. They play the summer and fall in the eastern and central states.

Baby Irma Wikoff and Co. are receiving some flattering press notices on their excellent work in their bright little one act comedy, entitled Morning, Noon and Night.

Christy and Willis, who have finished a thirty-five weeks' engagement on the Pacific circuits doing their novel tramp act, opened June 5 on the Kohl & Castle Circuit.

Miss Christine Vance arrived at Fort Worth from Houston, Texas, May 29 and opened at the Standard Theatre, where she made a hit. She will probably remain at the Standard all summer.

Mr. Will P. Gallagher, formerly of the team of Shea and Gallagher, writes that he closed a very successful season with the Al. W. Martin Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., and that he will buy property in Peru, Ind.

It is announced from Paris that Mapiou Winchester, the dancer, will soon be married to Daniel G. Reid, a millionaire of the French capital.

The Alvin Brothers, comedy ring masters, write that they closed with the John Mason Show May 20 and opened at the Unique Theatre, Minneapolis, Minn., May 29. They are booked solid until Oct. 15 in the west.

Walter & Magill's Elite Vaudeville Co., including Murphy and Palmer, Mabel Bennett, Allen and Reagan, The Great Abearn and Walter and Magill, was the opening attraction at Carsonia Park, Reading, Pa., May 29.

Fogarty and Brown, who appeared during the past season in Henry V. Savage's Sultan of Sulu Co., are now in vaudeville and making good in the middle west houses with their original eccentricities and dancing.

William Gross, German comedian, writes that he is successfully playing the middle west. He is booked up until Sept. 4 when he begins a return engagement of twenty-five weeks over the Sullivan & Considine Circuit.

Boh Costley, formerly of the team of Costly and Elley, recently joined with Miss Donna Dean, formerly of Harry Morris' Night on Broadway Co., and they are doing a musical sketch at the Manhattan Theatre, Norfolk, Va.

Chas. and Jane Ahern, comedy bicyclists, were held over for a second week at Carson's Park, Reading, Pa. They write that their double bicycle riding is making a hit, and that they are booked solid for the summer.

Mrs. Cleo Samoya, of Samoya and Samoya, opened at the Standard Theatre, Fort Worth, Texas, June 5, doing a serpentine dancing act and plastic poses. She informs us that she has discontinued her trapeze act for good.

The Four Dancing Harris's have closed a very successful vaudeville season, and are now playing summer dates in parks. They will spend a few weeks with their relatives in Canal Dover, Ohio, prior to starting out on their winter circuit.

Chris. O. Brown, eastern representative for the Affiliated Western Theatre Circuit, with headquarters at Chicago, reports booking a number of big acts for his line of playhouses. The Affiliated Circuit is booked almost solid for the next two months.

Edward C. Hays, black face comedian, opened his park season May 28 at Spring Grove Park, Springfield, Ohio, and put in the following week at the Lagoon, Cincinnati. He is booked for a return date at both resorts, and is booked solid until October.

Huntress, the male Papinta, while playing at the Unique Theatre, Los Angeles, Cal., was royally entertained by the Divine Dodson at his home in El Monte, Cal., who has retired from the profession, though he is always pleased to meet his old friends.

Allen & Delmain's company opened May 29 at the Casino Theatre, Thunderbolt Park, Savannah, Ga., and scored a hit with their musical comedy, entitled Me and Jack. The company consists of the following well-known artists: Smith and Reagan, Edith Arnold, DeGraff Sisters, Allen and Delmain and a chorus.

Jack Symonds, who has been appearing in the olio of the Brigadier Barlesque Co., writes that he closed with that company June 10 at the Lafayette Theatre, Buffalo, N. Y., and after a three weeks' rest will open upon a park circuit for a short engagement. On August 26 he opens with Frank Dumont's Minstrels in Philadelphia.

The three Ronaldos, Edward, Eva, and Charles, write that they are meeting with success playing summer parks, and that they are booked until August in the summer resorts. They have signed a contract for a sixteen weeks' engagement at the Circo Orrin, City of Mexico, beginning Nov. 1. They have already filled two engagements with the Circo Orrin.

Adele Parvis Ourl, who has just closed a forty weeks' engagement as a special feature with the Hurrig & Seamon Extravaganza Co., opened for the summer season over the Melville Circuit of parks beginning at Luna Park, Johnstown, Pa., May 29. His company includes Little Inada and Flora Allthorpe. They are booked until the middle of August.

The Aherns write that they are in their twelfth week as a feature of the stadium with the California Fiesta Carnival Co. They open at the Baker Theatre, Oakland, Cal., June 19 for four weeks and are booked solid until Nov. 1. While at Vallejo the Aherns were guests aboard the Russian ship Leah, which had sailed into the American waters for protection.

O'Brien and Dunlo write: We have just commenced our season of summer parks. We played Erie, Pa., May 29, and were specially engaged to play with the Fordham Stock Co., Dunkirk, N. Y., this week. We are having splendid success and will play to the coast. Our act, Nora's Fortune, made a decided hit in New York. We have several good offers for next season.

Washer Brothers, boxing midgets, write: We will close our engagement of sixteen weeks for the Consolidated Amusement Co. at the Utah Theatre, Logan, Utah, June 10, and have signed contracts to open on the Crystal Circuit week of June 12, at Cripple Creek, Colo., our engagement on the Crystal Circuit is for six weeks, after which we take a rest of three or four weeks.

Frank A. Averbek, magician, is making good this season in the summer parks. Mr. Averbek opened the Lagoon, opposite Cincinnati, week of May 28 with his clever magical and hypnotic act, which greatly pleased his audience. He is not only gifted with a pleasing and magnetic personality, but has an act that would make good anywhere, simply because of its novel and startling features. His tricks are all cleverly done, especially his spirit trunk.

Suzanne Willis, of the Nashville Students, made a big hit on the stage of the vaudeville theatre at Chester Park, Cincinnati, during

her recent engagement. Her song, entitled Jasper, is hilariously funny and is considerably above the ordinary black face stunt seen upon the summer vaudeville pavilion. Miss Willis is a comedienne of superior talent. The Nashville Students left Cincinnati for Grand Rapids, Mich., where they engaged for the Harrington Pavilion.

Madame Slappoffski was forced to cancel her engagement of two weeks at the Novelty Theatre, Stockton, Cal., owing to contracts with the Orpheum Circuit. Miss Maad Rockwell was loaned by the management of Fischer's Theatre to fill the vacancy caused by Madame Slappoffski's cancellation. Daring her stay in Stockton, Miss Rockwell rendered a solo at a prominent church celebration and received a letter of thanks from the ministers of Stockton for her services.

W. L. Rogers, proprietor and manager of the Merchants' Advertising Company's Big Vaudeville Show, writes that things are very fast nearing completion for his advertising show. He will carry sixteen people, a handsome line of special pictorial paper and a \$3,000 canvas, with stage and all the scenic equipments. The show will tour the great copper country of the southwest, opening at El Paso, Texas, June 12 for two weeks. Mr. Roy E. Hogan will go ahead with an assistant.

MRS. POTTER'S HOME SEIZED

Mrs. James Brown-Potter's financial troubles, growing out of her recent fiascos in London, have culminated in the seizure of her beautiful country home at Maidenhead.

Counsel representing Mrs. Potter have sent a letter to the newspapers saying there is no truth whatever in the statement that Albert Fossick, the solicitor, lent her money without security; but on the contrary, it is claimed, he received ample security and exacted a heavy rate of interest.

PLAYHOUSES.

A new system of ventilation has been installed in the Keith Theatre, Cleveland, Ohio.

Terre Haute's (Ind.) new theatre, the Coliseum, will open Sunday, Aug. 20, under the management of H. Bronson.

A new theatre at Loraine, Ohio, will help to enliven things in that city. Harry Bernstein is backing a project to build a 600 house.

It is rumored that Poll has secured the Gayety Theatre, Philadelphia, and will run it as a continuous vaudeville house next season.

The Canton Opera House at Canton, Miss., will next season be booked by Klaw & Erlanger. Mr. I. N. Betts will be resident manager.

Mr. W. H. Cox will again manage the Hardesty Theatre, Canal Dover, Ohio, and he has already commenced to book attractions for next season.

Manager Curran of the People's Theatre, Cedar Rapids, Ia., is in New York City securing novelties for next season. Manager Curran is always desirous of securing the best for his patrons.

Authoritative reports are to the effect that a number of well known Chicago vaudeville managers are endeavoring to secure a site in Spokane, Wash., for the erection of a vaudeville theatre.

The New Peam Theatre at Cripple Creek, Col., under the management of Charles Alphin, opened June 5. The house seats 1,000 people and is said to be one of the most perfectly appointed vaudeville houses in the west.

The Capital, Glens Falls, N. Y., under the management of Riley & Sheedy, is making quite a headway playing up to date vaudeville. It is considered one of the prettiest little theatres in that part of the state.

The fight over Sunday performances in Cedar Rapids, Ia., has been settled amicably and both the People's and Greene's opera houses will remain closed on Sunday after July 1. This action was voluntary on the part of both managers.

The Idea is a new theatre which opened at Fond du Lac, Wis., June 5. Its policy will be vaudeville and will be open every afternoon and evening throughout the summer. The building was erected in forty days, work being pushed by a double force.

The board of directors of the International Theatre Co. in New York recently elected the following officers: Victor Mapes, president; S. B. Bertrou, vice-president; Howard Thayer Kingsbury, secretary, and Paul Fuller, jr., treasurer.

Manager Johnson of Waterloo, Ia., has secured a long lease on Turner Hall and is having it remodeled for his future Electric Theatre, the present house being entirely too small to accommodate the crowds. Manager Johnson expects to open that house about June 19.

Work on the reconstruction of the Academy of Music at Hagerstown, Md., has been started and when the season opens Sept. 15 under the management of Mr. Chas. W. Boyer it will have all the appearance of a new house altogether. Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger will have charge of the bookings.

Work on the new theatre at Wabash, Ind., has begun and an effort will be made to have the structure complete by Nov. 1. The theatre will be on the ground floor and will cost about \$40,000, exclusive of the site. It will be of pressed brick and Bedford stone. The Eagles of Wabash are financing the enterprise.

Robert C. Fulton has been succeeded as manager of the Schwartz Theatre, Waukegan, Ill., by Chas. A. Takacs, formerly treasurer of the Schwartz and well known to every patron of the box office. Mr. Fulton will con-

tinue as leader of the orchestra at the above house, his other business necessitating his giving the management of the house to another person. Mr. Takacs will also remain in the box office.

Manager Gil Birrows of the National Theatre, Dayton, Ohio, closed his house May 27 with the Goodhue Stock Co. in The Gilded Fool. Notwithstanding the fact that the house was opened for the first time last summer, Manager Birrows will have the fittings all refurbished and the house otherwise repaired. The National opens its next season July 31 with a first class production.

Mr. Frank C. Osborne has been appointed by Messrs. Dickson & Talbot as manager of the Grand Opera House, Columbus, Ohio, to succeed Albert G. Owens, resigned. Mr. Osborne was, until several months ago, assistant manager of both the High Street and Grand Theatres, but resigned to accept a position with Thomas E. Shea. He is an actor by profession, by instinct a business man and well qualified for the position.

Manager Parsons of Parsons' Theatre, Hartford, Conn., has devised a novel method of advertising the merits of the Hunter Bradford Players filling an engagement at his house. Tandem kites, bearing streamers containing the words, "Hunter Bradford Players" and the other "Parsons' Theatre," are raised every day over the city when the weather will permit, in such a manner as to attract attention of everyone. The kites are creating much favorable comment.

Managers Churchill and Davis of the Main Street Theatre, Peoria, Ill., have completed plans to enlarge and remodel their playhouse so as to accommodate the crowds which were exceeding large the past season. The newly made plans will give the house a seating capacity of fifteen hundred and a very elaborate and artistic lobby. Special attention will be given to the exits and every precaution will be made against fire. The reconstruction will begin at once in order to open in August. The season just closed was very successful. The policy of the house is vaudeville.

RICHARD HYDE INJURED

Richard Hyde, of the well known firm of Hyde & Behman, was knocked down and injured May 30 by a runaway horse upon the race track at Gravesend. Mr. Hyde sustained a dislocation of the shoulder and was badly shaken up otherwise. However, the affair did not materially interfere with the plans of the manager and he was entirely recovered in a few days.

LEOPARD INJURES ATTENDANT

While Miss Ora Cecil was giving an exhibition of her four panthers at Rocky Glen, half way between Wilkesbarre and Scranton, Pa., the lights went out, and in making her way from the cage through the door which had been opened by an attendant a panther jumped over her head and escaped. A large force of men, armed with clubs and nets, went into the woods in search of the animal. It was found after diligent search many miles from the Glen and was recaptured after considerable trouble. It attacked one of the attendants, Louis M. Cohen, injuring him so severely that he was taken to the hospital.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Toby Lyons has joined the cast of Katoosium, playing in Chicago.

Mr. John F. Levering, Jr., of Des Moines, Ia., has signed with The Worgie Bug for next season.

Mr. J. C. Marlowe, one of the favorites of the LaSalle Theatre's forces, has been engaged for the role of Hoodwinkum in Katoosium, which part was especially written for him.

Raymond Chase, who has been playing in Quincy Adams Sawyer the past season, has signed with the Henry W. Savage forces to play the role of Bub Hicks in one of the College Widow companies next season.

NETHERSOLE AND DILLINGHAM

On May 30 Oglia Nethersole signed a contract with Chas. B. Dillingham for her appearance next October in Paul Herviene's Le Dedale, which proved such a success last season at the Theatre Francaise, Paris. The English adaptation has been made by W. L. Courtney, an eminent London critic & playwright. Miss Nethersole will go from New York to San Francisco, taking in twelve of our largest cities. The American tour was to have been under the direction of Mr. Maurice Grau, but that gentleman's illness necessitated the breaking of the contract.

BURLESQUE.

The body of Robert Fulton arrived in Philadelphia on May 30 and was placed in a receiving vault at West Laurel Cemetery pending arrangements for final interment. All the Philadelphia arrangements were in charge of Mike Teller, the well known hotel proprietor of Philadelphia. Mr. Teller formerly ran a hotel for vaudeville people in Chicago and was a life long friend of Mr. Fulton.

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ALABAMA

MONTGOMERY.—Tickett Springs Casino (O. A. Neal, mgr.) The Payton Sisters Co. is presenting the best attractions seen at this house this season, with the best attendance. The specialty work of Dan Holt is exceptionally good. The company plays for two weeks more, to be followed by the Boston Ideal Opera Co.

CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO.—Columbia Theatre. John Drew opened at this theatre in the Duke of Killdecrankie and will remain for this and next week. The papers speak highly of the play and the actors.

Central Theatre. Theodore Gamble and Miss Grace Hopkins, the new leading people of the Central, made an emphatic hit on their first night in "Why He Divorced Her." Starting with The Eleventh Hour, the Central will begin an eight weeks' season of Lincoln J. Carter's scenic productions. The Eleventh Hour follows Why He Divorced Her.

California Theatre. Florence Roberts and Herschel Mayall, with excellent support, are making plenty of fun at this theatre in The Country Girl. Marta of The Lowlands follows next week. Alcazar Theatre. Tennessee's Fardner has been revived at this theatre and is as much of a hit as formerly. Judah will be presented next week.

Majestic Theatre. Mizpah is again at this theatre and still a favorite. Next week Mrs. Fiske opens a two weeks' engagement in Leah Kleschna.

Tivoli Opera House. The Tenderfoot continues to draw large audiences at this theatre, and will enter its third week Monday, June 5.

Weber's Music Hall. This new place of amusement was opened Thursday evening, May 25, in Miss Frisky From Fresno, which took well. Walter Shannon, W. H. Odell, Dan Kelly, Lionel Lawrence, Miss Rose VonBerk, Miss Irene Watson and Miss Gertrude Eulalie comprise the company, and will undue a hit.

Grand Opera House. This is the last week of the Ferris Co. and Florence Stone, presenting The Holy City. Barney Bernard in The Financier follows for one week.

Orpheum. LaJolie Titcomb is the favorite for this week, in conjunction with their first-class vaudeville. Next week, John Ford and Myrna Gehrue, Marvella Merrills and Shields and Paul will be the attractions.

Fischer's Theatre. Henry Lee, the great character impersonator, is the star feature offered by this house, together with an excellent bill. Next week's bill will consist of the following: Second week of Henry Lee, Signorina Belloni, DeMora and Gracia, Weston and Whalien, Kemp Comedy Four, and new moving pictures. Items—Belasco & Mayer's new house in Portland, the Belasco, opened to a big house in The Heart of Maryland. * * J. H. Gilmour and Miss Adele Block, leading people of the Majestic, sever their connections with the house June 11. * * All the continuous houses are doing a good business. A. W. THOMPSON.

COLORADO

DENVER.—Business has been rather quiet this last week, owing to the fact that Mrs. Fiske and the Sothern-Marlowe combination took \$16,000 out of the pockets of the theatre-going public.

Broadway Theatre (E. F. McCourt, mgr.) Miss Margaret Anglin, supported by Frank Worthing and a picked company, are delighting Broadway audiences this week. The plays being presented are Zira, Marianne and The Lady Faramount. The company is managed by Frank L. Perley and are meeting with good success.

Elitch's Gardens (Mary Elitch-Long, mgr.) Pretty Peggy is being produced by the Belows Stock Co., assisted by an increased cast. The principal roles are all handled well, and a very pretty production is the result. Miss Buckley, Bruce McRae and Miss Edna Ang are gaining much applause. The Gardens grow prettier and more interesting every day.

Manhattan Beach (H. W. Lawrence, mgr.) Attendance at the Beach is increasing daily. The many attractions furnish plenty amusement to all. The hill in the theatre is a good one, and consists of The Four Juggling Mortons, Joo, and Nellie McCarthy, Herbert and Willing, Besiege Bana, Prof. Minceo, and moving pictures. New Curtia Theatre (A. R. Pelton, mgr.) Dangers of a Great City, and East Lynn, and four big vaudeville acts furnish a good evening's entertainment at the Curtia, and is pleasing large audiences.

New Crystal Theatre (Geo. I. Adams, mgr.) Business very good. The bill this week includes Hanson and Drew, Hillory C. Sloan, Gerard Brothers, J. W. Sherwood, Arthur and Beattie Krona, McNamee, Chas. Orrin Cowles and Dorothy Alden, and moving pictures.

Novelty Theatre (Henry Lubelski, mgr.) Business fine. Those on the hill this week are Laddell, Bates and Ernest, Miss Burton, Albert, The Patricolas, Rice and Walters, and moving pictures. J. D. McGINNIS.

CONNECTICUT

HARTFORD.—Parsons' Theatre (H. C. Parsons, mgr.) The Hunter-Bradford Players opened their summer season May 29, with Christopher, Jr. This company is one of merit, and give an excellent performance. They advertise to give a \$1.50 performance for 50c., and do it. Large audiences gave them a very enthusiastic reception. Next: When We Were Twenty-one.

Poll's Theatre (L. C. Kilby, mgr.) Week May 28 saw the close of a most remarkably successful season of vaudeville. Throughout the entire season the house was filled at every performance, and on more than one occasion the management was compelled to stop selling standing room half an hour before the raise of the curtain. Henry Dixey was the topline of the closing bill. Next week Poll's Stock Co., with Daniel B. Ryan and Alice Fleming, will occupy the house for the

summer, the bill for opening week being An Enemy to The King, and Jim, The Penman. F. G. BLAKESLEE.

WATERBURY.—Jacques Opera House (Jean Jacques, mgr.) Week May 29: Poll's Own Stock Co. in Prince Otto pleased capacity houses. Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall June 5; The Charly Ball 11-12.

Poll's Theatre (Jean Jacques, mgr.) Viola Allen in A Winter's Tale closed the season at this house June 2; large and appreciative audience. Vaudeville performance for benefit of stage hands of Jacques and Poll's theatres June 7.

Mr. James Young and the Viola Allen Co. gave two interesting lectures while in the city, one on A Defense of Shylock and another on Hamlet. Both were largely attended.

ILLINOIS

SPRINGFIELD.—The Chatterton (Geo. W. Chatterton, res. mgr.) Bessy Stock Co. 30-June 3; patronage only fair, good productions, which pleased. Beginning June 4, VanDike Eaton Stock enter upon an indefinite engagement, after which this house closes.

The Gaiety (Smith & Burion, res. mgr.) Excessively hot weather somewhat affects attendance, but "pay dirt" is yet in evidence, and bookings for week 5 include Jimmie Wheeling, monologues; DeLarto Sisters, slung and dancing; Leot and Hyatt, comedy acrobats; Rocco Voco, illustrated songs; Waldron Brothers, German comedians, and molton pictures.

The Olympic (John Berriman, mgr.) Excellent offerings continue and very good attendance has been noted recently. The bill for June 5-11 includes Kittle Moon, singing and dancing; Neola, Juggler; Vivion, female harlot; DeVere and Dixon, comedians; Clint and Bessie, Robinson, comedy sketch.

The Empire (John Connor, prop. and mgr.) A strong average attendance continues and future bookings are being made. For June 5-11 the offering is Bessie Crawford, soprano; Viola Hayward, vocalist; Billy Gray and Master Richard, dialogue; Ida Owens, songstress; Lillian Elliott, serio-comic; The Ketchikins, original dancers; Anna Lloyd, up-to-date songs, and Marie Hofer, soubrette.

DECATUR.—Dreamland Theatre (F. Mallery, mgr.) People for this week: Emerson and Omega, comedy sketch artists; The Garrity Sisters in melange of musical successes; Smith and Arado in Just for Fun; Mabel Cassidy, the California highjacker; Dubec's Dog and Monkey Circus, and the cinematograph. Item—Fred Pelot, of the team of Fred and Anna Pelot, organized a Bush of Raspberries at Powers' Grand Opera House June 2.

PETERSBURG.—U. S. Carnival Co. June 5-11, with twelve good attractions. Feagan's Family Band left here May 29. Join the Wixom Amusement Co. at Durand, Mich.

JOLIET.—Grand Theatre (Louis Goldberg, mgr.) Bill week 5: Kate Brothers, Arthur Borella, Bardona Gilbert, Big Comedy Four, Nellie Vaughan, and the polscope; good business.

INDIANA

EVANSVILLE.—Oak Summit Park (W. B. Merrill, mgr.) Everything opened June 4 with one of the best vaudeville bills ever presented in the city. Following are the people for opening week: Senator Frank Bell, Midge Maitland, Hollman, Hatward and Hayward, Ramsey Sisters, Three Jacksons, Pascatel, and the kinodrome. Extensive improvements have been made here including a new summer theatre with a seating capacity of 2,000. Chas. Sweeton, chief usher of the Grand, has been made treasurer of the park. Circus—The city is heavily billed for Barnum and Bailey's appearance June 13.

Cook's Park. The Three Kays, Reoube Sims, Wolfe and Zaballa, Miss Anna Hall and McIntyre and McEvoy.

MUNCIE.—Star Theatre (R. H. Ongoodby, mgr.) Bill for week 5 included Hazel Selkirk, Hart and Dillon, Jessie Quinlan, Emily T. Howard, T. Williams, and the stroscope.

Wysor Grand Opera House. Parafal in moving pictures 13-14; benefit Red Men.

Casino (Matt Kussell, mgr.) Prince of Good Fellowa week 5.

PERU.—Boyd Park (J. A. Erwin, mgr.) Creator and his band week 29; bad weather, but good business. King Ho-Lo Co. week June 4; opened to S. E. O.

TIPTON.—The Martz (N. S. Martz, mgr.) The Berry Stock Co. week May 29; good business, well received. The Barnard Family June 9.

FRANKFORT.—Billin Theatre (Langebrake & Hufford, mgrs.) Railroad Jaek June 1; fair business. Berry Stock Co. 5-11.

LAFAYETTE.—Carl Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show June 2; capacity at both performances, everyone well pleased.

IOWA

WATERLOO.—Brown's Opera House (C. F. Brown, mgr.) Dark until June 12, when The VanDyke-Eaton Co. opens for one week.

Johnson's Electric Theatre (E. H. Johnson, mgr.) Week May 29: Mitchell and Browning, James Rynave, Feldman and Ball, moving pictures and illustrated songs to big business. Item—Manager Johnson has secured a long lease on Turner Hall and is having it remodeled for his future theatre, the present house being entirely too small to accommodate the crowds. He expects to open the new house about June 19.

GEDAR RAPIDS.—Greene's Opera House (J. B. Henderson, mgr.; W. S. Collier, bus. mgr.) Richard Mansfield in Bean Brummel May 29; capacity house. Henderson Stock Co. played a second week's engagement May 30-June 4; good houses. Howard Dorsett Co. canceled, and the Temple Stock Co. booked in their place June 5-11; Cushman & St. Clair Stock Co. 12-18.

People's Theatre (Edward Curran, mgr.) Good business, despite hot weather. BU week 5.

Dennie and Lottie Reno, Miss Hazel Barer, Adams and Demodee, Ray W. Fay, Harry Barnes, and the polscope. Carl Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show June 14.

DUBUQUE.—Grand Opera House (Wm. T. Roehl, mgr.) Richard Mansfield in Bean Brummel June 1; capacity business. This closes a very successful season.

Bijou Theatre (Joke Rosenthal, mgr.) Closed for the season.

KANSAS

PARSONS.—Electric Park Theatre (H. C. Morehead, mgr.) Down on The Farm May 29-31; excellent business. Rip Van Winkle June 1-3; full houses.

OTTAWA.—The American Cosmopolitan Co. week May 27; good attractions to fair business. W. P. Hall's Shows June 27.

KENTUCKY

LOUISVILLE.—The Jockey Club Park (Matt Winn, mgr.) Duss and his band week June 11. Ninaweb Park (Summer Bros., mgrs.) June 4-10: Music by the orchestra, moving pictures, roller coaster, laughing gallery, cave of the winds and pony track are the attractions, which are doing good business.

Hammer's Park (Casper Hammer, mgr.) Band concerts by Morbach's Band, with the singing of Will Thomas as special attraction to fair business week 4.

Riverview Park (Lnm Simons, mgr.) Eichhorn's Band week 4, with Prof. Boynton's Dog Show as special attraction.

Hopkins' Fontaine Ferry Park (Wm. Reichman, mgr.) The vaudeville bill in the theatre includes Mason's Society Belles, Crawford and Manning, Phyllis Allen, Newell and Nibio, and Apollo. Prof. Harry Cook's Band gives concerts each night before the performance and is proving a good drawing card.

Circus Grounds (Jas. B. Campbell, mgr.) Pain's Port Arthur and grand fireworks June 12-17. Items—Clarence Day and Mabel Crane have joined. * * Geo. Wilkin's Orchestra is playing a season's engagement at Glenwood Park, New Albany, Ind. * * Virginia Murray has joined the Bohman Stock Co. * * C. C. Owsley has charge of the press work at Hopkins' Fontaine Ferry Park. * * Jas. Shallcross was in town last week. * * The Fords are visiting relatives to this city. * * Leslie Thurman is getting together a vaudeville company to take the road shortly.

ORVILLE B. TAYLOR.

OWENSBORO.—Chantanna Park Summer Theatre (Robert Wayne, mgr.) Opened the second week June 5, with LeMaire and LeMaire as the principal feature. Circus—VanAmburg June 5; two big crowds.

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE.—Academy of Music (Nixon & Zimmerman, mgrs.) Miss Grace Cameron in The French Maid was presented for the final week of the season. The work of the company was very much appreciated. Christine Hudson, Frankie St. John and Tillie Salinger were much in demand for their histrionic ability. Miss Cameron captivated the large audiences.

Electric Park (Ang. Fensoman, mgr.) The buildings at this famous resort have been reconstructed and present a much better appearance and afford more conveniences to the patrons. The program for the week is composed of several strong acts. Castle Square Opera Co. in Cavalleria Rusticana, Ethel Robinson, Four Nelson Comiques, Mudge and Morton and Burke's Dog Show were well received. Sig. Phillipini's Banda Savio gives daily concerts.

Monumental Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) Watson's Oriental Burlesquers need no introduction to the patrons. The mere mention of the appellation is sufficient announcement to the many admirers of a first-class entertainment. Jeannette Dupree, handsome and stately, is much admired and very popular. Eisle Leslie has made many friends by her charming performance. The vaudeville acts were very much appreciated. Items—Mr. Charles E. Blaney's Theatre closed after a highly successful season. * * Mr. Geo. N. Bullinger was visiting in the city last week. * * Mr. Blaney's new production, King of The Wild West, met with unprecedented success. The company deserves much credit for its splendid work. Miss Vivian Prescott is deserving of praise for her performance. Lucille Loring, Vivian Prescott and Margie Meredith were presented with floral tributes from the house management. SYLVAN SOHENTHAL, 224 Laurens st.

CUMBERLAND.—Academy of Music. When Johnny Comes Marching Home May 31; fair business. Under caovang—K. G. Barkont Carnival Co. 30-June 3; good business. Shows clean and well managed.

HAGERSTOWN.—Repairs on the Academy of Music commenced June 1. Pen Far attracted an unusually large crowd May 30. The regular season opens June 22.

MASSACHUSETTS

FALL RIVER.—Sheedy's New Bijou. The Buffington Stock Co. presented The Charity Ball week May 30; well pleased audiences. Week June 5; Lost in New York.

The Nickelodeon (M. F. O'Brien, mgr.) Closed week May 30 after a very prosperous season. Will reopen in August. Items—Manager O'Brien resumes his old position at Sheedy's Freebody Park Theatre, Newport, B. I., June 5. * * Advance Car No. 1, Ringling Brothers, was here June 1. The show will be here 22.

HOLYOKE.—Opera House (Jos. Shea, mgr.) Diamond Stock Co. week May 29, presented The Charity Ball to pleased houses. They will remain for the summer.

Mountain Park Casino (Robert Kane, mgr.) Vaudeville and moving pictures to good business.

HAVERHILL.—Academy of Music. Ward & Vokea in A Pair of Pinks closed the season June 3.

MICHIGAN

DETROIT.—Temple Theatre (J. H. Moore, mgr.) Bill for week 5 includes S. Miller Kent, May Duryea and W. A. Mortimer, Vera King, Pat Rooney and Marion Bent, Millman Trio, Chas. Mildare, Al Lawrence, Rice Family, and the kinetoscope; good bill and crowded houses. The Blondella, Pat Rice and others week 12.

Detroit Opera House (H. Parant, mgr.) Richard Mansfield in Bean Brummel and Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde 5-7; crowded houses. Dark week 12.

Lycem Theatre (A. Warner, mgr.) Vangan-

Glaser Co. in A Gilded Fool week June 4; good houses. Aristocracy week June 11.

Lafayette Theatre (Dr. Campbell, mgr.) Lafayette Stock Co. in Hazel Kirk week 4; good houses.

Avenue Theatre (F. Drew, mgr.) Bohemian Burlesquers week 4; good business. Dark next week.

Whitney Theatre (Chas. Altman, mgr.) Vandeville week 4 to good business.

BAY CITY.—The opening of Wenona Beach Park has been postponed indefinitely, owing to a strike of the street car employees, which began Sunday, June 4. There is no change in the situation.

Manager W. J. Dannt of the Washington Theatre, will present vandeville for five days, beginning June 6. The bill will include LeYeen and Cross, physical culture; Leah Russell, the Xiddish soubrette; Hastings and Burns, Midge Fox, The Sisters DeVan, and animated pictures. Items—Harry Earl, press agent of the Wallace Shows, is in town; Wallace Shows here June 4. * * The proposition for a street fair comes before the council June 12, and if the use of the streets is granted there will be a carnival here July 3-8.

KALAMAZOO.—Academy of Music (B. A. Bush, mgr.) Dark week 5.

Casino Park (Dakin & Baird, mgrs.) Bill for week 4: Dalto, Zella and Dottie, Bessley, Hurley and Stevens, Helen Truville, and Williams and Meyer. Circus—Paper is up for Barnum & Bailey June 29.

SAULT STE. MARIE.—Soo Opera House (W. H. Seach, mgr.) Old Arkansaw June 1; good business. Jewell Stock Co. 5-10.

MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS.—Bijou Opera House (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) Vivian's Pappas week 28; fair houses. Dora Thorne week June 4.

Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Grace VanStuddiford in The Red Feather for four nights, starting June 11.

Unique Theatre. Bill week 29 included Leonso, Juggler; Frank Bowman, magic; Alvin Brothers, acrobats; Brydoo's dog circus; Irene Little, illustrated songs; Silvester, Jones and Pringle, imperials of minstrelry, and moving pictures to big business. The house was closed Decoration Day for the funeral of Matthew Gallagher, manager.

Dewey Theatre (H. M. Singer, mgr.) Week 28: Helen May Butler's Ladies' Band pleased good houses. Week June 4: Marsh Craig, Gladys Van, Claudia, Moley and Millery, Burgess, Daniels and Burgess, Southern Sisters, Noblette and Marshall and Frank Dunn.

Wonderland (H. A. Dorsey, mgr.) Big business, 35,000 people visited the park Sunday, June 4.

Forepangh & Sells Brothers' Circus June 5.

ST. CLOUD.—Davidson Opera House (E. T. Davidson, mgr.) The Kinodrome Co. 30; fair business. Orpheum Vandeville Co. June 11; The Breckenridge Stock Co. week 12.

MISSOURI

ST. JOSEPH.—Lycem Theatre (C. U. Phillee, mgr.) The Sothern-Marlowe combination in Much Ado About Nothing, June 1, was greeted by one of the largest and most fashionable audiences ever witnessing a Shakespearean play in this city, and the box receipts proved to be the second largest this season. The Fulton Brothers' Stock Co. have extended their stay until 9, presenting as a closing bill with good success, Lost Paradise. Next: Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. 9-10.

Orpheum Theatre (Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) Dark.

Lytic Theatre (H. Walter VanDyke, mgr.) Papa's Boy is the offering of the VanDyke Stock this week; business continues to be fair. This theatre will close shortly and undergo an entire renovation, the seating capacity will also be considerably increased.

Crystal Theatre (Fred Cosman, mgr.) Being the closing week of this popular playhouse the management has arranged one of the strongest bills of the season. Those appearing are Barnes and Washburn; Marjoe Jeanette Lester, Huslon and Dallas, Vera Hall, Ward-Lester Co., and Cosman's moving pictures.

As it was impossible to get Crystal Park in readiness for the annual opening, 4, Manager Cosman postponed the date until 11.

Casino Theatre, Lake Conrany Park (Frank DeAtley, mgr.) The opening week is proving a satisfactory one, as large crowds are witnessing a good bill which includes Lavine and Walton, Don and Mae Gordon, Tom Riley, Campbell and Brady and Jessie Stockwell.

Japanese Palm Garden (Frank Lorens, mgr.) Inaugural week proved to be a flattering one and the management hopes to make Palm Garden one of the popular resorts in the city.

The attractions for week 4 are F. J. Smith, Carl Charles, The Fusion Play, and Brown's Concert Band.

Krug Park (J. H. VanBrunst, mgr.) Manlin's Fourth Regiment Band furnished music to big crowds week 4.

Lake Conrany Park (Palmer L. Clark, mgr.) Large crowds are visiting the different places of amusement at this popular resort.

NEBRASKA

OMAHA.—Boyd Theatre (Woodward & Burgess, mgrs.) The Ferris Stock Co. continues to please large audiences. Bill for week June 6: The Way of The Transgressor and The Holy City.

Krug Theatre (Chas. Breed, mgr.) Miss Ethel Fuller and The Caldwell Stock Co. closed a successful season week 6. The plays were The Octoroon and Just Before Dawn. Miss Fuller has won many friends by her excellent acting, and has become a great favorite with Omaha theatregoers.

Manawa Lake Park. The warm weather of the past few days has made this beautiful lake resort very popular, and thousands visited the park the past week. In addition to many other attractions, Manager Byrne has engaged for week June 6, Doreville Faclair, who gives two performances daily. His act is a high dive, wrapped in flames of fire. The bathing pavilion was opened, and from now on many will take advantage of the excellent bathing to be had at this lake. New outdoor attractions will be the feature each week during the season, and nothing but first-class attractions will be engaged.

Krug Park. The past week was a good one in the way of attendance at this polite resort, and thousands visited this place of amusement on Decoration Day. Wonderland, the new attraction, opened June 4, and was not only a surprise

but a pleasure to all who enjoyed the trip in a boat through tunnels, decorated in an elaborate manner...

Courtland Beach opened the season on Decoration Day with a good attendance. W. Clifford, in a high-class trapeze act, was the principle feature...

LINCOLN—Oliver Theatre (Frank C. Zehrung, mgr.) E. H. Southern and Julia Marlowe Jace 5; Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. G-S. Fsiton Brothers' Stock Co. open a summer engagement June 13, with The Lost Paradise.

Lyric Theatre (H. M. Miller, mgr.) Week May 29 brought to this house Grassman and Wood, comedians; George Delams, gymnast; George Swan, Kenton and Lorraine, Frank Roberts, and the Lyricope. Under canvas—Gentry Brothers' Dog and Pony Show May 31; great business.

NEBRASKA CITY—Overland Theatre (Clarence Claggett, mgr.) On The Frontier 3; fair business.

NEW JERSEY.

NEWARK—Proctor's (J. Anstin Fyae, gen. mgr.) Vaudeville. There is no noticeable decrease in attendance and there is not likely to be any, as the management will soon commence to copy the theatre with electric fans...

Greater Electric Park (C. A. Dunlap, gen. mgr.) Business is on the increase at this popular resort and indications at this early date are favorable for an unusually successful season...

The Bottomley Troupe of aerial acrobats closed last week and are succeeded on the open-air stage by Litz's troupe of performing dogs. The current vaudeville bill in the German Village consists of Frances Gerard, Carl Herbert, Katzenjammer Trio, Gray and Graham, Henry Frey, Clafflin Sisters, Kenney and Juartell, and the cinematograph.

Waldmann's Opera House closed June 5 with a testimonial benefit to the executive staff, which consists of M. Lovett, treasurer; Leon Evans, assistant treasurer; George F. Turner, doorkeeper and press agent; Dennis Rowe, stage manager; Frederick E. Jacobs, advertising agent, and E. Mueller, orchestra leader...

Hillside Pleasure Park (Harry S. Healey, am. dir.) Kemp's Wild West, which is booked for a ten weeks' engagement, was reinforced last week by the Kansas Kid and his wife, Little Dead Shot, who were recently with On The Trail Co., a western road combination...

Olympic Park (Hans Wevers, mgr.) High-class vaudeville. Items—Gabriel & Langan's Wild West did not open at Zeno Park (formerly the Fram Garden), and the place is now under the management of the owner, Charles H. Waag.

ATLANTIC CITY.—Continued good business is the rule and there seems to be no let up to the new arrivals. Decoration Day was the biggest in the history of the resort. This week we have the Floral Parade, with over 1,000 entries; also the National Hotel Men's Association of United States and Canada, over 5,000 men with their wives and sweethearts to swell the already large crowds.

Young's Pier Theatre and Vaudeville Annex. Fairman's Boston Band, vaudeville, cakewalks, aquatic sports, deep-sea diving and submarine exhibitions to enormous business.

Savoy Theatre. Mamie Fleming Stock Co. week June 5, with a change of bill nightly, opened to big business. The company is very popular here, and carry a carload of special scenery.

Steel Pier. Minstrels, band concerts, etc. to great business.

Steeplechase Pier. Vaudeville, novelties, and the vitagraph to immense business. This pier is a big moneymaker.

The Battle of Gettysburg is doing fine business.

Johnstown Flood, with new electrical features introduced the past week, has capacity business at all times.

Heinz Pier. Big business is the rule at this place.

Deatzel's Galloping Horses and Palace of Amusements is doing a wonderful business.

The Free Arcade is always crowded and new features are being constantly added. Garrick Theatre. The Stock Co. is doing nice business with a weekly change of bill.

Fighting The Flames, packed, jammed and crowded at all times. The Baby Incubator is doing a rushing business.

New Aerial Park, with its Airship, Ferris Wheel and everything well up in the air, is another big moneymaker.

Old Mill, Figure Eight Roller Coaster, Moorish Maze, Palace of Illusion, Miniature Railway, Carousel, Bowling Alley and other attractions are doing well with no cause to complain.

Otto Bahn, in his moving pictures, has another successful attraction.

Doyle's and Governor's Theatres will open shortly with strictly high-class and up-to-date vaudeville. They will both be run as family theatres.

Harriet U. T. C. Co. has been playing the surrounding towns the past week to nice business. Your correspondent visited them at Pleasantville, N. J., June 3, where they showed to S. R. O.

Mr. Koehler, of amusement fame, was a visitor here last week.

Thos. W. Ross, with a cast of 150, is booked at the Savoy for week June 12.

F. B. HUBBIN, 513 Boardwalk.

ASBURY PARK.—Caslo (Beach Com., mgrs.) The Frederick Trevallion Combination, including Phroso, mechanical doll; The Ten-Ichi Troupe of Jspaaese, Dixon and Anger, Pierce Brothers and Pierce, The Baroness VolTommy, Epps and Loretta, and Foster and Williams May 29-June 30; parked good business.

Park Opera House (H. J. Garrity, mgr.) The Tauber-Nasher Stock Co., under the management of Florida & Healy, opened a summer engagement June 1, changing the bill Wednesday and Saturdays. The opening play was Meadow Farm. The specialties, by Lillian Rosewood, King and Campbell, were excellent; business fair. The Old Mill is as attractive as ever, and is doing a rushing business. The Circle Swing and Captive Airship opened Decoration Day to great business. It gives a three-mile ride in five minutes and is going to be a moneymaker. The Johnstown Flood and Mt. Pelee will open this week, and the Roller Toboggan opens June 15.

NEW YORK.

BROOKLYN.—As the evenings grow warm the crowds grow greater at Coney Island and other amusement resorts. Dreamland and Luna Park are drawing big crowds. The Boer War at Brighton Beach has made a big hit and a big season's business is looked forward to. The Brighton Beach Music Hall opened Saturday. Morrison Theatre at Rockaway Beach will open soon. Only a few of the theatres in Brooklyn are now open and in two weeks more all will be closed for the season.

Bijou Theatre (Mary G. Spooner, mgr.) The Spooner Stock Co. presented The Austrian Dancer to good business. Next week: Love in Harness. Broadway Theatre. The Broadway Dramatic Co. presented The Christias. Next week: Old Heidelberg.

Orpheum Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) The Orpheum Opera Co. presented The Chimes of Normandy this week. The opera season here is a very successful one, business being to capacity. Next week: The Wedding Day.

Star Theatre (A. H. Schenberg, mgr.) The Yankee Doodle Girls was the name of the burlesque attraction here this week. The company pleased and business was very good all the week. Manager Schenberg will again be found this season at Manhattan Beach, as manager of Palm's Fireworks.

Luna Park (Thompson & Dundy, mgrs.) The Fall of Port Arthur, the big naval spectacle which is located where the Dunbar was last season, opened last week. This attraction is the leading feature of Luna Park and is the most complete naval spectacle ever produced. Business is very good at Luna Park, and all the shows such as A Trip to the Moon, the big Fire Show and others are doing well. The open-air circus is the big free drawing attraction, and many big circus acts are seen here. New attractions are being added and Luna Park is as wonderful as ever.

From New York to The North Pole (E. J. Austin, mgr.) This big scenic production, from the St. Louis Fair, has captured Coney Island and is doing capacity business. The show more than pleases.

Brighton Beach Music Hall (Wm. T. Grover, mgr.) This popular music hall opened Saturday with a big vaudeville bill as follows: Wilfred Clark & Co., The Great Bopoll, Belle Hathaway and her boboons and moskers, The LaMaze Brothers, Harrigan, the juggler; Charlotte Ravenscroft, Bissert and Scott, and The Melrose Sisters.

Bostock's, Coney Island (Frank C. Bostock, mgr.) This attraction proved to be the most popular one at Coney Island and is doing capacity business. The fearless Bonavita and his lions are the leading feature. The other acts that make up the sensational bill are Morell and her kangars, Rey (Fils) and his mixed gronpe, Aurora and her trained Polar bears, and many others. New acts are being added continually. Creation is doing a record breaking business. This attraction is located in Dreamland and is considered one of the best attractions. No one should miss seeing it.

Dreamland, Coney Island (W. H. Reynolds, pres.) The warm weather has greatly improved business at Dreamland and all the attractions are now doing big business. Creation, the big St. Louis Fair attraction, is drawing big crowds and it is an attraction that surpasses in scenic effects and without a doubt the best show of its kind ever produced. The Midget City and The Flea Circus are drawing well. Bostock's big Wild Animal Show turns them out daily. Fighting The Flames is as popular as ever. Touring Europe, Canals of Venice, The Bumps and The Airship also get a big share of the receipts. The free, open-air Hippodrome pleases many. The line of steamboats from New York direct to Dreamland bring thousands of visitors. A line of automobiles from Manhattan (New York Theatre) are run direct to Dreamland.

Brighton Beach Park (Wm. A. Brady, mgr.) Capt. A. W. Lewis' great Boer War is the leading attraction here and four performances are given daily to big crowds. The Boer War has made a hit here, and no doubt but what the season will be very profitable to the management. The attraction is handsomely billed and the press has been very good to the Boer War

and many nice notices are seen in all of the New York papers. H. C. Duce deserves great credit for the manner that he has handled the press for this attraction, as he has obtained more notices than any of the large circuses or other attractions that have been here in several years. The Johnstown Flood (H. A. Bradwell, mgr.) This popular attraction at Coney Island draws well. A free bus connects this attraction with From New York to The North Pole.

Bergen Beach, located on Jamaica Bay, was many a new attraction this year.

North Beach. The North Beach Amusement Co. report business very good and all concessions are doing big business.

Galveston Flood (James McKane, pres.) The Galveston Flood is one of the popular scenic productions at Coney Island. Mr. James B. Driscoll, of this attraction, reports business here very good.

Midget City (L. J. Rodrigney, mgr.) This unique attraction is one of the drawing cards of Dreamland. Mrs. Tom Thumb and many other midgets are seen here. The Midget City Circus and Theatre amuse all.

Palm's big spectacle, fireworks and Port Arthur will open at Manhattan Beach, New York, next week, and the Manhattan Beach Theatre will also open at the same time. G. H. HAKES, 29 Broadway, N. Y. C.

ELMIRA.—Rorick's Theatre (Herbert Salinger, mgr.) Matthew's Minstrels 29-June 3; capacity business. Manhattan Opera Co. in Billie Taylor 5-10.

Rialto Theatre (F. W. McConnell, mgr.) Morgan and Craze, The Tally Ho Duo, Phillips and Merritt, May Neilson, Lillian Hall, Joe Kelly, James D. Proadlove, and the biograph drew good houses 29-June 3. J. M. BEERS.

OHIO.

CINCINNATI.—The spirit of outdoor amusement and recreation has struck Cincinnati in a manner that almost depopulates her streets during the evening hours and on Sundays. The lacquet season promises to eclipse all former years in the outdoor amusement line. Coney Island, Chester Park and the Lagoon are all doing fine business, and the Zoo, open every day in the year, comes in for its full share of patronage. Ben Greet promises to put on some revivals of Shakespeare in the well-shaded campus adjoining the University, the engagement beginning June 23 and lasting two days. It is a popular movement, being in the interest of the University, and will undoubtedly be well patronized.

The Chester Opera Co. opens at Chester Opera House June 18, with a big company, of which Carrie Reynolds, recently of the Lillian Russell Co., is at the head. Rehearsals have already begun under the direction of Stage Manager Frank Stammers, and The Belle of New York will be the opening bill. Light comedy of the musical variety, will prevail instead of comic opera which has held sway for several seasons. Cecelia Rhoda, of the Nixon & Zimmermann forces, is to be the prima donna. Miss Della Nevin, a favorite at Chester three years ago and during the season just closed, having been a member of The Marriage of Figaro Co., is a member of the opera company. Edna Lewis, the clever little soubrette, will also be a member. Among the gentlemen principals are James McElhern, of the Nixon & Zimmermann forces; Sam Mylie, the nactus comedian who is well known to Cincinnati theatregoers; Carlick Major, baritone, and Charles Fulton, Sell Simonson, recently of the Pitt, Paft, Pout Co., is musical director, and Lester Brown is stage director. The chorus has been selected from leading musical comedy companies, and Manager Martia promises something excellent in this line.

Musical circles enjoyed rather highly the farewell concert given by the young Cincinnati musician, Carl Gantvoort, who took this method of bidding farewell to his many friends before his departure for Europe to take up a study which will fit him for grand opera. Mr. Gantvoort is possessed of a wonderful baritone voice which bids fair to become world-famous. He is exceedingly popular in the Jaen City. His farewell concert received an ovation.

Work upon the remodeling of the Vine Street Opera House has begun, and things begin to look like business on Cincinnati's Broadway.

The Coney Island management had as guests last Tuesday the Bethel Orphans, who were given a ride to the resort and return free of charge. These outings proved so popular in former years that they will be revived this year and every inmate of our institutions for the afflicted or the poor will be given an opportunity to see the beauties of Coney Island before the season ends. The Stamina League had an outing Saturday, and almost owned the Island for the day. The resort has been playing to big business. Free dancing and the free vaudeville are strong features and draw like magic.

Beautiful Lagoon, advertised extensively as "a Place of Joy," is renewing its popularity with the amusement lovers of the Queen City, and played to good business all week. The new attractions, Bumps, Myth City and Fair Japan are doing an immense business. Two big outings have been booked for the resort for June 18. The local Tribe of Ben Hur has its regular outing at the Keatney resort on this day, also the Odd Fellows of neighboring Kentucky cities. Manager Weaver is mapping out a big program to entertain these visitors on that day. The Lagoon will have a large number of outings and special days. Vaudeville is making a hit at the Lagoon.

Chester Park rounded out a three weeks' business Saturday which would do credit to any resort in the country. Manager Merlia's promises have all been more than filled. The bathing beach opened Sunday and was well patronized. On the vaudeville stage were Mme. Du Vrie's Bears, LeDeat, Dill and Ward, McCune and Grant, Sawtelle and Sears. Smitty's Band continues to grow in popularity. A great event is looked for at the opening of the opera season.

At the Zoo, Ellery's Band is the crowning feature. This resort continues to be much in favor with the newspaper fraternity and columns of matter are printed weekly concerning the doings of the animals, etc., besides the musical feature.

CLEVELAND.—The summer season is on, all the gardens and parks are opened or will be opened at the closing of the week. Last week marked the closing of Keith's, the popular home of vaudeville, the Opera House, and the Cleveland. Keith's has had upon its board good bills at all times and has featured some of the biggest headliners in vaudeville today. The Opera House has had a fairly successful season of forty

weeks, opening up with a new production, and closing with a revival. The Cleveland closed with A Cowley's Daughter, thus ending a splendid season. They will again throw their doors open about Aug. 15. The Colonial, the only one of the regular theatres that will remain open during the summer months, presented The Only Way. Mr. Waldron gave a very good impersonation of Sidney Cartoo, and moved up many rounds in the estimation of the patrons. Mr. Camp as Defarge, Mr. Greenleaf as Daray, and Miss Jackson's Mimi, were particularly good. The scenery was in Mr. Brunton's best view.

The offering of the Euclid Avenue Garden Opera Co. was The Girl From Paris, and was pleasantly given. Mr. Clarence Harvey as Hans, was amusing. Miss Josie Latropidi as the tyrannical Mrs. Hoacomb, played the part with a thorough appreciation of its humorous qualities, not exaggerating them, she made every point tell. Miss Behr was the original Ruth, and repeated the good impression she created during the first production.

The second week of the Coliseum saw a delightful tabloid drama of Don Caesar de Bazaa, and its humor and dash make it fit a admirably with this summer weather. Mr. Hinford had a better chance to show the variety of his powers than last week, for he added profound sentiment and honest indignation to his portrayal of lively and diverting impudence and reckless humor. Miss Margaret Oswald gave a very clever portrayal of Lazzalo. The balance of the company was well placed.

Johns Beck Symphony Orchestra played with more smoothness and better style than last week.

The Cherry Blossoms Burlesquers, paid their second visit to the Star and were just as welcome as they were on their previous occasion.

The Barnum & Bailey Show gave two performances in Cleveland June 5 to capacity. One of the new rules of this show is to have no street parade, in order to give the performers time to rest up for the practice of new feats. Under the old dispensation the performers were so sooner out of their beds in the morning that they were in their marching togs and when they doffed them tired and hungry, they bolted a hasty meal and then had a quick race with time to get into their tights for the matinee performance. The change is noticeable in the smoothness of the performance. Never a hitch, never a blunder; an army of men, a myriad of acts moved along successfully and serenely. The program was the most varied, skilled and diverting ever seen in Cleveland. The big sensations are Looping The Gap, a bicycle act of Volo, which is fully as interesting as last year, and the Dip of Death, in which Mile. de Tiers rides down a curved track that sends her flying, head down, through the air, until she strikes the track many feet away. One of the most amusing, not to say artistic performance was a game of baseball, played by one of the clowns, who deserves a place in the feature acts, for a clever pantomime it has never been my pleasure to witness. Among the other performers, the Bose Westworth Trio, The Rooney and The Brun-Lecsson Troupe gave some remarkable riding, tumbling and driving. The Imperial Vices Troupe of Acrobats are doing ever more marvelous feats this year than they did last season, when it seemed the limit of lagoonity, skill and daring had been reached. Others who won favor were Ella Bradna, Oulka Meers and Dottie Julian, The Florenz Troupe, The Grunath Troupe and Messrs. Ledgett and Derrick.

Ingersoll's Circus Park attracted thousands of pleasure seekers during the past week. Last Saturday the Tammany Club of Cleveland entertained the Democratic Club of Chicago at the park, and fully 50,000 persons attended. The circus features this week are some attractive trapeze work by the Flying Bathmans; a dive for life was contributed by Bamsman, who rides down an inclined ladder sixty feet above the ground on a bicycle and plunges head foremost into the water below; Belle Stone surprises the spectators by weeding her way up a circular incline, then down again, in her aerial globe. In addition to all of these there was an excellent band concert by the Carnegie Band. Item—Mr. R. H. McLaughlin has joined the White City On The Lake force as assistant to Mr. Geo. T. Kerr, director of the publicity department. Mr. McLaughlin was connected with Keith's Theatre here as press representative during the past season and will be in a position to get some very interesting press notices in the local papers. P. C. MOONEY.

TOLEDO.—The Arcade is the only regular theatre that is running in the city. Considering the weather the Douglas Stock Co., which is playing there, is doing well in the matter of attendance. All The Comforts of Home, by Wm. Gillette, was the attraction 4-10. Any thing that Gillette does is done well, and the players gave a clever interpretation of the comedy, the honors falling to Mr. Douglas. Mr. Beamish and Miss Browne also shared honors. Pink Dominoes will be on 10-16.

Of the park theatres, the Casino outdrew the Farm, as far as audiences were concerned, but the bill at the latter was on a par with the acts put on at the former. In addition to its theatre, the Casino has a midway, with numerous attractions to catch the eye of the public. All the concessions report very good business for the first two weeks, it being estimated that 7,000 persons patronized the scenic railway on the opening day, and other amusements in proportion. The acts put on at the Casino, 4-10, were Theodore Esboock & Co. in an unusually clever playlet, entitled Two Friends. The act went big and was followed by Josephine Gasman and her "Picks"; Talbot and Rogers, conversational comedians; Alton and Thelma in an operatic sketch; Bash and Gordoa, comiques, and Ida O'Day with her banjo. The kladrome closed the bill, which seemed to please the audience.

At the Farm, Msnager Pearlstein handed out the following acts to fair attendance 4-10. Tommy Russell & Co. in a sketch written by Mr. Russell, asmed Cross Purposes. The star, who, by the way, is a brother of Annie Russell, is ably assisted by Msrion Berg and Louis Grizel. Other players on the bill were Cal Stewart and wife in a Down East act; Chas. McDonald, with a good monologue; Manning and Drew in The Irish Pwnbrokers; The Flood Brothers, presenting an acrobatic turn that was rather better than most of its kind, and Grace Leonard in songs and impersonations. Circus—The Wallace Brothers' Show appeared here June 1, and was greeted by two record breaking crowds. The circus is up to its usual standard, which means that it was excellent. Barnum & Bailey's Show is billed 7. J. J. Rosenthal has received messages from

Walter Lawrence, manager of the Madison Square Theatre, New York, and Harry Askin, of the Grand Opera House, Chicago, saying that they will be present at the opening of The Girl That Looks Like Me, which Kathryn Osterman will put on at the Casino the week of June 19, for the monster benefit to the Elks. Should the comedy strike the managers favorably they will book it for their cities. Besides Miss Osterman the cast will include Walter Craven, Gavin Harris, Roland Sargent, Knute Erickson, Fanny McIntyre, Mattie Vickers, Charlotte Townsend, Jane Darra and Hazel Harroun.

Frank Burt, the owner of the Lyceum and Burt's Theatres, of this city, has leased the Webb Opera House at Peru, Ind., and will operate it in connection with his houses at Lafayette, Huntington, Ft. Wayne, Lima and Youngstown. It is understood that Mr. Starr, of the theatrical firm of Starr & Nichol, is interested with Mr. Burt in his latest venture.

B. Q. LUSING.

CANTON.—Park Theatre (L. B. Cool, mgr.) More favorable weather has greatly increased business. The excellent bill for week 11 includes Johnson and Davenport and Lorella, Allen Drove & Co., Pete Baker, Kelley and Violette, Manning and Drew and Ida O'Day.

Ehret's Park (A. Ehret, mgr.) This resort is becoming more popular each week and business is great. The DaCameron Sisters, Chester LaVaughn and Charles Boss furnish the entertainment in the theatre.

Garden Theatre (M. Manning, mgr.) Diamond and Diamond, Jennings and Beatfrew, Ada Harris and Lily Wood are pleasing good audiences. Mr. Manning has installed a number of new electric fans and will run all summer.

DAYTON.—Lakeside Park (Jas. A. Kirk, mgr.) Bill for opening week, May 28, drew capacity business and included The Crispy Trio and Holman, Hayward and Hayward. Bill week June 4: Rosar Trio and The Great Jansen Co.

Odeon Theatre (L. O. Hartsock, mgr.) Bill week June 5: The Sloanes, Dasy LeDale, Eugene Victor, and The Gordons; excellent business. Fairview Theatre (Al. Ward, mgr.) Bill week June 4: The Tenneaus, Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood, Arto and Delmay, Edith Doyle and Joe Hardman to capacity business.

AVON.—Avon Park (J. W. Weas, mgr.) The Avon Opera Co. closed their engagement at the park June 3 in The Chimes of Normandy to good business. Bill 4-10: Fitzgerald and Boma Sisters, jugglers; Alice Lindon, doll vocalist; Davis and McCauley, comedy sketch; Bell Viola, contortionist and dancer, and Spisecell Brothers and Mack, comedy acrobats.

STUEBENVILLE.—Stanton Park Theatre (F. C. Workman, mgr.) The Robinson Opera Co., 29-June 3, did big business notwithstanding cool weather. They remain four weeks longer.

CAMBRIDGE.—Colonial Theatre (Hammond Bros., mgrs.) Rose Melville in Sis Hopkins 6; delighted large audience. This attraction closed the season.

UBRICHSVILLE.—City Opera House (Elvira and VanOstran, mgrs.) The Cutter Stock Co. May 29-June 2; only fair business, excellent company.

PENNSYLVANIA

JOHNSTOWN.—Cambria Theatre (H. W. Sherer, mgr.) Isle of Spice May 31 (return); good business. Nan Patterson June 2; fair business. Mme. Schumann-Heink in Love's Lottery 3; fair business.

New Luna Park opened the season Decoration Day with attendance of from 8,000 to 10,000 people. The vaudeville performances in the theatre pleased big houses all week. The roller coaster, tangleing gallery and other attractions did good business. Cushman's Minstrels will be the attraction week 5. The new carousel will be in operation 10. Circus—Washburn & D'Alma's Trained Animals 10.

SHAMOKIN.—G. A. R. Opera House (J. F. Oiler, mgr.) Dark.

Family Theatre (W. D. Nields, mgr.) Bill week 5: Tom Gillen, Al and Pysner, The Holdsworths, Greve and Green, Merritt and Bosella, and moving pictures to good houses. Week 12: Zeranons and Sisters, Hess, Mason and Francis, J. W. Sherry, Conroy and Manning. Circus—Bard Brothers' Show June 7.

WILLIAMSPORT.—Vallmont Pavilion (L. A. Pray, mgr.) The Vallmont Stock Co. week 29, produced The Charity Ball and Woman Against Woman to big business. Week June 5: My Friend From India and The Danites. Circus—Washburn & D'Alma's Trained Animal Show May 31; pleased good business.

CORRY.—Minnelli Brothers Dramatic Co., under canvas, opened a week's engagement here June 5, in one of the most terrific rain storms ever witnessed in this city to S. R. O.; company excellent.

BRADFORD.—New Bradford Theatre (Jay North, mgr.) Dilger Cornell Stock Co. 29-June 4; fair business, good specialties. Circus—Pawnee Bill's Wild West June 5; pleased good business.

TEXAS

SAN ANTONIO.—Electric Park (S. H. Weiss, mgr.) Albert Taylor Stock Co. in Lady of Lyons 19-20; Money 21-22; Because He Lover Her So 23-25. Mr. Taylor and his well balanced company are drawing large crowds.

CLEBURNE.—Brown's Opera House (John C. Brown, mgr.) World's Greatest Minstrels June 3; fair business.

TYLER.—Grand Opera House (A. Hicks, mgr.) Boston Ideal Opera Co., week 29; fair business.

VERMONT

RUTLAND.—Opera House (Boyle & Brehmer, mgrs.) The American Flag 30; fair business. The Magistrate June 7-8; Edwin J. Hadley's Moving Pictures 9; Henrietta Crossman in Nance Oldfield and Madeline 23.

Park Theatre (Felix Biel, mgr.) Dorothy Lewis Co. week 29; good houses. Mand Hillman Co. week June 5.

ST. ALBANS.—Wangha's Opera House (T. E. Waugh, mgr.) Colonial Stock Co. 29-June 8; only fair business. Quincy Adams Sawyer 5.

WISCONSIN

MILWAUKEE.—Fire completely destroyed Exposition Music Hall on the evening of June 4. In one hour after the fire started the vast building was in ruins. Many noted gatherings have been held in this building during its twenty-four years of existence. The original cost was \$300,000. No plans have been made as yet

as to the future, but it is said that a modern hall, costing about \$500,000, will be erected. Creator and his band were to have opened an engagement there for June 5, and the entire hall had been redecorated for the event. The origin of the fire is attributed to crossed wires.

Wonderland. The crowds all flock to Wonderland, and certainly get what they want by going to the new park. Nelson, who was injured in making a slide for time, May 27, is getting along fine. His act is being duplicated by The Rocket, who came from New York City to take Nelson's place.

Fabst Park on the north side of the city has many attractions to draw the crowds, and it gets its share of the business.

Davidson Theatre. Mr. Richard Carte in The Mayor of Tokio week 4; well received and pleased good business.

Bijou Theatre. The James Boys in Missouri is pleasing good business. This engagement will not close the season as stated, but Dora Thorne will be in evidence next week.

Manager Thannsoner has returned from New York, where he has been to secure plays and players for his new company. A. T. BARNNDT.

KENOSHA.—Rhode Opera House (Jos. G. Rhode, mgr.) Dark.

Bijou Family Theatre (O'Brien & Jones, props; Ed. C. Davla, loc. mgr.) Bill for week 5 includes Frank Bowen, Fish and Allyz, Ernie Selby, Connors and Kelly, Deda Walker, Beaumont and Hayward, DeAerlene, Wm. Gross, The Doree Troupe, and moving pictures to good business. JAKE J. DISCH.

JANESVILLE.—West Side Theatre (C. Brudick, mgr.) Bill for week May 28: Knight and Sawtelle, Lea and Fay Durbyelle, Corbett and Forrester, Marie Dockerman, Santos and Morley and Geo. Hatob. Circus—Forepangh & Sells Circus May 30; big business, good show. * * * Al and Alf Ringling visited the show here.

FOND DU LAC.—Crescent Opera House (P. B. Haber, mgr.) The Bennett-Monilton Stock Co. week May 29; good houses. Circus—Forepangh & Sells Brothers' Circus May 31; fair business. Owing to the condition of the ground the horse and elephant acts were not given.

LA CROSSE.—Bijou Theatre (W. F. Gallagher, mgr.) Bill for week June 4 includes Prof. McGrath, world's champion head balancer; Eva Thatcher and Jennings and Jewell. The house has been equipped with new electric fans, and will remain open all summer.

CANADA

TORONTO, ONT.—Grand (A. J. Small, prop.) The second week of Eugenie Blair was a success. The star scored strongly as Nancy Sikes in Oliver Twist; support excellent. Next week (by request) East Lynne.

Princess (O. B. Sheppard, mgr.) The Press Club presented A Bachelor's Romance 6 to a fine audience. The performance was given under the patronage of Earl and Countess Grey. Egbert Durand, a young Toronto actor, was seen to advantage in one of the principal roles. A handsome souvenir was given to the patron. At the Varsity Residence Garden, Ben Greet and his company appeared to large audiences, to repertoire, 7-10.

Massey Hall (S. Houston, mgr.) Prof. Yamagata gave an exhibition of Jiu-Jitsu, assisted by local talent, 6, to a fair audience.

Hanlan's Point (Charles W. McMahon, amns. mgr.) Manager McMahon had a splendid opening bill for week 5, which pleased immense gatherings. The Bambam-Farrar Co. in their cabinet act, The Bradys, Laroy Brothers, Louise Schmitz, Phillips and Merritt, etc. The regular features, such as The Old Mill, The Magic Tunnel and Palace of Mirth, were well patronized. Munro Park (W. Banks, mgr.) A series of fine military band concerts, with solos and other features, drew large crowds 5-10. Next week a big vaudeville bill will be given. J. A. GIMSON.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Opera House (A. O. Sktner, mgr.) Nell Twoney Stock Co. 30-June 3; fair business and performance. Hunting for Hawkins was scheduled for June 5-6, but no paper in sight.

York (R. J. Armstrong, mgr.) Sweet Clover will return June 12, and will present a new piece, The Post Commander. Circus—A merry war of lithographs is being waged between the vanguards of Lemon Brothers' Circus and Seils & Downs' Shows. The former was here June 6, and the latter is billed for 22.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—Opera House (Chas. A. Prue, mgr.) Richards & Pringle's Minstrelia May 13; pleased good audience. John Griffith in Macbeth 18; good house. Henrietta Crossman in Nance Oldfield and Madeline June 6.

Additional Correspondence.

ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM.—East Lake Casino (M. L. Lemon, mgr.) Open summer season June 5 with the Olympia Musical Comedy Co. in Sald Pasha for the first three days and Baccaccio for balance of week; packed houses, pleasing performances.

CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES.—Mason Opera House (H. C. Wyatt, loc. and mgr.) Week June 5, Nat. C. Gowlin and his able company of twenty-five members are on the boards for five nights and the usual matinees, presenting a revival of several plays, including his greatest comedy A Gilded Fool. Others will be An American Citizen and The Usurper. The advance sale of seats has been very large and a good run seems assured.

Burbank Theatre (Oliver Morocco, loc. and mgr.) Juanita of San Juan, by the Burbank Stock Co., is the attraction this week. When the play was presented before every record for attendance held by this place of amusement was shattered and the management would not have withdrawn the piece had it not been for the contracts already signed for the production of another play, and is now reviving the play because the many demands from patrons. A well-filled house greeted the players opening night.

Belasco Theatre (J. B. Blackwood, mgr.) What Happened to Jones, presented by the Belasco Stock Co., is filling this playhouse. The entire cast gives an hilarious portrayal of the things that happened to Jones, and not one laugh was missed opening night. Grand Opera House (Thomas Baker, mgr.)

The Ulrich Stock Co. in Fabio Boman, a dramatization of Marie Corelli's famous novel The Vendetta, is thrilling enough to ault the Grand patrons who turned out en masse opening night and unanimously declared by their hearty applause that this was the best production at the Grand this season.

Orpheum (Clarence Drown, mgr.) Della Fox, the well-known comic opera star, makes her first vaudeville appearance here, featuring the cigarette song, in which she made her big bit in Wang, besides other catchy songs. She received quite an ovation opening night. Mabelle Adams, announced as a character violinist, kept up her reputation of being able to hold any audience by her artistic work. Emmett Corrigan and his company are seen to advantage in a new sketch that made good. Burke, LaRue and Inky Boys in fun and music; Henri French and his odd bag of tricks; Harry and Halvers with songs and dances; John Birch in his one man melodrama, and new motion pictures are crowding this popular house every performance.

Cbntes Park and Theatre (Henry Koch, mgr.) Among the free outside attractions the Zarrow Family of sensational acrobatic cyclists are easily first. They give Leaping the Gap and the marvellous Cycle Dazzle afternoon and evening. Capt. Cowinsky coats the chutes incline on an ordinary bicycle and Prof. Grant Randall, in a daring balloon ascension and parachute jump complete the open air attractions. Donatelli's Italian Band Concerts are still a feature of the entertainment, and good reports from concessionaires are the rule. On June 8 the Knights of Columbus have rented the park in its entirety, and will hold an elaborate celebration in honor of visiting delegates. The Monarch Vaudeville Association has been presenting good bills in the theatre. D. W. FERGUSON.

COLORADO

CRIPPLE CREEK.—Grand Opera House (W. R. Grler, mrr.) T. Daniel Frawley in Ransom's Folly, June 4.

Palm Theater (Chas. Alphin, mgr.) Hedden-dorf and Kranse, Lou Her, Tulsa, Sam Hood, Onaida, and the palmograph to good business.

The Crystal (Wm. H. Hilton, mgr.) Fraser Comedy Co., Elyl McIntosh, Al Christal, Prof. Moss, The Carters, The Aronas, The Hylands, The Shanty Town Trio, and the kinetoscope to splendid business.

CONNECTICUT

BRIDGEPORT.—Poll's (Jos. Criddle, mgr.) The Stock Co. in My Wife's Husband pleased large audiences. Next: Under Two Flags.

Steeplechase Island (Geo. C. Tilyou, mgr.) A picanniny band of thirty-five piece-a from Norfolk, Va., was the feature week June 5.

GEORGIA

ATLANTA.—The Star (J. R. Thompson, mgr.) Ailanis, the beautiful fire dancer, with a chorus of sixteen girls, headed a very attractive bill at this theatre for week 5. The bill pleased and drew well.

The Casino (Jake Wells, mgr.) The Wells-Dunn-Harlan Comedy Co. offered the Atlanta favorites, Little Ohio and Mary Marie, aided by a most excellent supporting cast, in The Little Host, for week 5. Crowded houses greeted every performance. This company always sees its best endeavors to please, and the public shows its appreciation of their efforts by liberal attendance. Walter Edwards Co., in Tambling of The Shrew for next week. D. E. MOOREFIELD, 812 Fourth National Bank Building.

ILLINOIS

CHICAGO.—Illinois Theatre (Will J. Davis, mgr.) Geo. M. Cohen in Little Johnny Jones.

Powers' Theatre (Harry Brown, mgr.) The Isle of Bong Bong.

Grand Opera House (Harry Askin, mgr.) Lew Fields' Co. in It Happened in Nordland; turn away business.

Great Northern Theatre (Fred C. Eberts, mgr.) Buster Brown.

McVicker's Theatre (Geo. C. Warren, bna. mgr.) Dark this week. Commencing Saturday, 17, Sky Farm.

Stadabaker Theatre (R. E. Harmeier, mgr.) Richard Carle in The Mayor of Tokio.

Garrick Theatre (Samuel P. Gerson, mgr.) Dark this week. Commencing Sunday, 18 The Woggle Bang.

La Salle Theatre (R. E. Mackey, bus. mgr.) The Isle of Spite.

Hyde & Behman's Theatre (Archie H. Ellis, mgr.) Kafocelum.

Bush Temple Theatre (Elizabeth Schroeber, mgr.) Closed for the season.

People's Theatre (Leslie J. Davis, mgr.) Beginning of summer season of Comic Opera. Fra Diavolo this week.

Albamba Theatre (J. H. Brown, mgr.) Closed for the season.

Columbus Theatre (Weber Bros., mgrs.) The Man from Mexico.

Olympic Theatre (A. Jacobs, mgr. for Kohl & Castle.) Week 12, George W. Monroe, De-Serris Art Studios, Empire Comedy Fonr, Mons. Clivette, Wilson Trio, Fredo & Dare, Hawley & Leslie, Flood Brothers, Shantytown Trio, Lyne and Kennedy, DeZartog Sisters, Rata Curtis, Goforth & Dove, Montgomery & Rice and Geo. E. Spoor's Kinodrome.

Chicago Opera House (Kohl & Castle, mgrs.) Commencing Monday, 12, The Land of Nod. First time on any stage.

Trocadero Theatre. Stock: Burlesque.

Folly Theatre. Week 11, The Black Crook Burlesquers.

Coliseum Garden (Stewart Spaulding, mgr.) Weber's Prize Band.

Casino Garden. Brooke's Band. WARREN A. PATRICK.

MASSACHUSETTS

SPRINGFIELD.—Poll's Theatre (Chas W. Fonda, mgr.) Folly's Stock Co. opened June 5 with Soldiers of Fortune. Paul McAllister, in the leading role, made a pronounced hit, also Miss Beth Franklin, who carries the leading female parts. The appointing company is all that could be desired, Paul Barnett, Olive West, Ag-

nes Mark, Charles Barringer, Ogden Stevens and Bertram Harcastle each showing high ability. The company is under the management of Frederick Bond, who also plays the comedy part with good effect; good business. Next week The Henrietta will be presented. Circus—More than 25,000 people saw Kingling Brothers' Circus at Hnapuden Park, June 5, the great tent being crowded at both performances. The company came in Sunday, and with plenty of time to get ready, all parts of the mammoth entertainment were put through promptly and smoothly. The general opinion is that Kingling Brothers are now running the greatest show in the world.

MINNESOTA

ST. PAUL.—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Week 4 was divided between Charley's Aunt and Little Lord Fauntleroy, both presented by the Ferris Stock Co., which during the short stay, received much favorable comment. E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe, 12-14. The regular stock season opens June 16 with the Metropolitan Players, headed by Wm. Morris and Miss Dorothy Donnelly.

Grand Opera House (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) Nettie The Newsgrl, week 4; good satisfaction. This is the closing show.

Star Theatre (J. C. VanRood, mgr.) Week 4: Helen May Butler's Band and a fine olio did good business all week. Next: Vaudeville.

Orpheum Music Hall (Chas. Frerck, mgr.) Vaudeville all summer.

Forepangh-Sells Circus was at Minneapolis 5, but passed by St. Paul on account of high license.

The parks are all doing a good business, Wildwood leading. The new attraction, together with judicious advertising, packed this popular resort. Lake Phelan will be in good running order by July 1.

Concerts will be given at Como Park, June 18-25, and daily thereafter.

Harriet Island (public baths) has three concerts a week. Dr. Chace has succeeded in making this resort a most popular one. JAS. J. McMAHON.

MISSOURI

ST. LOUIS.—The summer heat has already set in in St. Louis, with the result of increased business at the summer resorts. While the gardens have all provided excellent attractions, we still miss the great World's Fair of a year ago. The Alps of World's Fair fame will open its gates to the public on June -th, and the outlook is good, as all the fair attractions have been retained. What is doing chiefly is as follows:

Forest Park Highlands. The benefit of the St. Louis Police Relief Association is drawing increased business to Forest Park Highlands this week. The opening Sunday was immense, and the vaudeville pleased greatly. Among the acts were: Powell's Manikins, Klein, Opt Brothers, and Nickerson, Ford Brothers and Sisters, Empire Comedy Four, Avery Strakosh and the biograph; business good.

Summer Garden. Will's Comedians in Hooligan's Troubles opened to good business Sunday. The show pleased, and the cast proved capable; added specialties made much interest to the show; business satisfactory.

Delmar Garden. The Bounders was selected for Monday night's opening, and to a good audience. The company pleased and the musical nicely staged. Gus Weinberg joins the company next week in A Girl from Dixie. He is a St. Louis favorite, and will add to the popularity of the Delmar Company; business fair.

West End Heights.—Increasing business is reported at West End Heights. Mr. Washburn and Saylor's Co. have caught on. It is a clever stock company and gives an entirely pleasing performance. Pink Dominoes is this week's selection, and is popular.

Mannon's Park. Opened to good business on last Sunday. The Vaudeville bill pleased; it contains acts by Heely and Meely, Marshall Lorraine, a rebel and Love, Does and Nodony, Bonnie Gaylord and others.

Imperial Theatre.—The Benjaro Stock Co. opened its last week with The Butterflies, and it was nicely put on. The company has done only a fair business, but gave the public its money's worth. Weather and the only down town theatre open was hard to run against. The four weeks' season was not successful.

Globe Theatre.—Manager Rice has decided to remain open throughout the summer. His Sunday performances were well attended, and a pleasing vaudeville program put on, consisting of acts by Billie Barker, Baby Cecil, Mack Curren, Dorothy Heitman, Lulu Besselman, Metropolitan Quartette and the kinetograph; business satisfactory. Items.—Mr. C. Lee Williams reports good business with the Hagenbeck Trained Animal Show. * * * A letter from Dan S. Fishell, of the Barnum & Bailey Shows, is convincing in its report of big business. * * * It looks as though St. Louis will positively have two new theatres this fall. * * * Marshall P. Wilder and C. Todd are doing nicely with their concessions at Delmar and Forest Park Highlands. * * * Mr. Richard Spamer will handle the press end of the Alps this summer. * * * The large horse, Jumbo, was lost through death by the U. S. Carnival Co. as an attraction. * * * Mr. C. S. Sullivan, of the Dora Thorne Co., is in St. Louis cooling off before returning to New York.

WILL J. FARLEY.

KANSAS CITY.—Warm weather has set in in earnest and with the regular theatrical season closed the parks are having it all their own way. If business continues at the present record-breaking rate it will indeed be a prosperous summer for the out-door manager.

The Grand (Hudson & Judah, mgrs.) Although the season here is closed, the house will be open week 11 to allow the Pollard Juvenile Opera Co. give their repertoire of light operas.

The Gilles (E. S. Brigham, mgr.) Across The Desert was the attraction week 4, and in spite of the warm weather business was very fair. Season closes week 11, Wicked London being the bill.

The Auditorium (The Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) The Woodward Stock Co. presented Graustark to fair attendance week 11. Thelma is announced as the next bill.

Electric Park (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) Libertati's Band continues to be the most prominent of the many attractive features at this popular resort, and week 11 through of music-lovers were in evidence each afternoon and evening. A new concession, Myth City, a clever

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In order to get a writ of habeas corpus, which means, in this case, an early hearing, the Association of New York Theatre Managers, has allowed Chas. S. Burnham, manager of Wallack's Theatre, to be arrested. To this end Mr. Burnham refused to furnish the bond on the grounds that he had never excluded James Metcalf from Wallack's Theatre, and could not, therefore, be justly accused of entering into any conspiracy to keep the critic of Life out of the theatres controlled by managers belonging to the Association. Mr. Burnham was not at any time locked up, but after his refusal to give bond was merely detained in Magistrate Pool's office till the necessary papers could be made out in the higher court and served by the sheriff.

The document which the complainant called a "conspiracy agreement," passed for the purpose of barring him from the theatres, was introduced by Mr. Burnham's attorney for inspection by the court. Its text is as follows:

"The attention of this association is called to the following matter:

"A certain writer in a certain periodical has for the past ten years persistently and without just cause libeled in its columns a large portion of our theatregoers, and attacked the personal integrity of members of this association. Its continued malicious, vile and unjustified attacks upon those of the Jewish faith are unwarranted, and as it may affect our business interests, should receive attention from all managers.

"For their so-called criticism on plays or business methods we make no mention—that does not concern us and is without our province—but when they persistently and for no discernible just cause (but a personal feeling, perhaps) make a butt of one's religion—then some action should be taken to give confidence and support and to take necessary steps to prevent our business interests being injured.

"I deem it but fair to say that this paper has been presented without the knowledge of Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger, and is for such individual action as managers may see fit to take."

The attorney said this document is the only evidence on the subject of Metcalf in possession of the Managers' Association, and the only evidence in existence anywhere.

If this is true, Mr. Metcalf will undoubtedly have a pretty hard time proving conspiracy. Not one of the managers fears the outcome of the trial on this score. What they want

is a decision as to whether or not a theatre ticket is a revocable license, and that is about as far as their decision will reach. A substantial precedent has never been made on this question in New York.

A hearing of the case will be had before Justice Clarke in the Special Term, Supreme Court, June 19.

As a result of his inspection of the circumstances surrounding the fire that destroyed the Avenue Theatre and wrecked the Grand, in Pittsburgh, June 2, S. A. Dies, Superintendent of the Bureau of Building Inspection, has communicated to the Department of Public Safety his conviction that the fire had its origin in the ceiling of the auditorium, and not on the stage of the Avenue, as was at first believed. Under these conditions it is impossible to say whether the automatic devices for an emergency of this kind would have been adequate to save the structure if the fire had started back of the proscenium arch. Relative to this point, Superintendent Dies says in his report:

A careful investigation by building inspectors and an examination of those who first saw the blaze convinces me that the blaze burst out first in the ceiling of the auditorium. The building was doomed before the fire was discovered, and it is impossible to accurately reach the conclusion whether or not the automatic skylight, which allows the blaze on the stage to burn directly skyward, the automatic curtain and the fire doors worked properly. Inasmuch as the fire was in front of the proscenium arch it matters little how these arrangements were operated.

If the building had been occupied by an audience and the usual attaches, there is no doubt that the fire would have been discovered early and the structure still would be standing. As to whether there would have been any fatalities is open to conjecture.

It is quite likely that, had the theatre contained an audience, the flames would have been discovered in ample season to prevent any material loss on the property. Nor would there have been any danger to the safety of such an audience. The fire started between the ceiling and the roof, and burned down; necessarily it burned slowly and was, probably, in progress considerable time before it was discovered.

George Bernard Shaw said recently that he attributes his present popularity to his merits. There is no lack of personal confidence in the confession, but there is no doubt either of the increasing interest in his adopted country. Forbes Robertson is one who is convinced of the playwright's merits; and when he begins operations at the new Scala Theatre in London next month, he will review first Caesar and Cleopatra and then the Man of Destiny. Meanwhile, at the Court, John Bull's Other Island is now being played every evening and You Can Never Tell, five afternoons a week. Man and Superman and Candida will each have a run also. No other writer, save Shakespeare, has ever held London audiences so long continuously, and in such multitudes before in the history of the playhouses.

Dr. Edgar C. Abbott, of Boston, who ranks among the foremost of Shakespearean scholars, being much quoted as an exponent of the sentiments and emotions of the immortal bard, has just concluded a series of recitals before a small and exclusive coterie of the literary and dramatic students of the Hub City. Only the works of Shakespeare were discussed, the erudite doctor entering into the analysis of Hamlet with all the gusto of an ardent admirer. He characterized the play as a tragedy of thought rather than action, expatiating upon its situations, and explaining the motif of the author. Dr. Abbott is a staunch advocate of the classic drama, and in that much a useful ally to all that is best in theatricals.

Rumor has not lost any of its speed since the time of Virgil. On the other hand, modern facilities have increased its reputation since the Aeneid was written. Every important daily newspaper in the United States published a report last week that Maude Adams had undergone a delicate operation for appendicitis, and her life had at one time been despaired of. In due time the story was modified from the Frohman offices, showing that while such an operation had been performed, it was at no time serious, having been accomplished at the actress' own home in New York.

The Boer War Spectacle, at Brighton Beach, New York, has opened the eyes of the denizens of the great metropolis. They have seen fireworks and spectacles, but the battle scenes represented in the Boer War is just a trifle different from anything they have witnessed before unless they visited the same attraction at the World's Fair, in St. Louis, last summer. Altogether the new Brighton Beach Park gives promise of becoming one of the chief places of amusement interest about New York. The weather has not contributed to exceptional business anywhere, yet, but when the season is really on, Brighton Beach will be prominently in the running.

The Sothern-Marlowe Co. visited San Francisco during the thick of a fight between the theatre where they were playing and a local newspaper. One of the reviewers, after frying the actors of the company in boiling oil, remarked quite seriously, speaking of Mr. Sothern's Romeo: "It is absurd and ridiculous for a man of his years—he was sixty-six his last birthday—to attempt to portray the emotions of such a youngster as Shakespeare's Romeo was." Considering the fact that Mr. Sothern celebrated his fortieth birthday not so very long ago, this ought to be very interesting reading to him.

From the pulpit to the stage is a step worthy of comment from the very infrequency of its occurrence. The Reverend J. F. Milbank, of Owensboro, Ky., has been identified with professional people in the Actors' Church Alliance and other organizations of a religious character for some years. His decision to give up his ministerial charge and enter the ranks of the theatrical profession behind the footlights has occasioned a good deal of interest, both among clergymen and actors. He is of the Episcopal denomination.

A peculiar state of affairs has come to light in San Francisco. It has developed that theatres which do not comply with the building laws are, through the complex phrasing of the theatre ordinance, exempt from the license tax, while those that do comply pay the tax. Though the Board of Works has refused to issue permits for operation in cases where the law has been infringed, it has been enjoined from interfering with the performances. An amendment to the theatre ordinance has been proposed and will probably go into effect in a few days.

The American Colony in the City of Mexico is to have an English speaking popoapmpc on IW oplay- zffif mfvy company next season. Beryl Hope will take a company there in the fall and open the Renacimiento Theatre. The company will be organized with a view to appealing to both Americans and Mexicans. Repertoire will be produced with a liberal interpolation of vaudeville specialties between the acts.

In its avidity for news the daily press is not always as considerate of the interests of professional people as is consistent with careful solicitude. The report that Mme. Calve had ruptured a vocal chord was not only wanting in the essence of truth but it was of such a nature as to put the noted singer to considerable trouble in the way of denials.

That meeting of the Empire Circuit managers in Cincinnati next Friday, is expected to be prolific of interesting results. It is claimed that the managers present at this meeting will represent forty-one theatres, extending from New York to San Francisco.

A performance at the Municipal Theatre, in Haile, Switzerland, had to be suspended the other night, while the policeman on duty was ejected. He had fallen asleep at his post and his loud snoring disturbed the audience.

An event of the past week has proved that morbid notoriety is not the highest qualification for success on the stage.

The information vouchsafed by the Eastern Circuit of Burlesque Managers to the effect of

their having so many first-class houses that they have decided to drop the term "burlesque," calling their attractions musical extravaganzas, and getting out paper without representing tights, is exceedingly interesting. Furthermore, it marks a step in advance. The day when a profuse display of lingerie and tights, and the manipulation of slap-sticks and bladders constituted a theatrical attraction is past. That the people want something more refined now is due the managers themselves, who have educated their tastes up to a higher standard.

The daily press printed a story last week to the effect that David Belasco had secured the Lyceum Theatre, in Baltimore, for his attractions. The report could not be verified, and was in all probability only a rumor. Mr. Belasco continually faces the problem of getting a sufficient number of houses and at the same time enough attractions to fill them for short engagements throughout the season.

For several years the excursion business has been gradually dropping away from Atlantic City. It can hardly be argued that the people have lost interest in the City by the Sea. It must be the fault of the railroads.

Whatever the cause, the result is felt very keenly by the amusement promoters, who have cast their fortunes along the board walk. They are beginning to wake up to the formidable nature of the evil. With the decline in the excursion business comes a proportionate decrease in receipts. The railroads need encouragement. They should be made to realize that there are thousands of people waiting to visit Atlantic City if they can get excursion rates. It is up to the amusement managers, hotel proprietors and business men of the resort, to tell the railroads, and steamboat lines also, that these people must have reduced rates as an incentive. The balance will be spent for amusement. Let the people who are interested get together on this. The result ought to be worth the effort.

On Saturday and Monday last, Levy Mayer, attorney for Will J. Davis, argued before Judge Kavanagh, in Chicago, for many hours for quashing the indictments against Davis, growing out of the Iroquois Theatre fire. The procedure was based on a motion to quash the new indictment for involuntary manslaughter, which was drawn and voted after a similar instrument had been nullified by Judge Kersten. In it Davis is charged with causing the deaths through violating the city safety ordinances, by neglecting duties incumbent on him as manager agreement is g st e y; S brdn brdn nnn nn and part owner of the playhouse. Mayer's argument is pronounced as exceedingly strong, and annulment of the charge will probably have been effected by the time this issue of The Billboard reaches its readers.

It is not an ordinary thing for an actress to essay the role of Hamlet, notwithstanding Sara Bernhardt, Charlotte Cushman, Anna Dickinson and others have impersonated the melancholy Dane with more or less success. Adelaide Keim deserves the credit for the enterprise that inspired her to play the part at the Harlem Opera House last week. She deserves further credit for the conscientiousness with which she enacted one of the most difficult of roles, and for the artistic temperament manifest in her work. It is not Miss Keim's first display of ambition. Her outlook is broad and her ability strains to the task set by her energetic mind. From this exercise it is bound to develop.

AERONAUT INJURED

While making a parachute leap at Waterbury, Conn., June 11, William Hayden sustained injuries which may result in his death, if that contingency has not already occurred. Before making the ascent, the aerialist said to his assistant, Geo. Rose: "Stand aside there, Peanut; I'm going up now to break my neck," thereby giving expression to more prophecy than either the speaker or auditor realized.

When loosened the balloon quickly shot upward. When but a speck in the sky to the spectators, Mr. Hayden released his double parachute and successfully began to descend. But a strong wind blew the much-watched object out of the direction in which the aeronaut had intended. The parachute came down in a large chestnut tree and Hayden made an attempt to catch the branches. In this he was unsuccessful and slipped through to the ground, alighting upon a pile of rocks. Mr. Hayden was taken to the Waterbury hospital unconscious and suffering from internal injuries.

YOUNG SINGER HAS TYPHOID

Little Dorothy Marie Keys, the well-known ballad singer, was taken ill while playing the Garden Theatre, Myers Lake, Canton, Ohio, and removed to the hospital, June 5. The physicians pronounced her case as typhoid fever. She is doing nicely and every hope is entertained for her speedy recovery.

RECEIVED AN OVATION

Upon the opening of Miss Lillian Leighton's starring engagement at the Grand Theatre, Milwaukee, May 29, she was the recipient of over twenty-five beautiful floral offerings. Her playlet, entitled *A Matrimonial Revolution*, is creating a very favorable impression wherever the clever actress appears. Besides her ability as an actress her personal attractiveness is the admiration of her audiences.

THIRTY-SIX OF THEM

Gas Hill contributed the following information:

The Eastern Association controls thirty-six first class theatres in all the large cities, from New York as far west as Kansas City, and as far south as New Orleans. The enclosed attractions have their contracts for five years to play all the cities controlled by the Eastern Managers Association. As the Eastern Burlesque Managers' have so many first class theatres to play these attractions in it has been decided not to use the name burlesque with any of these attractions, but to advertise and get out printing with no tights, and call them organized on a larger scale, and costumes are working day and night, and so are the scene painters. The best talent has been secured for these attractions and nothing will be left undone to make these attractions the largest and most refined musical entertainments on the road. You can see by the enclosed list that the Eastern Association controls all the standard attractions. The season will open up the last week in August, and close the last week in May, making forty weeks. The shows do not go any further west than Kansas City and Chicago, and the new houses that the east have secured for their attractions are the best line of houses in the country. The shows next season will carry as high as fifty people, and the best producers are under contract with the Traveling Managers' Association and we have secured the best of everything.

The list of attractions controlled by the Eastern Association is as follows:

The Trans-Atlantics, Ronaway Girls, Vanity Fair, Gay Morning Glories, Rose Hill Co., Dainty Duchess, Bon Ton Burlesquers, Bowery Burlesquers, The Cracker Jacks, Dewey Travesty Co., Jersey Lillies Wine, Women and Song, The Bentz Santley Co., The Night Owls, Sam. Dever's Own Co., The Thoroughbreds, City Club, Big Sensation, Casino Girls, Rice & Barton's Extravaganza, Harry Bryant's Extravaganza, Parisian Widows, Al Reeves Own Show, The Blue Ribbons, Gay Mequerasers, City Sports Big Show, The Majestics, The Knickerbockers Fred Irwin's Big Show, The London Belles, The World Beaters, The Trocadero's, The High Rollers, Fulton's Jolly Grass Widow's New York Stars, Moonlight Maids.

ADDITIONAL NEW YORK NEWS

When Wisteria Grove, atop the New York Theatre, opens its season Monday evening, June 12, the vaudeville features included Coco, an educated monkey; The Girl With The Red Domino, LaBelle Theristia, Nellie Daly and Johnny McVeigh, Mosher, Houghton and Mosher, marvelous bicyclists; Kelly and Reno, and The Wistaro Troupe of eighteen girls. The second half of the entertainment will be taken up by the Dr. Oesler burlesque, When We Are Forty-one. Its author is Robert Smith and Gus Edwards wrote the music. Harry Bulger will caricature the learned doctor, and others in the skit will be Emma Carus, Elsie Janis, who will give her clever imitations; Nella Webb, Clara Hathaway, Lucille St. Claire, Jeannette Patterson and Charles Prince.

The Great Lafayette will be the feature of the hill at Hurlig & Seamon's Music Hall, week of June 12. Lafayette will present his own company, with The Pearl of Bhuntan as his master illusion.

Percy Williams' Colonial and Alabama theatres ended the season Sunday night, June 11. The Boer War, Dreamland, Eastock's Animals and Luna Park keep things lively down Coney way. Luna Park now presents The Fall of Port Arthur as an extra attraction.

John Philip Sousa presents his band as a Sunday night attraction at the Hippodrome, June 11. The unsurpassing engaging performances given at "The Hip" during the week are attracting capacity business. Elita Proctor Otis is retained for another week as the feature of the stock company at Proctor's One Hundred-and-twenty-fifth Street Theatre, presenting *Aa in a Looking Glass*. Niobe is the Fifth Avenue bill, and Tennessee's Partner goes on at the Fifty-eighth Street. The stock company at the Fourteenth Street continues for another week, offering *The Octoroon*.

The Brighton Beach Music Hall opens its season with the following vaudeville, the first performance having been given Saturday afternoon, June 10: The Three LaMaze Brothers, James Harrigan, Charlotte Ravenscroft, Wilfred Clark & Co., Bisseret and Scott, Belle Hathaway's animals, and The Great Rappol.

Henderson's Music Hall, Coney Island, will offer these vaudeville attractions: Sheppard and Ward, The Trimble Sisters, Corons, Chester B. Johnson, Murphy and Francis, The Taylor Twin Sisters, Aloot and Dumoot, J. Francis Dooter, Dorothy Bremmer and Mable Marsh, The Grand Opera Trio, The Whangoodle Four, The Mignani Family, The Campbells, and Paul Stephens.

Ned Nye and his dancing girls are making an immense hit in vaudeville singing two

of Jos. W. Stern & Co.'s latest sooga Minatoka Jane, and Roaming Around The Town.

At Keith's Union Square, the vaudeville bill will be furnished this week by Henry V. Donnelly & Co., Van Alstyn and Henry, Zazelle and Vernon, Searle and Violette Allen, Mitchell and Cain, Norma B. Steel, Willie Gardner, Niblo and Riley, St. John and LeFever, and Will Rogers.

Hammerstein's Paradise Roof Garden will offer this bill, week of June 12: The Four Mortons, Maggie Cline, Guyer and O'Neill, McMahon's Watermelon Girls, Reno and Richards, Sherman and DeForrest, Rooney and Bent, The Rappo Sisters, The Patty Brothers, Ros-tow, The D'Artois, and To-To.

Paradise Park, at Fort George, has now been open to the public for a fortnight, and the crowds have been hearty in their praise of the various attractions. The park contains all the attractions that one may see at the various resorts in the vicinity of Greater New York. A feature of the new Paradise Park resort is the toboggan slide, which is one of the largest ever erected, having required over 350,000 feet of lumber in its construction.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hughes are the topping feature at Tony Pastor's for the week of June 12. Others in the bill will be White and Simmons, Paulo and Marlowe, Wm. Cahill, Dancing Mitchell, DeVan Twins, Kenny and Hollis, Berry and Berry, James and Kitty Brady, Henry and Francis, Perry Cunningham and Ullie Ackertom & Co.

Henry Frey has signed to play a Jew character with one of A. H. Woods' attractions, and the team of Frey and Ferguson has been dissolved. Dave Ferguson will rejoin his old partner and the firm of Ferguson and Watson will again be known to vaudeville. Lew Dock-stader has signed a contract to manage Williams and Walker for a term of years. Hortig & Seamon have also lost the management of Ricknell, Watson and Wrothe, who have signed with A. H. Woods. Julia Vincineta McCahill, who was recently in the chorus of San Toy, was married in Larchmont, June 7, to Dr. James H. Breanan of New Rochelle.

At Proctor's Twenty-third Street Theatre, for the week of June 12 were Will M. Crescy and Blanche Dyma, Edwin J. Stern, The Colonial Septet, Benny Welch, Keayon and DeGarmo, The Lavine-Cimeron Trio, Chas. Bradshaw and Eleanor Falk. This house has dropped out of the "continuous" list, now giving two shows a day. Keith's and Pastor's held control of the non-stopping vaudeville diet for New Yorkers.

Down at Atlantic Garden, last week, the usual packed houses saw a fine vaudeville show in which Fanner and Maniell scored a striking success with their attractive singing number. Whitley and Bell ceased great merriment through their German comedy, and Valmore and Horton scored a pronounced hit with their sensational dancing. Atlantic Garden is now in its forty-seventh year.

On June 7 sixteen members of the Theatrical Managers' Association appeared upon summons before Magistrate Pool, and fifteen of them gave bonds to appear for trial upon a charge of conspiracy in having agreed to exclude Jam's F. McCall, a dramatic critic, from their theatres. One of the accused managers, Chas. M. Burham, of Wallack's Theatre, is furtherance of a previous arrangement, submitted to technical arrest and technical imprisonment. Judge Clarke, of the Supreme Court, issued a writ of habeas corpus for the purpose of reviewing the action of Magistrate Pool. Burham's case will be argued on June 19, and the outcome will settle the matter of the other members of the association. WALTER K. HILL.

CHICAGO TELEGRAPHIC TICKS

The Chicago Opera House was the scene of the first public performance of the Land of Nod Monday evening, June 12. The house, which has been known of late years to be the leading vaudeville theatre, reverts for the time to its original policy, that of producing musical plays. The first production was written by Will M. Hough, Frank R. Adams and Joseph E. Howard. It is termed a "musical fantasy," all of the characters, with the exception of two, being of a decidedly fanciful nature. The story relates of a pretty country girl, Bonnie, who is seen playing with her small companions near the garden and home in the country. Fatigued, she seats among the rose bushes and falls asleep only to be carried to the "sleepy land," where she meets all kinds of strange personages. A typical dashing chorus girl from Broadway visits Nodland to enjoy herself, as New York is "getting slow." The Man in the Moon discovers lively times and forsakes his wife, Bory Bory Alice, and joins the people from the earth in their happy vacation. The King and Queen of Hearts, who rule this strange land, find considerable difficulty in suppressing the cruel Sand Man. In the country of balloon trees, candy bridges, mushroom palaces and card houses, the chorus girl creates a Welch Rarebit for the Hungry Bonnie. This is one of the novelties of the play. The Weather Man makes all kinds of weather with his faithful assistants, and the April Fool finds some trouble in locating his love, The Barber Pole. The Jack of Hearts, who protects the little Bonnie, compels the cruel Sand Man to retreat, and he in turn decapitates the King and the Man in the Moon. The many comical situations following this scene are the most amusing of comedy lines. Bonnie's reflection appears, and the amusing complications that occur in this act bring affairs to a very mixed up state, but they are presently set straight.

There are many chorus evolutions arranged by Gas Schilke, who might appropriately be called "Encore" Schilke, that are the most elaborate designs that this stage-wizard has conceived. The complete cast includes an unusual number of recognized stars and the chorus is strongly vocalized with as many beauty members as can be crowded on the stage of the former home of the Henderson extravaganza. William Norris, principal comedian, is seen as the Man in the Moon, who visits the Land of Nod and is having a high old time with a chorus girl from Broadway. This character is assumed by Valerie Bergere, who thus makes her debut in a musical production. The heroine of the play is Bonnie, the small country lass, and Miss Mabel Barnison

interprets this role. One of the amusing creations is that of the Welch Rarebit, and Herbert Carborne plays this very comical part. Alma Youlin, the pretty Chicago prima donna, is seen as the Jack of Hearts, a gallant cavalier who depends upon the Telephone man, Tom Armstrong, for information on love matters. Knox Willson has one of the eccentric characters of the production, that of April Fool, always in trouble with his love, The Barber Pole, and who is never satisfied unless "allowed to make a suggestion." The Queen of Nodland is another Chicago favorite, May DeSousa, who has one of the most charming of the vocal numbers, entitled Cinderella; Fred Ray, an English pantomime artist, appears as the King of Hearts, who rules the subjects of this imaginative country. Clever little Alice Dovey is given the part of Bonnie's reflection, a neatly arranged novelty. Juliet Wood, who has been seen in vaudeville as an exceptionally clever travesty artist, plays Bory Bory Alice, one of the most humorous of the eccentric characters. Ella Vern as The Barber Pole, Caille Mason as The Star Maiden, John Mandel as Sad-Sky-Rocket, and John Ross as Knock-Out-Drops, are found to be very entertaining conceits. The villain in this dreamland fantasy is the cruel Sand Man, played by George Fox, who gives the part considerable dramatic effect. Another conspicuous figure in this country is the Weather Man, Bert Young, as this independent creator of weather, is found rather unusual.

Judging from the enthusiasm of the first-nighters The Land of Nod would seem to be assured of an eminently successful summer run. Many important engagements have already been made by Manager Sam H. Harris for the second organization which is being now assembled to play Little Johnny Jones next season in the principal cities not touched by Mr. Cohan. The Olympic quartet, which has been in the employ of Mr. Cohan for the last five years, and which made such a hit in The Running for Office production the last two seasons, will have some of the principal male parts. William Keogh will be seen as "The Unknown," the detective character now played by Tom Lewis. Michael Sullivan will have the part of Timothy D. McGee. Hugh Mack will play Sing Song, and William Cameron the captain. Mr. Cohan originally had these four clever men in view for these parts when he first planned Little Johnny Jones.

McVicker's Theatre will be dark during the week, beginning June 11, but on the 18th William A. Brady and Joseph Grismer will revive Sky Farm, E. E. Kidder's pretty and successful rural play. The piece will be put on with a special cast and the engagement is for two weeks. Sky Farm has not been seen here for two years, but the good impression left by the play has not faded and the remarkable business done on its former visit will doubtless be repeated. A dramatic entertainment, coming at a time when the city is given over to musical plays, will have the advantage of contrast and variety to enhance its attractiveness.

Manager Will J. Block announces that the entire company now presenting Kafetzlam at Hyde & Behman's will move to the Tremont Theatre, Boston, to open there for a summer run, beginning Saturday night, 24. The company will end its Chicago engagement Saturday night of this week. We are informed that the title of the production will be changed in Boston to The Monarch of Gheek.

Packed houses during the past week greeted the return of the Trocadero Stock. The second week of the engagement began Sunday, June 11, with a change of bill in both the vaudeville and burlesque portions. In the olio are the Wonderful Dreano, eccentric dancer; Avery and Healy, conversationalists; Avon Comedy Four, vocalists; The Great Fowlers, European acrobats. The Fas Ma La Girls is the title of the burlesque. Included in the cast are Nat. Fields, Guy Rawson, Frank Damsel, Kittle Bingham, May Yair and Tillie Storke.

We glean the following from a Peoria, Ill., paper bearing date of June 6: The Carl Hagenbeck Trained Wild Animal Show is in Peoria today and is undoubtedly the finest show of its kind in the world. The parade through the principal streets this morning drew large crowds. In point of equipment, horses, harness and wagons, the Hagenbeck Co. has any circus that ever came to Peoria beaten a mile. The horses are splendid animals, the harness and wagons bright and new. The wild animals seem to be magnificent specimens of their species.

A new summer park, built on elaborate lines, will bid for popular favor in Chicago next season. The plans are now in the hands of a prominent firm of Chicago architects. This latest exploitation is being launched by the Metropolitan Elevated Railway Co. The park will be located on the West Side, on Forty-eighth avenue.

Boite and Weyer installed their system of lights with the Bodkin Brothers' Shows in Chicago last week. On Saturday they shipped a complete lighting plant to the Orrin Brothers in Mexico. Mr. Weyer will be a guest of the Barnum & Bailey Show this week.

Chicago's professional colony will be well nigh depleted on Tuesday, 13. The Wallace Show is at Michigan City that day.

Mr. J. F. Boggs, vice president of the Federal Oil Co., with his newly made bride, formerly Miss Mabel Bailey of Parkersburg, W. Va., passed through Chicago on their way to Colorado Springs last week.

Abe Holzmann, the eminent composer, passed through Chicago Thursday, June 8, on his way from New York City to Milwaukee, Wis., where he is a guest of honor at a big band tournament this week.

W. H. Rice, proprietor and manager of the Great Alamo Shows, fraternized with Chicago friends for two days last week. Mr. Rice is spending a few days at his Michigan home.

G. E. Robinson, general excursion agent of the Great Wm. P. Hall Shows, is making his headquarters in Chicago.

H. R. Moore is temporarily identified with Chicago's professional colony.

Mr. Thomas J. Noonan, business manager of the Illinois Theatre, is enjoying a

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NEW INCORPORATIONS.

The Doric Theatre Co., Yonkers, N. Y.; amusements and theatricals. Capital \$5,000. Incorporators—Henry and Miriam Myers, 109 East 128th street, New York City; Jacob Gumm, Albert Youltzer, 40 W. 28th street, New York City.

A Ranaway Boy Co., New York; amusements. Capital \$10,000. Incorporators—Max H. Meyers, 151 W. 43rd street; Felix F. Felst, 134 W. 37th street; Victor Meyers, 60 E. 90th street.

Empire State Amusement Co., New York; amusements. Capital \$500. Incorporators—Hugh L. Starr, 339 W. 43rd street; Jay Finn, Pulitzer building; Jacob L. Wiener, 280 Broadway.

The Great I Am Co., New York; amusements. Capital \$10,000. Incorporators—Max H. Meyers, 151 W. 43rd street; Felix F. Felst, 134 W. 37th street; Victor Meyers, 60 E. 90th street.

From Rags to Riches Co., New York; amusements. Capital \$10,000. Incorporators—Max H. Meyers, 151 W. 43rd street; Felix F. Felst, 134 W. 37th street; Victor Meyers, 60 E. 90th street. Rocky Road to Dublin, Brooklyn, N. Y.; theatrical. Capital \$20,000. Directors—J. J. Byrne, T. Donnelly, Brooklyn.

Elitch-Long Amusement Co.; amusements. Capital \$10,000. Incorporators—Mary Elitch-Long, Thomas D. Long, Edward Honck, Denver, Col.

The P. H. Sullivan Amusement Co.; New York. Capital \$100,000. Directors—P. H. Sullivan, S. H. Harris, New York, Corey McAdoo, Mount Vernon.

MARRIED

McMillen-Queen Malaha—Mr. E. S. McMillen, a non-professional, to Queen Malaha, of the Brundage & Fisher Carnival Co.

Scheo-Evans—LeRoy T. Scheo, who has frequently appeared upon the vaudeville stage, to Miss Anna Evans, of the Holy Toity Co., in the parlor of the Central Hotel, Canal Dover, Del., recently. They will remain in Canal Dover until the theatrical season opens.

Downs-Tockey—Tommy Downs, known as the "Kings of Kolas," and Miss Hattie Tockey, a non-professional, at Marshalltown, Ia., June 1. They will be at home to their friends in Marshalltown beginning June 15.

Pierson-Rasmussen—Jack Pierson and Sophia Rasmussen, both well-known in vaudeville, at Kenosha, Wis., recently. They will play dates together in the future.

Melrose-Schauner—Frank Melrose was married to Miss Mina Schauner, June 2. The team will be known as The Vardelles.

DEATHS

Albert B. Roberts, business agent and financial secretary of Local No. 18 of the National Alliance of Billposters and Billers of America, died at the St. James building, Newark, N. J., May 19, after a three weeks' illness contracted in Philadelphia. Mr. Roberts was 35 years of age and had been in Newark ten years. He was formerly connected as biller with several circuses but an accident through which he lost his right arm compelled him to discontinue this work. He was a delegate to the last National Convention, and his popularity caused his election to the executive board. While in Philadelphia on business for the Alliance Mr. Roberts contracted a cold which resulted in congestion of the lungs. The funeral services were in charge of the Theatrical Mechanics' Association of which Mr. Roberts was a member and for which he was an indefatigable worker.

Col. Edward M. Graves, of the firm of Jennings and Graves, managers of the Hartford Opera House, died at his home at Hartford, Conn., June 1. Col. Graves had been identified with the management of the opera house for a number of years, and before becoming manager he was for many years engaged in newspaper work. During the civil war he was a scout of General Custer's staff, and he was afterwards Adjutant General of the Connecticut National Guards. He is survived by a wife and two daughters.

Oscar F. Miller, manager of the Alhambra Theatre, Milwaukee, Wis., died at his home, June 1, from a complication of diseases. Mr. Miller was one of the best known theatrical managers of the west, and was a self made man. Within the last few months he had affiliated himself with the Shubert Brothers, and had completed arrangements for the appearance at the Alhambra of some of their principal attractions, including Lillian Russell and De Wolf Hopper. He is survived by a wife and one small child.

Horace Edgar Buchanan, 42 years old, died at Camp Keys, Wis., June 5, where he was taking the treatment for tuberculosis. Mr. Buchanan was well known as an actor and musician in the west, and was an expert on the cornet. He was also a composer, and traveled many years with his brother, Robert Buchanan, and had managed for himself and others. He was buried at Waukegan, Ill., June 8. The Elks had charge of the funeral.

Robert W. Furness, secretary of the Nebraska State Fair, died at the Lindell Hotel, Lincoln, Neb., June 1. He was eighty-one years of age, and for over fifty years had held many positions of public trust and honor. In 1873 he was elected Governor of the state of Nebraska, and in later years had become prominent as Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture.

Mrs. Josephine Hone, who was stricken with paralysis on the stage of the Savoy Theatre, New York, where she was in the supporting company of Grace George, in Abigail, died at her home, 37 E. Thirtieth street, New York. She has played with Mary Manning and Clara Bloodgood, and her stage career was very successful.

Charles Bremlet, an usher with Ringling Brothers' Shows, was drowned in the Connecticut River, at Springfield, Mass., June 4, while canoeing with some other employes of the show. His home was in Eldorado, Ill., where the body was sent for burial.

Lyra, a fire dancer, who has been playing the Sutton houses in Butte, Mont., and other northwestern vaudeville houses, died suddenly at Billings, Mont., of consumption, recently. Although well known among performers, none knew her real name, and nothing is known of her relatives.

Chas. Hackenberry, Decatur, Ill. Notice appears in another column.

ROUTES AHEAD.

"The Billboard" forwards mail to all professional free of charge. Members of the profession are invited while on the road to save their mail addressed in care of "The Billboard" and it will be promptly forwarded.

PERFORMERS DATES.

Adami & Taylor (Alhambra): London, Eng., June 19, indef.
 Adams Jas. E. (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Addison & Livingston: En route with Swallow & Markle's Floating Palace. See Miscellaneous Routes.
 Aherna, The: En route with the Fiesta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Alpine Family: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Altona, The: Omaha, Neb., indef.
 Anderson, Wm. (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., June 12-July 8.
 Armstrong & Holly: Bald Mountain, Col., May 22, indef.
 Ashton, Margaret (Coliseum): London, Eng., June 6-July 24.
 Atherton, Agnes (Miller's): Lima, O., indef.
 Aurora's, Mlle., Bears (Bostock's): Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 American Newsboys' Quartet (Oleantary Park): Columbus, O., 11-17.
 Adie and her Lions (Aylmer Park): Aylmer, Ont., 12-17.
 Ashton & Earle (Castle): Bloomington, Ill., 12-17.
 All & Feiser (Family): Mahanoy City, Pa., 12-17.
 Abbott & Bryant (Utahna): Salt Lake City, Utah, 12-17; (Utahna) Ogden 19-24.
 Alvin Bros. (Metropolitan): Duluth, Minn., 12-17.
 Adler, Flo (Fort Sheridan Park): Chicago, Ill., 11-17.
 Ameta (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 12-17.
 Avery & Healy (Troadero): Chicago, Ill., 11-17.
 Allen, Searl & Violet (Keith's): New York City, 12-17; (Keith's) Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24.
 Alva, Alice (Spring Grove Park): Springfield, O., 11-17; (Fairview Park) Dayton 18-24.
 Alarcón's Mexican Trio (Fort Sheridan Park): Highwood, Ill., 11-17.
 Abbott, Annie Adele: Jamestown, N. Y., 12-17; Akron, O., 19-24.
 Ahearn, Chas. and Jac (Orpheum): Paterson, N. J., 12-17.
 Allen, Will F. (Casino): Ontario Beach, N. Y., 5-17.
 Auburns, Three (Bijou): Escanaba, Mich., 12-17.
 Adams, Mabelle (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 4-17.
 Armita & Burke (Hoag Lake Park): Woonsocket, R. I., 12-17.
 American Newsboys' Quartet (Weast's): Peoria, Ill., 11-17.
 Baker, George (Paragon Park): Nantasket Beach, Mass., 5-17.
 Bristol's Ponies (Riverview Park): Baltimore, Md., 5-July 8.
 Bowers & Curtis (Park): St. Joseph, Mo., 18-24.
 Baker, Pete (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 11-17.
 Blamphin & Herr (Casino): Elgin, Ill., 12-17.
 Bussler Bros.: En route with Bogan's Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Bartlett's The Musical (Unique): Eau Claire, Wis., 12-17; (Bijou) Duluth, Minn., 19-24.
 Bedouin Arabs, Eight (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-17.
 Bernsteins, The (Unique): Winnipeg, Man., 12-17; (Unique) Minneapolis, Minn., 19-24.
 Burns, Harry (Bijou): Ottumwa, Ia., 12-17; (Family) Sioux City 19-24.
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 Burton & Brookes (Rock Springs Park): East Liverpool, O., 11-17; (Farm) Toledo 18-24.
 Burke's Musical Dogs (Central Park): Allentown, Pa., 12-17; Easton 19-24.
 Baker, Mary and Dollie Ramsey (Alhambra): South Beach, S. I., N. Y., 10-18.
 Beaumont & Hayward (Troadero): Chicago, Ill., 11-17.
 Browning, Flora & Co.: Lynchburg, Va., 12-17; Richmond 19-24.
 Barnes & Edwin (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 12-17.
 Bosoeko & Radcliffe (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 12-17.
 Blessings, The (Monarch): Lawton, Okla., 5-24.
 Barnes & Washburn (Crystal): Colorado Springs, Col., 12-17; (Orpheum) Omaha, Neb., 19-24.
 Busch Family (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., 12-17; (Crystal) Milwaukee, 19-24.
 Baus, Bessie (Lake Contrary Park): St. Joseph, Mo., 11-17.
 Bailey & Madison (Empire): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
 Bingham, J. W. (Ben's): Escanaba, Mich., 12-17.
 Brooks, Jeanne (Summer Park): Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Brown, Walter G. and Ellis Sisters (Casino): Los Angeles, Cal., 12-17.
 Brown & Brown (Hanson's Point): Toronto, Can., 12-17.
 Brown, Jack & Lillian Wright (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 12-17.
 Barrell, May A. (Fairlyland): Paterson, N. J., 12-24.
 Bissert & Scott (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 Belfort, May (Wheeling Park): Wheeling, W. Va., 12-17.
 Browne, Whistling Tom (Farm): Toledo, O., 11-17.
 Bin-Rom-Brr (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 Bernard, Rhoda (Race's Park): Joplin, Mo., 11-17; (Crystal Park) Leavenworth, Kan., 18-24.
 Burke, John P. (Star): Atlanta, Ga., 12-24.
 Burton & Burton (O. H.): Belvidere, Ill., 12-17; (Troadero) Chicago, 19-July 1.
 Bates & Ernest (Palm): Cripple Creek, Col., 12-17.
 Bell, Senator Frank (Forest Park) Little Rock, Ark., 12-17.
 Burkes, The Juggling (Bijou): Sheboygan, Wis., 12-17; (Bijou) Fond du Lac 19-24.
 Bentham & Freeman (Weast): Peoria, Ill., 12-17.
 Boynton's Prof. Canine Circus (Riverview Park): Louisville, Ky., 12-17.
 Bailey Bros (Guanavota's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Beverly & Danvers (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.

Beaty & Price: Salida, Col., 12-17; Colorado Springs 17-22.
 Ballazer Sisters (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Barlow's Elephants (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Barrows-Lancaster Co. (Coliseum): London, Eng., March 20-July 8.
 Bauma, Three Marvelous (Lewis and Clark Exposition): Portland, Ore., June 12-July 1.
 Beard, Billy (Cash.): Nashville, Tenn., June 1-30.
 Beecher & May (Kirby's Park): Baltimore, Md., May 29, indef.
 Bellport, Claude H. (Auditorium): Wichita, Kan., indef.
 Bentham & Freeman: En route with Jack Beasley Stock Co. See Dramatic Routes.
 Bernard, Floyd: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Blue, Chas. C., Aerialist: En route with the White City Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Boises, Four Sensational: En route with Wallace's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Bowers Newsboys' Quartet (San Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Boynton's Dog Show (Riverview Park): Louisville, Ky., indef.
 Bright Bros. (Empire Tour): England, June 12-Aug. 28.
 Brownie Family: En route with the Continental Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Burkhardt, G.: En route with Campbell Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Camille Comedy Trio: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Carlos, Chas. and Dogs: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Carrays, The: En route with Swallow & Markle's Floating Palace. See Miscellaneous Routes.
 Carre's Animals (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Carroll, Great (Alcazar): Denver, Col., indef.
 Chamberlains, The (Empire): Birmingham, Eng., May 25-July 1.
 Clarksons, The (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Cole & Johnson: Paris, Fr., June 19-July 8.
 Collins & Hart (Tivoli): London, Eng., June 12-Aug. 5.
 Conrads, The: En route with the Robinson Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Costley & Dean (Manhattan): Norfolk, Va., indef.
 Comads, The Aerial (Lincoln Park): New Orleans, La., indef.
 Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner (Keith's): Providence, R. I., April 10, indef.
 Creswell, W. P. (Bicycle Bill): En route with Collins' Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Connors & Kelly (Unique): Chicago, Ill., 12-17; (Olympic) Chicago 19-24.
 Clifford & Orth (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 12-17; (Bijou) Rockford, Ill., 19-24.
 Conser's Dog Show (Idea): Fond du Lac, Wis., 12-17.
 Cherry & Bates (Luna Park): Johnston, Pa., 12-17.
 Clarke & Temple (Pickwick): San Diego, Cal., 12-17; (Fischer's) San Francisco 19-24.
 Christopher (Bell): Oakland, Cal., 12-17; (Unique) San Jose 19-24.
 Collins & Hawley (Park): Bayonne, N. J., 12-17; (Deming's) Rockaway, L. I., N. Y., 19-24.
 Craig, Richey W. (Monumental): Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
 Campbell, Dillon & Campbell (Cedar Point): Sandusky, O., 11-17; (Ramona Park) Grand Rapids, Mich., 18-24.
 Connelly, Pete: Webb City, Mo., 11-17; Pittsburg, Kan., 18-24.
 Cameron, Grace: Pittsburg, Pa., 11-24.
 Carrollton & Hodges (Empire): Freeport, Ill., 12-17; (Crystal) Milwaukee, Wis., 19-24.
 Carter, Mr. & Mrs. Carl (Earl): Pueblo, Col., 12-17.
 Cole & Clemens (Lyceum): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17; (Pastor's) New York City, 19-24.
 Carroll & Clarke (Star): Atlanta, Ga., 12-24.
 Carromontella & Co. (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 12-17.
 Carson Bros. (Savin Rock Park): New Haven, Conn., 12-17.
 Casad & DeVerne (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 12-17; (Crystal) Milwaukee 19-24.
 Courtney & Jeanette (Ebner's Park): Burlington, Ia., 12-17.
 Corona (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-17; (Sheep's) Newport, E. I., 18-24.
 Calcedo, Juan (Schmer Park): Montreal, Can., 12-17; (Luna Park) Coney Island, N. Y., 19-July 8.
 Castrillions, Three (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 12-17.
 Campbell & Brady (Hopkins' Park): Joplin, Mo., 12-17.
 Clermont & Miner: St. John, N. B., 12-17.
 Clarke, Lucy (Empire): Leeds, Eng., 19-24; (Metropolitan) London 26-July 15.
 Claremont, Al.: Greensburg, Pa., 12-17.
 Columbiains, The (Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-17.
 Corbett & Forrester (Godfrey's): Grand Rapids, Mich., 12-17.
 Cox Family Quartet (Pickwick): San Diego, Cal., 12-17.
 Conlon & Hastings (Avon Park): Youngstown, O., 11-17.
 Colonial Septet, Ye (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
 Cotton's Comedy Donkeys (Riverview Park): Baltimore, Md., 5-17.
 Cressy & Dayne (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
 Cassidy, Eddie (Steel Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 5-17.
 Clark, Wilfred (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 Conway & Leland (Empire): Hackney, Eng., 19-24; (Empire) Cardiff, Wales 26-July 1.
 Kolons, The (Weast's): Peoria, Ill., 12-17.
 Clivette, Mona. (Olympic Theatre): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Curtis, Beta (Olympic Theatre): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Daytell, Madge (Ebner's Park): Burlington, Ia., 12-17; (Elite) Davenport 19-24.
 Dunn & Evelyn (Erbe's Casino): North Beach, L. I., N. Y., 12-17; (Park) Trenton, N. J., 19-24.
 Doyle, Edward: Berlin, N. H., 12-17; St. Johnsbury, Vt., 19-24.
 Durbyville, Lea and Fay (Dreamland Park): Decatur, Ill., 11-17.
 Dervin, J. T. (Novelty): Fresno, Cal., 12-17.
 Dixon, Burt and Leon (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 DeWeese, Jennie (Bijou): San Diego, Cal., 4-17; (Fischer's) San Francisco 19-24.

Dagwell, Aurie (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17; (Keith's) New York City, 19-24.
 DeLacey's, The (Lyceum): Ogden, Utah, 12-17.
 Dubce's Animals (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 11-17; (Manhattan Beach) Denver, Col., 18-July 15.
 Dahlias, Les (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 4-17.
 Dixon, Bowers & Dixon (Farm): Toledo, O., 12-17; (Avon Park) Youngstown 19-24.
 Delphino & Delmora (Proctor's 125th St.): New York City, 19-24.
 Delmore, John and Emily Darrell (Spring Lake Park): Trenton, N. J., 12-17.
 Doherty Sisters (Bavaria Park): Bavaria, Ill., 12-17; (Forest Park Highlands) St. Louis, Mo., 18-24.
 DeGreese, The Two (Smith's Park): Hannibal, Mo., 12-17.
 Don & Thompson (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 11-17.
 Dayton Sisters (Elite): Davenport, Ia., 12-17; (Electric) Waterloo 19-24.
 Deveau, Hubert (River Side Park): Montreal, Can., 11-17.
 Don, Peter (McBeth Park): Lima, O., 12-17.
 DuVries, Sam (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 12-17.
 DeHollis & Valora (O. H.): Escanaba, Mich., 11-17; (Grand) Gladstone 18-24.
 DeGraus, The Great 234 (Unique): Winnipeg, Man., 5-17; (Unique) Minneapolis, Minn., 19-24.
 Del-A-Phone (Monumental): Baltimore, Md., 12-17; (Lyceum) Washington, D. C., 19-24.
 Delmore & Wilson: Paris, Fr., 12-July 1; Hackney, Eng., 3-8; Holloway 10-15.
 D'a & D's (Vinewood Park): Topeka, Kan., 12-17.
 Delgarde, Natalie: Touring South America.
 Delmas, Geo. (Lyric Park): Webb City, Mo., 12-17.
 Diavolo (Wenona Beach Park): Bay City, Mich., 11-17.
 Darrow, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart: Owego, N. Y., April 10-July 3.
 D'Arville Sisters (Rustic Park): Hot Springs, Ark., May 21, indef.
 Davenport, E. L.: Roxbury, Mass., indef.
 Davies Duo: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 DeAcros, The (White City Park): Chicago, Ill., June 12-July 8.
 Dee, Roy: En route with Eckhardt & Hawkins' Ideals. See Dramatic Routes.
 DeWald & Zelds: En route with Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 DeWyn, Fred (Lindenwald Park): Hamilton, O., indef.
 Downey, Leslie T. (Novelty): Stockton, Cal., Feb. 6-July 1.
 Downey & Willard (Casino Park): Kalamazoo, Mich., 11-17; (London) London, Can., 14-24.
 Drawce (Tivoli): London, Eng., 5-July 31.
 Drew, Dorothy (Barrasford Tour): Eng., 5-July 31.
 Dumonds, Les: Liverpool, Eng., 19-24; Stratford 26-July 1.
 Doone, Allen & Co. (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 11-17.
 Duncan, Chas. H. (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 Doss & Nadoiney (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 DeWall & Erwin (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 Dresser, Louise (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 11-17.
 Daniels, Walter (Steeplechase Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 19-24.
 DeRoseett & Exela (Savin Rock Park): New Haven, Conn., 12-17.
 DeVaro & Curtis (Gennett): Richmond, Ind., 12-17.
 DeSerris Art Studios (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Del Zarto Sisters (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Evans Sisters: London, Can., 12-17.
 Eldons, The (Queen City Garden): Elmira, N. Y., 12-24.
 Elgonas, The (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 12-17.
 Eldrid, Gordon (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
 Eltinge, Julian D. (G. O. H.): Pittsburg, Pa., 12-17; (Alhambra) New York City, 19-24.
 Emmy, Mlle. (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
 Ellis-Nowlin Trio (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 18-24.
 Evans Trio (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 12-17; (Unique) Eau Claire 19-24.
 Eldridge (Prest) (Bavaria Park): Chicago, Ill., 5-17; (Farm) Toledo, O., 19-24.
 Elton, Sam (Shea's): Engle, N. F., 12-17.
 Elmo, Pete and Allie (Pavillion): Oswego, N. Y., 12-17.
 Empire City Quartet (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 5-17.
 Evans, May (Collins' Garden): Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Everhart, The Great (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
 Eagle Trio, The (Baker): Portland, Ore., 19-24.
 Empire Comedy Four (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Edgertons, The (Electric Park): Detroit, Mich., 12-17.
 Elmore, Tom: Goldfield, Nev., indef.
 Edmonds, Lee (Star): Ft. Worth, Tex., indef.
 Eddy, Arthur (Lyric): Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
 Edyth, Rose, Ballet Troupe (Orin Bros.' Circus): City of Mexico, Mex., May 1, indef.
 Eller, Givie (Alcazar): Denver, Col., indef.
 Everhart (Hippodrome): London, Eng., June 5-July 1.
 Fadettes (Keith's): Boston, Mass., indef.
 Fern Comedy Four (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., June 1-Sept. 30.
 Florence Sisters (Aumont): Moscow, Russia, May 26-Aug. 26.
 Florettes, Six (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Fonne, Roy: En route with the Great Haag Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Foster & Country (Riverview Park): Chicago, Ill., June 5-Sept. 8.
 Fox & Hughes (Riverside Park): Boise, Ida., indef.
 Frank & Albright: En route with Gollmar Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Fries Bros. and Gennette Sisters: En route with the Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Frisco, Signor, Aerialist: En route with the U. S. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Fay Sisters (People's): Leavenworth, Kan., 11-17.
 Fields, Will H. (Pleasure Park): Norwalk, O., 11-17; (Four Mile Creek Park) Erie, Pa., 18-24.

Frost, Chas. (Star): Muncie, Ind., 12-17; (Stratford Park) Delaware, O., 18-24.
 Freeze Bros. (Forest Park Highlands): St. Louis, Mo., 11-17; (Fontaine Ferry Park) Louisville, Ky., 18-24.
 Foster & Henderson (Novelty): Vallejo, Cal., 12-17; (Novelty) Oakland, 19-24.
 Fox & Summers (Four Mile Creek Park): Erie, Pa., 11-17; (Coney Island) Wheeling, W. Va., 19-24.
 Fields & Hanson: Seattle, Wash., 5-17.
 Ferguson & Passmore (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 11-17.
 Fredericks, The (Unique): Astoria, Ore., 11-17.
 Flynn, Earle (San Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Fairchilds (The Garricks): Burlington, Ia., 12-17; (Phillip's) Ottumwa 19-24.
 Ferguson, Dupree & Co. (Crystal): St. Joseph, Mo., 11-17.
 Fisher & Johnson (Fischer's): San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
 Folkert, Arthur O. (Earl): Pueblo, Col., 12-17; (Crystal) Denver 19-24.
 Fagan & Merrim (Orpheum): Springfield, O., 12-17; (Phillip's) Richmond, Ind., 19-24.
 Fostelle & Radcliffe (Coney Island): Wheeling, W. Va., 11-24.
 For, Madge (Wenona Beach Park): Bay City, Mich., 11-17.
 Feldman & Ball (Orpheum): St. Paul, Minn., 5-17.
 Fisher, Mr. & Mrs. Perkins (Lakeside Casino): Akron, O., 12-17.
 Fisher & Crocker (Washington Park): Bayonne, N. J., 12-17.
 Ford Sisters & Bros. (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 11-17.
 Ford & Wilson (Empire): Johannesburg, S. A., 5-Aug. 31.
 Fredo & Dare (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Fernandez-May Trio (O. H.): Melbourne, Vic., May 15-June 30.
 Fowlers, The (Troadero): Chicago, Ill., 11-17; (Orpheum) Davenport, Ia., 18-24.
 Frillers, The (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Flood Bros. (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Gordon, Don & Mae (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-17.
 Golden & Hughes (Park): Bayonne, N. J., 12-17.
 Goodo: En route with Bert Silver's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Gavin, Platt & Peaches (Cascade Park): New Castle, Pa., 11-17.
 Grace, Three (Godfroy's): Grand Rapids, Mich., 11-17.
 Gray & Graham (Electric Park): Newark, N. J., 12-17.
 Goid, William & Valaska-Suratt (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 11-24.
 Gaylord, Bonnie (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 19-24.
 Gilmore & LeMoyné (Orpheum Park): Pittsburg, Kan., 11-17.
 Gordon & Hayes, Misses: Saginaw, Mich., 12-17; (Whitney) Detroit 19-24.
 Goodwin, Susie (Island Beach Park): Owensboro, Ky., 12-17.
 Gottlob, Mr. and Mrs. (Grand): Missoula, Mont., 12-17; (Luison) Spokane, Wash., 19-24.
 Gross, Wm. (Belvidere): Belvidere, Ill., 12-17; (Empire) Freeport 19-24.
 Gardner, West & Sunshine (Palace): Boston, Mass., 12-17.
 Goforth & Doyle (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Gray, Mazie (Palace): Syracuse, N. Y., 12-24.
 Gardner & Stoddard (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Grdne & Golden (Broadway): Los Angeles, Cal., 12-17.
 Garden Trio: Rock Island, Ill., 12-17.
 Geiger, John (Farm): Toledo, O., 12-17.
 Genaro & Theol: Dusseldorf, Ger., May 1-June 30.
 Gillette Sisters (Lion Palace): New York City, 12-17.
 Gracey & Burnette (Park): Woonsocket, R. I., 12-17.
 Glocker & Drew (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Hyde & Heath (Empire): Oakland, Cal., 12-17.
 Hart, Saddle (Cedar Point): Sandusky, O., 12-17.
 Henry, Eugene (Monarch): Lawton, Okla., 12-17; (Schultz Park) Oklahoma City, 19-24.
 Hars, Ed. C. (Gennett): Richmond, Ind., 12-17.
 Herbert's Dogs (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17; (Luna Park) Cleveland, O., 19-24.
 Helena, Edith (Empire): Leicester Square, London, Eng., May 1-June 25.
 Hahn, Helen Florence (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., May 25-June 24.
 Hebron, Tom (Four Mile Creek Park): Erie, Pa., 11-17; (Coney Island) Cincinnati, O., 18-July 1, 12-17.
 Howard & Alton (Standard): Houston, Tex., 12-17.
 Holmes & Waldon (Gennett): Richmond, Ind., 12-17; (Coney Island) Cincinnati, O., 18-24.
 Heeley & Meely (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 11-17; (East End Park) Memphis, Tenn., 18-24.
 Hatch Bros. (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
 Hamlin, The (River Park): Winnipeg, Man., 5-17.
 Hall, Anna (The Mispark): Ottawa, Ill., 12-17.
 Holman, Haywood & Haywood (New Forest Park): Little Rock, Ark., 12-24.
 Heclov, Chas. (Whitney's): Detroit, Mich., 11-17.
 Heclov & Wheeler, Misses (Whitney's): Detroit, Mich., 11-17.
 Hay, Unicycle (Star): Muncie, Ind., 11-17; (Crystal) Anderson 18-24.
 Hantress (Baldwin): San Francisco, Cal., 12-17; (Mission) San Francisco 19-24.
 Howard & North (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 12-17.
 Hart, Willie & Edith: Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Hewes & Co. (Novelty): Omaha, Neb., 12-17.
 Henderson & Ross (Oleantary Park): Columbus, O., 11-17.
 Hennings, Lewis & Hennings (G. O. P.): Freeport, Ill., 12-17.
 Herbert & Willing (Castle): Bloomington, Ill., 12-17.
 Hood, Sam (G. O. P.): Colorado Springs, Col., 12-17.
 Huehn, Musical (Keith's): New York City, 12-17.
 Hussey, Geo. W.: Dayton, O., 12-17.
 Harrigan (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 Hathaway, Belle (Musie Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.

Hodges & Launchere (Electric Park): Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
 Holdsworths, The (Freebody Park): Newport, R. I., 12-17.
 Hayman, Mr. & Mrs. Jack (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 12-17.
 Holmes, Taylor (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 19-24.
 Hilton (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Hawley & Lealle (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Hale, Willie and Francis (Hippodrome): London, Eng., May 29-July 22.
 Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D.: Kansas City, Mo., indef.
 Harper, Lucille H. (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., May 1, indef.
 Harrigan (Palace): London, Eng., May 1, indef.
 Hatch, Geo. H. (West Side): Janesville, Wis., indef.
 Hay, Charles (Garrick): Burlington, Ia., indef.
 Hayden & LaLonde: En route with the Continental Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Honnsey, James A. (Fraser's): Pendleton, Ore., April 24, indef.
 Henry & Young (Family): Shamokin, Pa., indef.
 Heumanns, The Three: En route with F. A. Robbins Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Hewitts, The Two: En route with Fred Hewitt's Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Hill & Whitaker (Favillon): London, Eng., June 12, indef.
 Hill, Will (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 Howard Bros. (Coliseum): London, Eng., June 5-July 15, indef.
 Huutson, Dad and Clara (Star): Ft. Worth, Tex., indef.
 Irwin, Jack: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Isaac & Bryan (Coney Island): Wheeling, W. Va., 11-17.
 Imperial Comedy Four (West End Park): New Orleans, La., 11-24.
 Irving Bros. (Austin's Palm Garden): Syracuse, N. Y., 12-24.
 Jones & Sutton (Waldamere Park): Erie, Pa., 12-17.
 Jennings & Jewell (Unique): Eau Claire, Wis., 12-17; (Bijou) Duluth, Minn., 19-24.
 Jackson & Douglas, Misses (East End Park): Memphis, Tenn., 12-17; (Forest Park) Little Rock, Ark., 19-24.
 Jacksons, Three (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17; (Park) Danville, Ill., 18-24.
 Johnstons, Musical (Barrasford Tour): Eng., indef.
 Johnson, Davenport & Lorella (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 11-17.
 Jack, Mr. & Mrs. (Olympia Park): Chattanooga, Tenn., 12-17.
 Jackson Family: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Kaufman Troupe: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Kenton, Dorothy (English Garden): Vienna, Austria, May 20, indef.
 Kherms & Cole (Sea Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., May 29, indef.
 Kilroy, Arthur: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Kingsley & Kingsley (Alcazar): Denver, Col., May 15, indef.
 Kitchie, Si: En route with the Southern Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Kiralfo, Gus (Lake Country Casino): St. Joseph, Mo., 12-17.
 King, Will (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 11-17; (Coney Island) Cincinnati, O., 18-24.
 Koler & Seymour (Crystal): Cripple Creek, Col., 12-17.
 Kurtis, Wm. J. & Dogs (West End Park): New Orleans, La., 4-17.
 Keeney & DeGarmo (Olympic Park): Newark, N. J., 12-17.
 Klein-Ott Bros. & Nicholson (Hopkin's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 11-17; (Ravinia Park) Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Kartell (Ft. Sheridan Park): Highwood, Ill., 12-17.
 Keant, Charles (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 12-17.
 Kosare & Chaplin (Star): Portland, Ore., 12-17.
 Karsou, Kit (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Kins-Ners, The (Ramona Park) Grand Rapids, Mich., 5-17.
 Kaufman, Reba (Alhambra): London, Eng., May 8-June 30, indef.
 Kelly & Violette (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 11-17.
 Kohler & Marlon (Thayer's Park): Amsterdam, N. Y., 12-17.
 LeClair, John (Rooft Garden): Lancaster, Pa., 12-17; (Sommer Park) Montreal, Can., 19-24.
 LeBoys, The (Seaside Park): Ayley, Ont., 12-17.
 LeMaire & LeMaire (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 11-17; (Whitney) Detroit, Mich., 18-24.
 LaCroix, Paul (Summer): Wichita, Kan., 11-17; (Aerodrome) Leavenworth 18-24.
 Leighton, Lillian & Co. (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 12-17; (Bijou) Marquette 19-24.
 LaTeli Bros. (Olympic Park): Newark, N. J., 5-17; (Steeplechase Pier) Atlantic City 19-24.
 Leonard & Phillips (Orpheum): St. Paul, Minn., 5-17.
 Leonhardt (Cedar Point Park): Sandusky, O., 11-17.
 Litchfield, Mr. & Mrs. Nell (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 11-17; (Ingersoll Park) Des Moines, Ia., 18-24.
 Lawson, Chinese (Riverside Park): Saginaw, Mich., 18-24.
 Leo, May & Trained Pets (Wildwood Park): Putnam, Conn., 12-17; (Berkshire Park) Pittsfield, Mass., 19-24.
 Lavine & Leonard (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 18-July 1.
 LaGette (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., May 29-17.
 Lucy & Lucier (O. H.): Freeport, Ill., 11-17.
 Lively, R. E. (At Home): Sistersville, W. Va., 12-17; Pittsburgh, Pa., 19-24.
 Lindstrom & Anderson (Weast's): Peoria, Ill., 12-17.
 Lavens & Cross (Weona Beach Park): Bay City, Mich., 11-17; (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Lindsay's Dogs & Monkeys (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 11-17; (Lake Michigan Park) Muskegon 19-24.
 Lakols, Harry & Carrie (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 12-17; (Bijou) Winnipeg, Man., 19-24.
 LaDrew & LaZone (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 12-17; (Metropolitan) Duluth 19-24.
 Leslie, The (Weast's): Cincinnati, O., 12-17; (Sharer's) Columbus 19-24.
 Lee, Mr. & Mrs. (Palace): Little Madeline (Grand): Victoria, B. C., 12-17; (Grand) Tacoma, Wash., 19-24.

Leipzig, Nate (Electric Park): Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
 LeClair & West (Moore's): Lima, O., 12-17; (Spring Lake Park) Treuton, N. J., 19-24.
 LaAdella (Idea): Fond du Lac, Wis., 12-17; (Weast's) Peoria, Ill., 19-24.
 Lewis, Al (Bou's): Escanaba, Mich., 12-17; (Bijou) Calumet 19-24.
 Lhrens, Fone (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 12-17; (Keith's) Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24.
 LaVine, Edward & Lillian Waitone (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-17; (Electric Park) Kansas City, Mo., 18-July 1.
 LaValls, The (Grand): Portland, Ore., 19-24.
 LaDeut, The Great (Lakeview Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17; (Mannion's Park) St. Louis, Mo., 18-24.
 Lancaster, Freda (Hollywood Park): Baltimore, Md., 5-17.
 Lambert & Pierce (Berkshire Park): Pittsfield, Mass., 12-17.
 LaDell (Palm): Cripple Creek, Col., 12-17.
 Laugdon, Hardie (Park): Erie, Pa., 12-17.
 Leonard, Grace (Collins' Gardens): Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Lealle, Geo. W. (Empire): Tacoma, Wash., 12-17.
 Leigh, Jolly Ben (Epire): Gloucester City, N. J., 5-17.
 LaMaze Bros. (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 LeRoy, Gerlie (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 12-17.
 Lorene, Geo. (Columbia): Utica, N. Y., 12-17; (Iron Pier) Syracuse 19-July 1.
 Lyne & Kennedy (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Laclie, Mme.: En route with Wm. P. Hall's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Lancaster, F. Francis (Berkeley, Col., May 29-July 1.
 Lane & Suzinetta: En route with Monarch Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Langer, William J.: En route with the Great Mundy Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Lassner, Lee (Park): Dubuque, Ia., June 12, indef.
 LeMoind, F.: En route with Lachman-Keetch Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Leubardt & Held: En route with Fleeta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 LePages, The Great (White City Park): Cleveland, O., June 12-July 1.
 Levino, Dolph and Susie (Coliseum): London, Eng., indef.
 Levy, Mrs. Jules & Co. (Star): Seattle, Wash., indef.
 Lewis & Herr: Chicago, Ill., indef.
 Lingerman's, Prof. (Palace of Amusement) Washington Park: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Lombard, Preston (Chestnut Hill Park): Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, indef.
 Louise, Mlle. (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 Lucier, Ben: En route with Campbell Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Lyons, Walter S.: En route with Pilbeam Bros.' Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Msh, Agnes (Marigny): Paris, Fr., April 20-Aug. 31, indef.
 Malcolm & Shevete: En route with Ferrari Bros.' Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Mario & Aldo (Orin Broadway) Circus: City of Mexico, Mex., March 25-Dec. 1, indef.
 Martne, Eddie: En route with J. Frank Hatch Show. See Midway Routes.
 McCandley, Joe (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., April 3, indef.
 McClellan, James (Metropolitan): Duluth, Minn., June 12, indef.
 Melville, Jean (Genesee): Syracuse, N. Y., June 12, indef.
 Meredith Sisters (Stoll Tour): England, indef.
 Merriam, Billie: En route with Bauscher Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Morris & Morris (Phoenix): Tacoma, Wash., indef.
 McSorley & Eleanore (Topic): Billings, Mont., 12-24.
 Munroe, Geo. W. (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 McNamee (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 19-24.
 McKeever & Sandry (Rialto): Elmira, N. Y., 12-17.
 Mar Tina (Crystal): Marion, Ind., 12-17.
 Marville & Gleason (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17.
 Marlon & Pearl (Rock Spring Park): East Liverpool, O., 11-17.
 McIntyre & Hesth (Keith's): New York City, 12-17.
 Musketeers, Four (Athletic Park): Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.
 Mystic Crucible (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., May 24, indef.
 May & Miles (Broadway): San Bernardino, Cal., 5-18; (Orpheum) Riverside 19-24.
 Marriott Twins (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 11-17.
 Mitchell & Browning (Elite): Davenport, Ia., 12-17.
 McOune & Grant (Oleutangy Park): Columbus, O., 11-17; (Lake Side Park) Akron 19-24.
 Murphy & Andrews (Grand): Portland, Ore., 12-17; (Grand) Spokane, Wash., 19-24.
 Mack & Elliott (Star): Vancouver, B. C., 12-17; (Star) Victoria 19-24.
 Mitchell & Love (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17; (Spring Bank Park) South Bend 18-24.
 Mantell's Electric Marionettes (Novelty): Vallejo, Cal., 12-17.
 Merritt, Raymond (London): London, Can., 12-17; (Hanon's Point) Toronto, 19-24.
 Marco Twins (Forest Park Highlands): Kansas City, Mo., 11-17; (Mannion's Park) St. Louis 18-24.
 Magee, Clem C. (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 12-17.
 Melroy Trio (Star): Portland, Ore., 12-17.
 Mathews, Juggling (Casino Park): Kalamazoo, Mich., 11-17.
 Minor & Galbreth (Crystal): St. Joseph, Mo., 11-17.
 Mortous, Four Juggling (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 12-17; (Ingersoll Park) Des Moines, Ia., 18-24.
 McKinnon & Reed (Mendon Park): Milford, Mass., 12-17; (Brookside Park) Athol 19-24.
 Millman Trio (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17; (Sommer Park) Montreal, Can., 19-24.
 Mann, Danny & Lola Haines: San Jose, Cal., 12-17.
 Magnaul Family (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-17.
 Maddox, Richard (O. H.): Oskaloosa, Ill., 12-17.
 Martini & Max Millian (Tivoli): Birmingham, Eng., 19-24; (Hippodrome) Brighton 26-July 1.
 Macarte Sisters, Three (Hippodrome): London, Eng., 5-July 1.

Maitland, Madge P. (Park): Owensboro, Ky., 12-17.
 McConnell Sisters (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
 Meier & Mora (Empire): Holloway, Eng., 19-24; (Empire) Norcross 26-July 1.
 Meers, Three (Circus Variete): Stockholm, Swed., 5-30.
 Montgomery & Rice (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Millard Bros. (Oleutangy Park): Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Morton, Temple & Morton (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Morton, Gertrude (Spring Grove Park): Springfield, O., 11-17.
 Murphy & Willard (Oak S. Park): Evansville, Ind., 12-17.
 Marshall, The Mystic (Central Park): Allentown, Pa., 12-17.
 Mason's Society Belles (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Melrose Sisters (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 Meredith Sisters (Stoll Tour): Eng., Apr. 1-June 30.
 Morris & Parker (Glendale Park): Nashville, Tenn., 5-24.
 Manning & Drew (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 12-17.
 Millership Sisters (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Majestic Musical Four (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Nelson Family: Terre Haute, Ind., 19-24.
 Neola (Weast's): Peoria, Ill., 12-17; (Illinois) Rock Island 19-24.
 Norman, the Frog Man (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 Newell & Niblo (Hopkin's Park): Memphis, Tenn., 11-17; (Oak Summit Park) Evansville, Ind., 18-24.
 Niblo & Riley (Keith's): New York City, 12-17.
 Norton & Nicholson (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Norman, Miss Mary (Ravinia Park): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Nixon, Geo. E.: En route with Robinson Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Normans, Five Juggling: En route with Gentry Bros.' Dog and Pony Show No. 1.
 O'Dole, Geo. W.: En route with Campbell Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Otte, Nick: En route with Pilbeam Bros.' Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Norworth, Jack (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 11-17.
 Omar, Great (Hanon's Point): Toronto, Can., 11-17; (Lake Park) Kingston 18-24.
 O'Brien & Duno (London): London, Can., 12-17; (Weona Beach Par.) Bay City, Mich., 18-24.
 O'Laughlin, Major (Grand): Milwaukee, Wis., 12-17.
 O'Neill, James (Street Fair): Quincy, Ill., 12-17.
 Original Boothback Quartet (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
 O'Day, Ida (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 12-17.
 Ordler, Mlle. (The Mizpah): Ottawa, Ill., 12-17.
 Ornd, Lee: St. Louis, Mo., indef.
 Ogden, Helen (Stratford Park): Delaware, O., 11-17; (Genett) Richmond, Ind., 19-24.
 Primrose & Rohoff (Dreamland): Rochester, N. Y., 12-17; (Dreamland) Albany 19-24.
 Pierce & Rosslyn (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 18-24.
 Phelps, Orren & Mille (Bijou): Calumet, Mich., 12-17; (Bijou) Marquette 19-24.
 Pero & Wilson (Steeplechase): Bridgeport, Conn., 12-17.
 Powers & Theobald (Pickwick): San Diego, Cal., 12-17; (Unique) Los Angeles 19-24.
 Patrice (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 12-17; (O. H.) Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Powers & Freed (G. O. H.): Freeport, Ill., 12-17.
 Pelot, Fred & Annie (Spring Grove Park): Springfield, O., 11-17; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, 18-24.
 Pope, J. C. & Dog (Cook's Park): Evansville, Ind., 12-17.
 Patty Bros. (Hammerstein's): New York City, 5-17.
 Parkhurst: En route with Jones-Adams Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Payton & Harris (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 12-17.
 Payne & Claremont: Greensburg, Pa., 12-17.
 Perry & Alecia (Lakewood Park): Waterbury, Conn., 12-17.
 Powers Bros.: Lynchburg, Va., 12-17.
 Paulton & Dooley (Keith's): New York City, 12-17.
 Powell's Elephants (Hippodrome): New York City, 5-17.
 Powers, Mr. & Mrs. John T. (Park): Alameda, Cal., 12-17; (Lyceum) San Francisco, 19-24.
 Polk & Collins (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 12-17.
 Quinlan & Mack (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Raimund & Good (Crystal Park): Leavenworth, Kan., 11-17; (Fort Sheridan Park) Chicago, Ill., 18-24.
 Recklaw, Dan (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 12-17.
 Russell, Schooley & Russell (Lakeside Casino): Akron, O., 12-17; (Four Mile Creek Park) Erie, Pa., 19-24.
 Ramsey Sisters (Dreamland): Decatur, Ill., 11-17; (Wonderland) Danville 18-24.
 Reed & Franklin (Woodmen): Estherville, Ia., 12-17.
 Rewald (Forst Keller): Milwaukee, Wis., 5-17; (West Side) Janesville 19-24.
 Rays, The Three (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17; (Electric Park) Kansas City, Mo., 18-24.
 Raaf, Claude (Wonderland): Milwaukee, Wis., 11-17; (Wonderland) Minneapolis, Minn., 18-24.
 Rawls & Von Kaufman (Hopkin's): Louisville, Ky., 11-17; (Olympic) Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Reno & Murray (Orpheum): Springfield, O., 12-17.
 Rice Family (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17; (Celeon) Jamestown 19-24.
 Robson, May (Grover's): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
 Ryan, Lester & Ryan (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-24.
 Rockway & Conway (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., 12-17.
 Randolphs, Grotesque (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 11-17; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, O., 18-24.

Rooney & Bent (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 19-24.
 Bedford & Winchester (Park): Ft. Sheridan, Ill., 18-24.
 Ravenscroft, Charlotte (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 Radford & Valentine (Derby Castle): Douglas, Isle of Man, Eng., 12-24; (Lyric) Liverpool 26-July 1.
 Reed & Shaw: Jamestown, N. Y., 12-17.
 Ritchie & Francis (Park): Hempstead, N. Y., 12-17.
 Ross & Lewis (Hippodrome): Preston, Eng., 19-24; (Hippodrome) Ashton 26-July 1.
 Russell, Bijou: Canterbury, Paragon, Ialington, Eng., 12-24.
 Russell & Buckley (Brookside Park): Athol, Mass., 12-17.
 Russell, Phil & Carrie (Orpheum): Portland, Ore., 5-17.
 Rapoll (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 12-17.
 Rice, John & Sallie Cohen (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 12-24.
 Rich & Harvey (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Raymond & Clark (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Riches, The (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Ritchie, Dare Devil: En route with the Great Alamo Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Roelker, E. O.: En route with the Gaskill Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Rogers & Lavine (Metropolitan): Tampa, Fla., indef.
 Ronay Sisters (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Rosaire & Doreto (Lyceum): London, Eng., June 12-July 8.
 Samson, Arthur (Orpheum): Springfield, O., June 5, indef.
 Santelli, The Great: En route with J. Frank Hatch Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Savoy, The: En route with Wallace's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Schmidt, The: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Seeth, Julius (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 Sharrocks, The: En route with Wm. P. Hall's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Silverlake & Hart: En route with the Continental Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Smiths, The Aerial: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Snyder, Bud (Hammerstein's): New York City, May 29-Aug. 5, indef.
 Stratton, Wm. D. (Palace): Chestnut Hill, Pa., June 12-July 1.
 Stuart (Hammerstein's): New York City, June 5, indef.
 Stansfield (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 12-17; (Star) Portland, Ore., 19-24.
 St. John & LeFevre (Keith's): New York City, 12-17; (Keith's) Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24.
 Silveno (Grand): Helena, Mont., 12-17.
 Spaulding, Marvellous (Idea): Fond du Lac, Wis., 12-17.
 Sinclair & Carlisle (Idea): Fond du Lac, Wis., 12-17.
 Sursal & Razal (Bijou): Calumet, Mich., 12-17; (Bijou) Marquette 19-24.
 Santoro & Mario (Whitney's): Detroit, Mich., 12-17; (Moore's Garden) Lima, O., 19-24.
 Selby, Ernie (Bijou): Racine, Wis., 11-17; (Wonderland Park) Milwaukee 19-24.
 Stapleton & Chaney (Eagle's Circus): Springfield, O., 12-17.
 Shields & Paul (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 4-17; (Orpheum) Los Angeles 18-July 1.
 Summers & Winters (Novelty): Stockton, Cal., 12-17; (Grand) Fresno 19-24.
 Sheck Bros. (Ft. Sheridan Park): Highland, Ill., 11-17.
 St. John & Nicolai (Star): Cleveland, O., 12-17.
 Snyder & Buckley (Ravinia Park): Chicago, Ill., 12-17; (Forest Park Highlands) St. Louis, Mo., 19-24.
 Stanley & LeRoy: San Diego, Cal., 12-17.
 Samuels, M. (Bijou): Quincy, Ill., 12-17; (Galaxy) Springfield 19-24.
 Stevens, Kittle (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 12-17.
 St. Claire Sisters (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 12-17.
 Sutton & Sutton (Lakeview Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 18-24.
 Sims, Reouble (Amusement Park): Decatur, Ill., 11-17; (Amusement Park) Danville 18-24.
 Smith & Arado (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 11-17; (Casino Park) Kalamazoo, Mich., 18-24.
 Sato, O. K.: Luzerne, Switz., 18-30.
 Spraguelles, The (Wildwood Park): Putnam, Conn., 12-17.
 Stoue & Lind (Keith's): New York City, 12-17.
 Stuart & LaVardo (Al Fresco Park): Peoria, Ill., 12-17.
 Stone, Belle (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 12-17.
 Stephens, Paul (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-17.
 Shantytown Trio (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Stein-Erette Family (Circo Pariah): Madrid, Spain, 1-30.
 Swickard, Mr. and Mrs. (Luna Park): Johnstown, Pa., 12-17.
 Sylvester, Jones & Pringle: Ogden, Utah, 12-17.
 Somers & Wible (Governator's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
 Sylan & O'Neal (Lyric): Pittsburg, Kan., 12-17.
 Smirl & Kessner (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 19-24.
 Schell's, Nine, Lions (Sommer Park): Montreal, Can., 12-24.
 Solis Bros. (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 25-July 1.
 Taylor, Erma (Capitol): Glenns Falls, N. Y., indef.
 Teal, Raymond (Casino): Los Angeles, Cal., May 29-July 1.
 Texana Sisters (White City Park): Chicago, Ill., May 27, indef.
 Thardo, Claude (Bijou): Brooklyn, N. Y., indef.
 Thompson Sisters (Belvidere): San Francisco, Cal., May 28-July 22.
 Townsend, C. H. (Linn's Museum): Buffalo, N. Y., May 19, indef.
 Trueheart, Dillon & Burke (Star): Atlanta, Ga., 12-24.
 Tarlton & Tarlton (O. H.): Mankato, Minn., 12-17; (O. H.) Brookings, S. D., 19-24.
 Troubadours, Three (Four Mile Creek Park): Erie, Pa., 11-17; (Lakeside Park) Akron, O., 18-24.

Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry (Farm): Toledo, O., 11-17.
 Traak & Gladden (Electric Park): Kansas City, Mo., 4-17; (Manhattan Beach) Denver, Col., 18-17.
 Travel & Landers (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., 11-17.
 Talbot & Rogers (Fairview Park): Dayton, O., 12-17; (Spring Grove Park) Springfield 18-24.
 Tomkins, William (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 5-17.
 Terry & Lambert (Empire): Leeds, Eng., 19-24; (Empire) Newcastle 26 July 1; (Euston & Star) London 3-8; (Middlesex & Cambridge) London 10-15.
 Van Camp (Seacalm Park): Gallon, O., 12-17.
 Van Hook (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 12-17; Proctor's New York City, 19-24.
 Van Goffe & Cotrely (Family): Richmond, Ind., 12-17.
 Von Kleise & Gibson (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Valentinos, The (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 11-17.
 Vardelles, The (G. O. H.): Anderson, Ind., 12-17; Columbus, O., 19-24.
 Vance, Christine (Standard): Ft. Worth, Tex., 12-17.
 Vane, Harry, Magician: En route with the Cosmopolitan Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Ward & Coste (Family): East St. Louis, Ill., 12-17.
 Ward, H. Tom (Memph): Memphis, Tenn., April 17, 12-17.
 Watson's, Sam, Farmyard: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Wolfing's Stallions and Dogs: En route with Ringling Bros.' Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Whittle, W. E. (Tumbling Dam Park): Bridgeport, N. J., 12-17.
 Wilson Trio (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Welsh, Chas. — Jennie (Novelty): Sioux Falls, S. D., 12-17.
 West & Van Sien (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-24.
 Wynn & Hart (Lafayette): Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17; (Anditorium) Charlotte 19-24.
 Washer Bros. (Crystal): Cripple Creek, Col., 12-17.
 Williams & Mayer (O. H.): Belvidere, Ill., 12-17.
 World's Comedy Four (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-24.
 Whelan & Seales (Park): Danville, Ill., 12-17; (Park) Decatur 19-24.
 Wilson & DeMoss (G. O. H.): Rock Island, Ill., 11-17; (Burtis) Davenport, Ia., 18-24.
 Warren & Howard (Lindenwald Park): Hamilton, O., 11-17.
 Wilson, Alf. & Mabe (Palace): Boston, Mass., 12-17; (Crescent Garden) Boston 19-24.
 White, Irene (Crystal): Marion, Ind., 12-24.
 Wormser Children (Citizens' Park): Muscatine, Ia., 12-17; (Schuetsen Park) Davenport, 19-24.
 Williams & Long (Great Parker Amusement Co.): Sedalia, Mo., 12-17.
 Williams & Melburn (Four Mile Creek Park): Erie, Pa., 12-17; (Pastor's) New York City 19-24.
 Warren & Gardner (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 12-24.
 Walbourn & Whitney (Al Fresco Beach Park): Peoria, Ill., 12-17.
 White & Simmons (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
 Willard, Great (Adams): West Seneca, N. Y., 5-17.
 Wills, Estelle K. (Tumbling Dam Park): Bridgeport, N. J., 12-17.
 Winter (Winona) South Shields, Eng., 19-24; (Marsden Rock) 26 July 1.
 Westcott, Eva (Farm): Toledo, O., 11-17.
 White & Stuart (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Woodward, V. P. (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 12-17.
 Young, Tot: Muncie, Ind., 12-17; Marion 19-24.
 Young, Olive & Broder (Coliseum): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
 Young & Brooks (Riverside Park): Saginaw, Mich., 11-17; (Pleasure Park) Norwalk, O., 18-24.
 Young American Quintet (Fort Sheridan Park): Highwood, Ill., 19-24.
 Young & DeVole (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 12-17; (Olympic) Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Zazel, Vernon & Co. (Keith's): New York City, 12-17.
 Young, Frank and Emily (Westwood): Cincinnati, O., 12-17.
 Zarell, Ben and Ella: En route with the Southern Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Zelleno, The Mystic: En route with Lemon Bros.' Show. See Tent Show Routes.

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Adair, Gregg & Adair, Johnny Adair, mgr.: Gratton, W. Va., June 1, 12-17.
 Albee Stock Co., E. F. Albee, mgr.: Providence, R. I., May 1, 12-17.
 Alcazar Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
 An Aristocratic Tramp, Kilroy & Britton, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., June 4, 12-17.
 Arcade Stock Co.: Toledo, O., 12-17.
 A Yankee Circus on Mars, and The Raiders: New York City, April 13, 12-17.
 Baker Theatre Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., May 27, 12-17.
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 Bakwin-Melville Stock Co.: Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.
 Bakwin-Melville Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., 12-17.
 Belasco & Mayer Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., 12-17.
 Belasco Theatre, Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: Los Angeles, Cal., 12-17.
 Bellows Stock Co.: Denver, Col., May 28, 12-17.
 Benton's Comedians, Percé B. Benton, mgr.: Muskogee, I. T., 12-17.
 Bernard, Sam, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: New York City, May 1, 12-17.
 Bijou Theatre: Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Bishop's Players: San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
 Blair, Engeline: Toronto, Can., May 29, 12-17.
 Bohman Stock Co.: New Albany, Ind., 12-17.
 Bowdoin Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., 12-17.
 Broadway Dramatic Co., Frank Reicher, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., May 29, 12-17.
 Broadway Stock Co., Malcolm Williams, mgr.: Worcester, Mass., May 1, 12-17.
 Buffington Stock Co.: Fall River, Mass., 12-17.

Burbank Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., 12-17.
 Berry Stock Co., Miles Berry, mgr.: Frankfort, Ind., 12-17; Logansport 19-24.
 Booth, Virginia, A. B. C. Crawford, mgr.: Grove City, Pa., 12-17.
 Breckenridge Stock Co.: St. Cloud, Minn., 12-17.
 Barborca-James, Fred James, mgr.: Newark, N. Y., 12-17.
 Baker & Moser Dramatic Co., A. J. Moser, mgr.: Albuquerque, N. Mex., 14-15; Santa Fe 16-17.
 Brandon, Howard, Theatre (Eastern), Howard Brandon, mgr.: Cumberland, Wis., 12-17; New Richmond 19-24.
 Brandon, Howard, Theatre (Western), Howard Brandon, mgr.: Osceola, Wis., 12-17; Fredrick 19-24.
 Bennett-Moulton: Stevens Point, Wis., 12-14.
 Brandon, Howard, Stock Co., W. P. Schoonover, mgr.: Hayward, Wis., 12-17.
 Clifford, Billy, C. F. Whitaker, mgr.: Nashville, Tenn., 5-17; Birmingham, Ala., 19-24.
 Cushman & St. Claire Stock Co.: Cedar Rapids, Ia., 12-17.
 Cntter Stock Co., Wallace R. Cntter, mgr.: Mansfield, O., 5-17.
 Cook, Oscar F., Stock Co., Carl W. Cook, bus. mgr.: Lima, O., 12-17.
 Cook & Harris Stock Co.: Sidney, N. Y., 14.
 Caldwell Stock Co.: Omaha, Neb., May 13, 12-17.
 Calumet Stock Co., John T. Connors, mgr.: South Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Castle Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., 12-17.
 Caselle's French Dramatic Co.: New Orleans, La., 12-17.
 Central Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
 Cincinnati Stock Co., Geo. F. Fleh, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, 12-17.
 Clarke, Harry Corson: Pueblo, Col., May 30-July 8.
 Clayton, Una, Stock Co.: Montreal, Can., 12-17.
 Collier, William, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: London, Eng., May 29, 12-17.
 Colonial Stock Co.: Cleveland, O., 12-17.
 Columbia Stock Co.: Newark, N. J., 12-17.
 Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., 12-17.
 Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Washington, D. C., 12-17.
 Cook's Opera House Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., 12-17.
 Court Square Stock Co., Robt. H. Keller, mgr.: Scranton, Pa., 12-17.
 Courtney Stock Co., Wm. Courtney, mgr.: Albany, N. Y., May 1, 12-17.
 Courtney Stock Co.: Duluth, Minn., 12-17.
 Craghton, Bertha: Portland, Ore., June 5, 12-17.
 Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Col., 12-17.
 Davis, Harry, Stock Co.: Pittsburg, Pa., 12-17.
 DeVernon, Vail, Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., 12-17.
 DeVos, Flora (No. 2), J. B. Rotnour, mgr.: Ashland, Wis., May 29-Sept. 2.
 Diamond Stock Co.: Holyoke, Mass., June 5, 12-17.
 Diemer Theatre Stock Co.: Springfield, Co., 12-17.
 Dilger-Cornell, W. E. Cornell, mgr.: Sayre, Pa., June 5-July 8.
 Douglas, Byron, Stock Co.: Toledo, O., April 23, 12-17.
 Dora Thorne, Rowland & Clifford, mgrs.: Milwaukee, Wis., 11-17.
 Davis, Lara, Stock Co.: Natchez, Miss., 5-17.
 Drew, John, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: Los Angeles, Cal., 14-17.
 Eekhardt & Hawkins' Ideals: Tacoma, Wash., June 4, 12-17.
 Edwards, Walter, Wells, Dnne & Harlan, mgrs.: Richmond, Va., May 29, 12-17.
 Empire Stock Co., Max Falkenhener, mgr.: Cleveland, O., Feb. 20, 12-17.
 Empire Theatre Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., 12-17.
 Farnum, Wm., Stock Co.: Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.
 Fawcett Stock Co., George Fawcett, mgr.: New York City, May 1, 12-17.
 Fenberg Stock Co., Geo. M. Fenberg, mgr.: Portland, Me., 12-17.
 Ferris, Dick, Stock Co.: San Francisco, Cal., May 1, 12-17.
 Ferris Stock Co.: Minneapolis, Minn., 12-17.
 Ferris Stock Co.: Omaha, Neb., May 14, 12-17.
 Fielding Stock Co.: Indianapolis, Ind., May 15, 12-17.
 Fiske & Stock: St. John, N. B., April 17, 12-17.
 Fleming, Mamie, W. H. Gracy, mgr.: Atlantic City, N. J., June 5, 12-17.
 Fortham Stock Co., Chas. Francis Nelson, mgr.: Dunkirk, N. Y., June 5, 12-17.
 Fleming, Mamie, W. H. Gracy, mgr.: Atlantic City, N. J., June 5, 12-17.
 Forepaugh Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 8, 12-17.
 Fulton Bros. Stock Co., Jack P. Gilnes, mgr.: Lincoln, Neb., June 5-Sept. 2.
 Fiske, Mrs. and the Manhattan Co., Harrison Grey Fiske, prop. and mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., 5-17.
 Frawley: Stockton, Cal., 14; Fresno 15; Santa Barbara 16; Riverside 17.
 Garrick Dramatic Co.: Saginaw, Mich., May 8, 12-17.
 German Theatre Stock Co., Helmann & Webb, mgrs.: St. Louis, Mo., 12-17.
 Glaser, Vaughn, Stock Co., A. C. Robinson, bus. mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., 12-17.
 Goettler Stock Co., Chas. A. Goettler, mgr.: New York City, June 5, 12-17.
 Goodhue Stock Co.: Louisville, Ky., May 15, 12-17.
 Grattan & DeVernon Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., 12-17.
 Goodwin, N. C., Geo. J. Appleton, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., 12-24.
 Hall, Don C.: Chicago, Ill., May 25-June 25.
 Henderson Stock Co., W. J. & E. B. Henderson, mgrs.: Marshalltown, Ia., 12-17.
 Herald Square Stock Co., Ritter & Fanshawe, mgrs.: Calais, Me., 12-17; Machias 19-24.
 Hunt Stock Co., M. A. Hunt, mgr.: Pellston, Mich., 12-17; Boyne City 19-24.
 Hillman, Maudie: Saratoga, N. Y., 12-17.
 Hello Bill: Saranac Lake, N. Y., 20.
 Henderson's, Mand. Attractions, Jno. Parent, mgr.: Pierceton, Ind., 12-17.
 Hill, Laura Nelson: Columbus, O., May 29, 12-17.
 Hamilton & Thompson's Stock Co.: Lynn, Mass., May 22, 12-17.
 Hanford, Charles B., F. Lawrence Walker, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 29, 12-17.
 Harper, Georgia & Co., Harper & Detrick, mgrs.: Santa Barbara, Cal., May 15, 12-17.

Harris-Parkinson Stock Co., Robt. H. Harris, mgr.: New Orleans, La., May 7, 12-17.
 Hart's Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Hathaway Theatre Stock Co.: New Bedford, Mass., May 1, 12-17.
 Hayward, Grace, Stock Co., Carmontelle & Kress, mgrs.: Omaha, Neb., May 8-Sept. 2.
 Heath Stock Co., George Heath, mgr.: Rochester, N. Y., May 29, 12-17.
 Heir to the Hoopah: New York City, April 10, 12-17.
 His Father's Sin, Jed Carleton, mgr.: Sandwich, Ont., 12-17.
 Holden Stock Co., Holden Bros., mgrs.: Indianapolis, Ind., May 15, 12-17.
 Holland, Mildred, Edward C. White, mgr.: Buffalo, N. Y., May 29, 12-17.
 Hopkins' Stock Co., A. B. Morrison, mgr.: Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 19, 12-17.
 Howard-Dorset, Geo. B. Howard, mgr.: Sioux City, Ia., June 11-Aug. 7.
 Howard Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., April 24, 12-17.
 Hoyt's Comedy Co., H. G. Allen, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., April 24, 12-17.
 Hunter-Bradford Players: Hartford, Conn., June 1, 12-17.
 Huntington-DeDeyn: Lowell, Mass., May 22, 12-17.
 Imperial Stock Co., Geo. H. Hamilton, mgr.: San Antonio, Tex., 12-17.
 Imperial Theatre Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., May 29, 12-17.
 Jenkins, Clare, J. W. Leigh & C. J. Moore, mgrs.: Geary, Okla., 12-17; Yukon 19-24.
 Jessons, Irene, Stock Co.: Kittanning, Pa., 12-17.
 Jamea Boya in Missouri, Frank Gazzolo, mgr.: Pittsburg, Pa., 12-17.
 Kingsley-Russell, E. B. Russell, mgr.: Bloomington, Ill., 12-17.
 Kitty: Iron Mountain, Mich., 14.
 Keim, Adelaide, Stock Co., Edw. E. Gerlinger, mgr.: New York City, May 22, 12-17.
 Keith Stock Co., Del Lawrence, mgr.: Spokane, Wash., Feb. 5, 12-17.
 Keller Stock Co., A. M. Keller, mgr.: Trinidad, Col., March 26-Aug. 12.
 Klark-Urban Stock Co., Fred Graham, bus. mgr.: Binghamton, N. Y., May 29, 12-17.
 Lafayette Stock Co., Dr. M. Campbell, mgr.: Detroit, Mich., April 30, 12-17.
 Levy, Cora, Stock Co.: Springfield, Ill., 12-17.
 Lyceum Stock Co., E. G. Grosjean, mgr.: Independence, Kan., June 12, 12-17.
 Long, Frank E., Mook Sad All, mgr.: Hancock, Mich., 12-17.
 Lewis, Dorothy: Saranac Lake, N. Y., 12-17.
 Mack Stock Co., Ben F. Mack, mgr.: Winter Harbor, Me., 12-14; Dover 15-17; Newport 19-21; Fairfield 22-24.
 McAniff, Jere, Harry Katz, mgr.: Halifax, N. S., 12-17; Windsor, 19-20; Yarmouth 21-23.
 McDonald Stock Co., G. W. McDonald, mgr.: Las Vegas, N. Mex., 12-17; La Junta, Col., 19-24.
 Mong, William V.: Seattle, Wash., Apr. 9-June 17.
 Marks Stock Co., Tom Marks, mgr.: Two Harbors, Minn., 12-17.
 Mortimer Players, Frederick E. Mortimer, mgr.: Macon, Ga., 12-17.
 Marks Gros., B. W. Marks, mgr.: Perth, Can., May 8, 12-17.
 Mathes, Clara: Vancouver, B. C., 12-17.
 Milwaukee German Theatre Stock Co.: St. Paul, Minn., May 8, 12-17.
 Mordant's Stock Co., Edwin Mordant, mgr.: Syracuse, N. Y., May 1, 12-17.
 Moore's Stock Co., Frank A. Moore, mgr.: Rock Point, Va., May 29, 12-17.
 Moroso, Oliver, Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., 12-17.
 Murray & Mackey, John J. Murray, mgr.: Parkersburg, W. Va., April 24, 12-17.
 National Stock Co., Col. H. Hamilton, mgr.: Ashland, Ky., June 5-July 1.
 National Theatre Stock Co.: Dayton, O., 12-17.
 National Theatre Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., 12-17.
 New Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Col., May 8, 12-17.
 New People's Stock Co., Fred Conrad, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., Sept. 4, 12-17.
 New York Players, Hunter & Bradford, mgrs.: Worcester, Mass., May 15, 12-17.
 Nettle the News Girl, O. F. Gould, mgr.: Minneapolis, Minn., 12-17.
 Olcott, Chancey, Augustus Piton, mgr.: Billings, Mont., 14; Fargo, N. D., 16; Duluth, Minn., 17.
 Old Arkansas (Fred Raymond's), Merle H. Norton, mgr.: Rockland, Mich., 14; Greenland 15; Crystal Falls, 16; Florence, Wla., 17; Manistique, Mich., 20; Escanaba, 21; Rhinelander, Wis., 22; Ironwood, Mich., 23; Bessemer, 24.
 Osman Stock Co., Jno. Osman, mgr.: Covington, Va., 11-17.
 Odeon Stock Co.: St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 6, 12-17.
 Ogden Stock Co., J. E. Ogden, mgr.: Woonsocket, R. I., May 22, 12-17.
 Orieff Nashomff, Russian Players: New York City, May 15, 12-17.
 Orphenum Stock Co., Edward Doyle, mgr.: Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Paige, Mabel, Henry F. Willard, mgr.: Jacksonville, Fla., May 15, 12-17.
 Payton's Lee Avenue Stock Co.: Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 15, 12-17.
 Poli's Stock Co.: Bridgeport, Conn., May 15, 12-17.
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 Providence Dramatic Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., Oct. 10, 12-17.
 Purchase Street Theatre Stock Co., Eugene A. Phelps, mgr.: New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 1, 12-17.
 Payton Sisters, Dan S. Holt, mgr.: Montgomery, Ala., May 29-17; Jackson, Tenn., 19-July 1.
 Power Bros.: Lynchburg, Va., 12-17.
 Park's Big Stock Co., G. W. Parks, mgr.: Washington, D. C., 12-17.
 Rehr, Katherine, Stock Co.: Fitchburg, Mass., May 30-24.
 Renfrow's Jolly Pathfinders, J. N. Renfrow, mgr.: Mineral Springs, Tex., 5-17.
 Ryan, Daniel: Albany, N. Y., April 24, 12-17.
 Roberts, Florence, Fred Belasco, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., May 21-July 8.
 Rodney Stock Co.: Michigan City, Ind., June 10, 12-17.
 Saacke's German Theatre Stock Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Savoy Theatre Stock Co.: New Orleans, La., 12-17.
 Shea, Thomas E.: Toronto, Can., May 22, 12-17.

Shirley, Jessie: Spokane, Wash., 12-17.
 Snow, Mortimer, Stock Co.: Schenectady, N. Y., 12-17.
 Southard, J. Irving: Annapolis, Md., 12-17.
 Spedden & Paige Co.: Topeka, Kan., 12-17.
 Spooner Stock Co., Mrs. B. F. Spooner, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 15, 12-17.
 Standard Stock Co., Darcy & Speck, mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
 Stater's Stock Co.: Oklahoma City, Okla., 12-17.
 Sites' Stock Co. (Southern), Sites & Gilbert, mgrs.: New Bethlehem, Pa., 12-17; Williamsport, 10-24.
 Sherman-Flatt Stock Co., Wm. B. Sherman, mgr.: Esigary, N. W. T., 5-17.
 Sothern, E. H. and Julia Marlowe, Charles Frohman, mgr.: St. Paul, Minn., 12-14; Minneapolis 15-17.
 The Musical Girl (Fred Raymond's Eastern), George Bades, mgr.: Ellsworth, Me., 14; Bar Harbor 15; Stonington 16; Booth Bay Harbor 17; Brunswick 19; Oldtown 22; Brownville 23; Dover 24.
 Tracq, The Outlaw, Ritter & Fanshawe, mgrs.: Gibson, N. B., 14; St. Marys 15; Marysville 16; Frederickton 17; Holesatow 19; Derby 20; New Castle 21; Nelson 22; Duketown 23; Chatham 24.
 Trousdale Theatre: Coffeyville, Kan., 12-17; Caney 19-24.
 Then Penalty of Sin, J. Mortimer Mitchell, mgr.: St. Marys, Ont., 16-17.
 Troy, Donna, Stock Co., J. L. Glass, mgr.: Litchfield, Minn., 12-17.
 The Factory Girl: Bente, Mont., 20-21.
 The Financier: Bente, Mont., 23-29.
 Taylor Dramatic Co., Albert Taylor, mgr.: San Antonio, Tex., June 5, 12-17.
 Thanhaner Stock Co., Albert Taylor, mgr.: San Toler Stock Co.: Wichita, Kan., March 23, 12-17.
 Trent Stock Co.: Trenton, N. J., 12-17.
 Tucker, Ethel, Stock Co., Mack Bros., mgrs.: Phoenix, Ariz., 12-17.
 Ulrich Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., 12-17.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Stetson's Western), Wm. Kibble, mgr.: Duquoin, Ill., 15; Herrin 16; Murphysboro 17; Anna 19.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin, C. W. Langstaff, mgr.: Frugality, Pa., 14; Ebensburg 15; Viltondale 16.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Phillips & Daly's): Morrisdale, Pa., 14; Osceola 16; Snow Shoe 16; Mill Hall 17.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Morgan & Howe's): New Bethlehem, Pa., 14; Brookville 15; Reynoldsville 16; Falls Creek, 17.
 Uncle Tom's Cabin (Ed. F. Davis): Gladstone, Man., 14; Rapid City 15; Morden 16; Selkirk 17.
 Vallamont Stock Co.: Williamsport, Pa., May 29, 12-17.
 Vandyke & Eaton, F. Mack, mgr.: Springfield, Ill., May 29, 12-17.
 Vandyke Stock Co., H. Walter Vandyke, mgr.: St. Joseph, Mo., 12-17.
 Vanstrum & Halla Stock Co.: Detroit, Mich., April 30, 12-17.
 Vernon Stock Co., Benj. B. Vernon, mgr.: St. Thomas, Ont., May 22, 12-17.
 Wallace, Frank, Stock Co., Frank Wallace, mgr.: Knoxville, Tenn., April 3, 12-17.
 Wallace's Theatre, Dubinsky Bros., mgrs.: Rock Island, Ill., 12-17.
 Was She to Blame, Jed Carleton, mgr.: Sandwich, Ont., 12-17.
 West End Stock Co., J. H. Washburn, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., May 2, 12-17.
 Whyte Dramatic Co., Chas. F. Whyte, mgr.: Baton Rouge, La., 12-17.
 Wiedmann's Stock Co., Ed. Jacobson, mgr.: Seattle, Wash., 12-17.
 Williams-Flood Stock Co., Fred B. Flood, mgr.: Ponca City, Okla., 12-17.
 Williams, Malcolm, Stock Co.: Worcester, Mass., 12-17.
 Woodhill Stock Co.: Dayton, O., May 15, 12-17.
 Woodward Stock Co., Woodward & Burgess, mgrs.: Kansas City, Mo., April 9, 12-17.
 Waldman, Edward, John C. Moore, mgr.: New York City, June 20, 12-17.
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 Wells-Dunne-Harlan Comedy Co.: Richmond, Va., 12-17.
 Young Buffalo, King of the Wild West: Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
 Yorkville Theatre Stock Co., David Weiss, mgr.: New York City, Jan. 30, 12-17.

MUSICAL ROUTES

A Hot Old Time, Harry Levy, mgr.: St. John, N. B., 12-14.
 All 'Round Chicago, Wm. A. Brady, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 15, 12-17.
 Buster Brown (Melville B. Raymond's): Chicago, Ill., May 23, 12-17.
 Carleton Opera Co., W. T. Carleton, mgr.: Pittsburg, Pa., June 12, 12-17.
 Cohan, Geo. M. in Little Johnny Jones, Sam H. Harris, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 29, 12-17.
 Coming Thro' The Rye, Geo. W. Lederer, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, 12-17.
 Creator's Band, Pew & Gerth, mgrs.: Milwaukee, Wla., June 5-July 2.
 Castleton Opera Co.: Milwaukee, Wla., May 21-June 24.
 Delamater Musical Comedy Co., A. G. Delamater, mgr.: Norfolk, Va., 12-17; Atlanta, Ga., 18-24.
 Dns and his Band, Frederick Phinney, mgr.: Louisville, Ky., 10-23.
 Daniels, Frank, Chas. B. Dillingham, mgr.: New York City, April 24, 12-17.
 DeGros, Maxim, Opera Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., June 5, 12-17.
 Empire Musical Comedy Co.: Columbus, O., 12-17.
 Ellyer Band, The: Cincinnati, O., May 27-23.
 Fantana, Shnbert Bros., mgrs.: New York City, Jan. 14, 12-17.
 Florodora, Fisher & Ryley, mgrs.: Boston, Mass., April 24, 12-17.
 Innes and his Band, Steve O'Grady, mgr.: Portland, Ore., June 1-23.
 Klitties Band, T. P. J. Power, mgr.: Montreal, Can., 19-20.
 Lifting The Lid: New York City, June 5, 12-17.
 Manhattan Opera Co.: Elmira, N. Y., June 5-Sept. 16.
 Maryland Opera Co.: Baltimore, Md., May 1, 12-17.
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 Rocain's Opera Co.: Winnipeg, Can., May 24, indef.
 Royal Artillery Band of Italy, Joseph DeVito, mgr.: Baltimore, Md., May 16-Sept. 18.
 Schumann-Heink, F. C. Whitney, mgr.: New York City, June 5, indef.
 Simple Simon Simple, Nixon & Zimmerman, mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, indef.
 Slaughter and his Band, Wm. Slaughter, mgr.: Brighton Beach, N. Y., June 9, indef.
 The Earl and The Girl, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Boston, Mass., May 15, indef.
 The Girl From Paris: St. Louis, Mo., May 28, indef.
 The Isle of Bong Bong, Harry Powers, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 21, indef.
 The Isle of Spice, B. C. Whitney, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 21, indef.
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 The Prince of Pileen, Henry W. Savage, mgr.: Boston, Mass., May 20, indef.
 The Royal Chef, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., April 17, indef.
 Tivoli: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
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 Victor's Band, Col. John F. Bragg, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 22, indef.
 Willis Musical Comedy Co., John B. Willis, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., May 28-29.

Williams Opera Co., Chas. Williams, mgr.: Ogden, U., 12-17.

MONSTREL ROUTES.
 Allen's, Geo. W. Quine, mgr.: Norton, Va., 14; Big Stone Gap 15; Cumberland 16; Corbin, Ky., 17.
 Dumont's, Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Donnelly's, Tommy, Jack W. Stokes, mgr.: Paterson, N. J., 5-7.
 Proctor's (under canvas), Geo. H. Proctor, mgr.: Albert Lea, Minn., 12-17.
 Richards & Pringle's, Busco Holland, mgrs.: Three Rivers, Que., 14; Quebec 15-17; River du Loup 19; Edmundston, N. B., 20; Grand Falls 21; Fort Fairfield, Me., 22; Houlton 23; Presque Isle 24.
 Vogel's, John W. Vogel, mgr.: Atlantic City, N. J., May 23, indef.

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 Americans, E. D. Miner, mgr.: Baltimore, Md., 12-17.
 Bohemians, Thomas W. Miner, mgr.: Cleveland, O., 12-17.
 Broadway Burlesquers: Washington, D. C., 12-17.
 Wine, Women and Song, M. M. Theise, mgr.: Buffalo, N. Y., 12-17.

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 Bostock's Trained Animal Show: Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 Bayrooty Bros.: Mattoon, Ill., 14; Decatur 15; Danville, 16; Ft. Wayne, Ind., 17; Detroit, Mich., 19; Port Huron 20; Flint 21; Saginaw 22; Lansing 23; Jolua 24.
 Burns & Co.'s: Grand Rapids, Wis., 14; Babcock 15; Pittsville 16; Whitehall 17; Independence 19; Arcadia 20.
 Buffalo Bill's Wild West: Amiens, Fr., 21-22; Arras, 23; Donal 24; Dunkerful 25.
 Colorado Graut's Wild West: Bertrand, Mo., 14; Sikeston 15; Whiting 16; East Prairie 17; New Madrid 19.
 Downie's, Andrew: Herkimer, N. Y., 14.
 Drake & Falkner's R. R., F. W. Falkner, mgr.: Bridgeport, Pa., 14.
 Ely's, Geo. S.: Pacific, Mo., 16; Robertsville, 17; Union 19; St. Clair 20.
 Empire, Thos. Delano, mgr.: Patton, Pa., 14; Frugality 15; Cresson 16; Gallitren 17.
 Fitzgerald's Big: Little Falls, N. Y., 12-17.
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 Lucky Bill's: Hiattville, Kan., 14; Bedford 15; Mapleton 16; Mound City 17; Pleasanton 19.
 Mausfeld's Great: Hostetter, Pa., 14; Youngwood, 19.
 Norris & Rowe's: Coeur d'Alene, Wash., 14; Sand Point, Ida., 15; Missoula, Mont., 16; Hamilton 17; Butte 19; Anaconda 20; Helena 21; Bowenman 22; Livingston 23; Billings 24.
 Pawnee Bill's Wild West: Canton, O., 14; Wooster 15; Mansfield 16; Bucyrus 17; Van Wert 19; Paulding 20; Hudson, Mich., 23; Albion 22; Charlotte 23; Fenton 24.
 Rice's Dog & Pony: Ludlow, Ky., 12-17.
 Ringling Bros.: Boston, Mass., 12-17; Brockton 19; New Bedford 20; Newport, R. I., 21; Fall River, Mass., 22; Providence, R. I., 23-24.
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 Gaskill Carnival Co.: Wichita, Kan., 12-17; Cripple Creek, Col., 19-24.
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MISCELLANEOUS ROUTES.
 Boer War, The: Brighton Beach, N. Y., indef.
 Hewett, Illustrations: Circle City, Alaska, May 22-June 24.
 Empty Dmpty (under canvas), Ernest Cooke, prop and mgr.: Pawtucket, 12-17.
 Pain's Port Arthur: Louplsville, Ky., 12-17; Cincinnati, O., 19-July 1.
 Quaker Remedy Co., Wm. Franklyn, mgr.: Lucas, Kan., 12-17; Lincoln 19-24.
 Roving Bill's Palmistry Co., W. J. DeForrest, mgr.: Temple, Tex., 10-25.
 Prescelle, Hypnotist, F. Willard Magoon, mgr.: Barton, Vt., indef.
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BUFFALO BILL IN PARIS (Special to The Billboard)

Paris, France, May 30, 1905.
Spring has been very backward in Paris, this season, and we experienced considerable cold and wet weather up to the middle of May. At the present time, however, we are having some real circus weather, which is duly appreciated by the Wild West people as well as by the immense throngs that have been flocking to the Champs de Mars to witness Col. Cody's unique exhibition.

On Sunday, May 28, we entertained the largest paying audience ever assembled in Europe. After every regular seat had been sold the park-benches were brought in and after every inch of space was utilized, thousands were turned away. This is the record of our ninth Sunday in the fashion capital of the world. Gen. Horace Porter and family, Col. Henry Watterson and family, Augustus Thomas and family, Emma Nevada Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mlle. Dris, Wm. H. Crane, Anna Heid, J. K. Gowdy and a large number of foreigners of rank are among the recent visitors of Col. Cody. The King of Spain, now in Paris, is arranging for a visit to the show, at which time a special program will be prepared. For the last week in Paris Col. Cody's time is so taken up by social and political visitors that he will scarcely have a moment's time to himself.

Julius Keene was the guest of honor of the Anglo-Saxon lodge of Masons

JAMES SHELBY OGDEN



He is only three years old, but little James Shelby Ogdan is the mascot of the James Shelby Show—named in honor of him. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Ogdan, proprietor, and is a clever little showman. Master James has seen the show grow from a six man outfit to its present proportions, which require the services of fourteen wagons and twenty-five people. Residents of Georgia, South and North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia are beginning to consider the James Shelby Shows as a part of their year's regular event, and look to its coming with interest.

at one of their recent social functions. Boyd and Hovely, the clever American comedians, were among the entertainers.

Lovers of the national game enjoyed another contest on the Champs de Mars, under Eifel Tower, May 23. It was between the American Art Students and the Wild West team. The

game played this afternoon under a burning sun resulted in a score of 11 to 9 in favor of the Wild West. The Wild West team is composed of the following players: Chester, Carr, Bright Eyes (Sloux), Petty, Servius, McCormick, McKenna, Reese and Hutchinson. Mr. Frank A. Small is manager of the team, being also press agent of the show.

Mr. M. H. Welsh and wife stopped over May 22 and 25 en route to America. Mr. Welsh has withdrawn from the McCaddon Show, and has taken an option on a big dog and pony show which he expects to bring to Europe. Managing Director Geo. O. Starr and Mrs. Starr, hale and hearty, arrived from America May 28.

Col. Cody is the vogue in Parisian art circles at present, and the artist who secures a personal sitting from the famous frontiersman considers himself lucky. Octavi, la joll Charmeuse de Serpents, is also a favorite subject.

Jack Morris, assistant treasurer, received a visit from his brother, Conn Morris, of the McCaddon Show, May 28. Arthur Morris, formerly of the Wild West, has taken up a concession at Earl's Court, London, where he will remain for the season.

The bills are up announcing the opening of the Palais Hippique at the Gallerie de Machines June 1. Sports and pastimes of the fourteenth and seventeenth centuries will be reproduced with 500 people and 200 horses. This new enterprise is an echo of the Wild West, inspired by the tremendous success of Buffalo Bill on the Champs de Mars.

CIRCUS GOSSIP.

A lion cub is a late addition to the menagerie of the Campbell Show.

Evangeline Metcalf writes that she has closed with the Geo. W. Hall Shows.

The Burton & Regula Circus is reported to be stranded in Hartford City, Ind.

Stick Davenport has been engaged as principal rider with the Bodkin Brothers' Shows.

The hippodrome at Dreamland, Coney Island, N. Y., is engaging circus acts for the open-air rings.

The license in St. Paul is \$500 per day, while in Minneapolis it is \$300 for the same length of time.

Harry E. Tudor reports business very good with Frank C. Bostock's Animal Show at Coney Island.

Farmer and Mother Jones continue to make big hits as headliners in the vandeville annex with the Great Wallace Show.

Mrs. Alice Clifford, the lady bag puncher, has closed with the Hargreaves Shows. She will spend two weeks in Atlantic City.

The LaPearl Bros. have become identified with the Bodkin Brothers' Shows as principal clowns. They also furnish their hurdle act.

The Greater American Shows, under the management of C. F. Rhodes, have closed temporarily in Chicago, undergoing reorganization.

Gentry Brothers turned them away both performances at Lincoln, Neb., May 31. Lincoln people will welcome their return to the Nebraska capital.

The W. P. Hall Shows are looking for a harvest in Kansas, their route taking in the entire wheat belt, where the crops are expected to be big.

Willard McGuire has resigned his two weeks' position as press agent with the Pawnee Bill Wild West and is resting at his home in Philadelphia.

Frank O'Donnell, who has been making good as contracting agent with Forepaugh-Sells, will, in a few weeks, return to the show to look after the newspapers.

The Great Wm. P. Hall Shows experienced a wreck at Moberly, Mo., on the morning of Friday, June 2. A stable and water wagon were put out of commission.

Col. M. H. Welsh, of the McCaddon Show, now in Paris, arrived in this country recently and was a guest of the Pawnee Bill Wild West at Warren, Pa., June 8.

Col. Frederick T. Cummins opened to great business at White City, Chicago, Saturday, May 27. Indications all point to an eminently successful season in the Windy City.

Robbins and the Hargreaves Shows are both in Maine and the contest for hilling space is spirited. Hargreaves only goes as far as Bangor, but Robbins goes on to Calais.

While doing his comedy acrobatic

turn with Geo. Cline in the performance of the VanAmberg Show at Owensboro, Ky., June 5, Charlie Brooks sustained a fractured collar bone.

Harry Strouse severed his connection with the Hargreaves Show at Salem, Mass., May 27, to accept the management of the Al. G. Barnes Animal Show, with the Parker Carnival Co.

Russell's Tent Show, under the management of J. Hugerfortb, opened in Philadelphia June 5 for the summer. It is a vaudeville show under canvas and will play different parts of the city.

Mr. Wm. Mau, the well-known showman, who was connected with Sells & Gray and several other shows, is this season connected with Bostock's Animal Show. It is his second season with Mr. Bostock.

The management of Pawnee Bill's Wild West has found it necessary to increase the seating capacity of the main tent. The side show, which is pronounced a winner, has been enlarged by the addition of forty feet in length and ten in width.

Gentry Brothers No. 2 had good business at four performances in Columbus, Ohio, and two in Indianapolis, Ind. Five baby ponies and a baby camel, all new arrivals, attract an unusual amount of attention from those who inspect the menagerie.

Miss Mannie Forepaugh, on June 3, was presented with a handsome pansy pin

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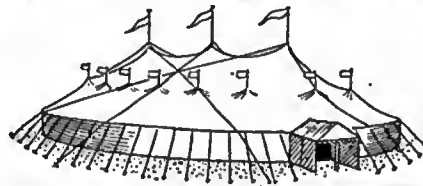
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Following is the roster of advance car No. 1 of the Gollmar Brothers Show: Wm. H. Dolly, manager; L. D. Comstock, boss billposter; Chas. E. Fick, official program solicitor; L. Greer, lithographer; E. Coll, programmer. The billposters are J. W. Erickson, E. L. Marsden, Wm. Martin, E. Johnson, Robt. Dame, C. Bender, G. Becker, Wm. Swan and Chas. Johnson. Everyone is enjoying good health and fine weather.

Notes from the LaMont Brothers Show: We opened at Salem, Ill., April 22, and encountered rain and mud for twenty days. However, the show has never lost a performance. Our first accident happened at Ellettsville, Ind., May 30, when John Friedle, of Carlisle, Pa., was bitten by a diamond rattler while assisting in loading them into the snake den. Mr. Friedle was able to rejoin the show at Seymour, Ind.

The Bodkin Brothers Shows opened to elegant business at Austin, Ill., a suburb of Chicago, Monday, May 29. The circus equipment is first-class in every particular. Roster of the company will appear in next week's issue of The Billboard. An extended engagement of several weeks will be played on Chicago lots this summer, before the Bodkin Shows go on the road.

Lon B. Williams closed as press agent for Siebel Brothers June 12, and joined Gentry's No. 1 Show, with which he has for several years been identified. Williams claims the banner newspaper contract for the year, which consisted of a ten-inch display ad and a half column reader for "er quarter and er ticket." He wanted to buy the front page at the same rate, but a patent medicine agency beat him.

Almee has joined the Robinson Amusement Co. Besides her fire dances, she is introducing a new act, and one that has proved a big success. Forty large mirrors are used, covering the entire stage and extending beyond the proscenium to the walls of the tent, thus making a complete stage of mirrors. The effect is wonderful, creating the impression that there are a hundred dancers before the audience.

The Great Wm. P. Hall Shows have established general headquarters at 67 So. Clark street, Chicago, the same being in charge of Mr. G. E. Robinson, the general excursion agent. Reports from the Hall Show indicates that business during the past two weeks has been at the top notch. Mr. Robinson has the excursion work well in hand and the showing that is being made by the advance department of this newest factor in the circus field has evoked favorable comment all along the route.

Notes from the Snyder Brothers & Lowker's Wild West: We are in our fifth week doing nice business. A feature of the show is the hand consisting of sixteen pieces under the leadership of Theodore Store. The following is the roster of the band: Bert Barrow, A. F. Stanley Irene Benter, W. M. Brock, Harold Ferguson, Geo. Dyer, Earl Trousdale, Bents Morgan, Jim Charley, Geo. Hempshall, Ed. Manpin, Wm. Brown, Charley Snider, Verne Stewart, John P. Stout and Theo. Stout.

The roster of advance car No. 1 of the John Robinson's Ten Big Shows is as follows: L. H. Heckman, manager; Harry Thurston, secretary; William Butler, litho, with Geo. Bowen as assistant; and Frank Hop Adams, boss billposter, with W. H. Richards, W. Gazola, C. Harry, E. Shaw, W. M. Brown, Fred Flashman, H. B. Huber, Harvey Bell, Geo. Marroul, F. A. Bockfellow, Frank Smith and G. W. Hutchins as assistants; H. Noolman, paste maker and John Moteney, steward.

Geo. B. Beckley, the veteran circus agent, is now in charge of car No. 1 of the Great Sells & Downs Shows. He is also doing press work for the show. He wishes to be remembered to his many friends through these columns. The roster of the car is as follows: G. B. Beckley, manager; H. D. Wright, boss billposter, with H. White, J. Holland, F. Gny, J. R. Gonett, J. F. Holden, Lon Hildebrandt, Chas. Venable, W. N. Smithers, D. S. Moon,

W. Welsenbach, A. Bradshaw and J. Gilmore as assistants.

Notes from the J. J. Keely Big Ten and Twenty Cent Show: We opened our season May 27 at Lansing, Mich., so immense business. The show is in fine shape, going out this season with all new tents, wagons and a fine lot of horses. Mr. Kelly has taken great care in selecting his people. Judging from the crowds that applauded the opening performances, his efforts were much appreciated. The show carries forty people. Mr. J. J. Kelly is sole proprietor and manager, and Will J. Currier is general representative.

The roster of Pawnee Bill's excursion car No. 4 is as follows: L. S. Barrett, excursion agent and manager; Ben Pfann, special agent; Bobt. Mathews, in charge of paper; Harry Newman, in charge of banners and lithographs; Chester Neely, chef; Tom Richards, porter; Sam McCurdy, waiter, and the following billposters: Wm. Hayes, H. S. Glattey, Guy Wood, Harry Forbush, Jas. Herrity, Geo. Bader, Chas. E. Corey, Wm. Dougherty, Ed. Baker, Chas. Baker and Wm. Wilton.

The circus license in Sioux City, Ia., was increased from \$150 to \$1,000 per day for the purpose of protecting home entertainments, such as the Interstate Fair and kindred enterprises. When home talent is not holding forth, the regular \$150 license will apply. But still how easy it would be to force a circus to pay \$1,000 by the organization of a fake amateur enterprise to run in when the circus comes to town. The ordinance doesn't appear to be just, being a mere whip by which the city fathers are enabled to lash the circus interests.

Notes from the Andrew Downie's Monster Shows of which Andrew Downie is sole owner; Mrs. Downie, treasurer, and Albert Rutherford, business manager. Business since the opening April 29th has been satisfactory, and in spite of the cold and rainy weather Mr. Downie has had no reason to complain. The shows have turned people away and every night sees the tent packed. The show gives satisfaction and the parade is a surprise to everybody. The show is more than twice as large as last season, having 103 head of stock, a big 110 foot top and 132 people on the payroll.

The foyer of the Windsor Clifton Hotel, Chicago, which has always been a rendezvous for professionals, took on a decided circus color Monday night, June 4, through the presence of a number of the leading lights that shine in the tented firmament, including John Klingling, W. E. Franklin, J. P. Fagan, Ed. Gullen, W. E. Ferguson, G. E. Robinson, E. L. Brennan, Al. Campbell, Ed. Knupp, Ralph W. Peckham and Manager Schiller. The talk that was exchanged in the hotel lobby that night would make any ordinary book of circus tales look like a Sunday school tract.

Our correspondent at LaFayette, Ind., writes as follows: No better attraction will be seen in LaFayette this summer than Carl Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show, which appeared here last night. Positively the best aggregation of wild animals ever put together into one attraction, the Hagenbeck Show, is rightfully entitled to the columns of praise which have been showered upon it. The big tent in the bottom lands west of LaFayette was packed to its capacity. No better recommendation can be given the Hagenbeck Show than that of the spectacle of the awe-stricken crowds which witnessed the wonders achieved by Hagenbeck's gifted trainers.

The sudden extinction of the acetylene gas lights in a menagerie at Nogent-le Roi, near Dreux, France, on June 3, resulted in a panic. When the lights went out the beasts became excited and roared furiously. The audience sat still for a moment, but the tension was too great, and there was a rush for the exits. Ropes and canvas were cut by the frightened patrons in order to escape. In the scramble Mlle. Faurean became entangled in the net work of ropes and was flung against the side of a cage containing a panther. The animal shot his paws between the bars and drew her tightly to the cage, holding her there. The woman fainted and was dragged from the infuriated animal in an unconscious condition.

Chas. E. Griffin writes from Paris as follows: Hassan Ali, the Egyptian giant, died at Cairo recently of tuberculosis. All was discovered by Geo. O. Starr, of the Barnum & Bailey Show, and was with that institution a number of years. He was also exhibited with Forepaugh-Sells Show, and toured Great Britain with the Buffalo Bill Wild West in 1903. His last engagement was with the Ringling Brothers last year, when he was compelled to close on account of ill health. Hassan Ali was a native of Cairo, Egypt, was thirty years of age, 8 ft., 2 inches tall, and when in normal health weighed 285 lbs. He left a widow and daughter at Cairo. He was a good natured fellow, and on account of his gambling proclivities, he received the soubriquet of "The Lobster." He was under Lew Graham's management for a number of years, and Lew tells some very interesting anecdotes about Ali's mania for shooting craps.

Our correspondent from Emporia, Kan., writes as follows: A little trained animal exhibition that has recently opened in the central part of the country is the Elston Bro. Dog and Pony Show, which deserves much praise from every standpoint. The show is owned and entirely managed by C. W. Elston and his sons, Frank, Gene and C. W. Elston, Jr. All the stock is in excellent condition, well trained and handled, and the trappings,

wardrobes and harness are of the latest pattern, while the management from start to finish is of the gentlemanly kind it is always a pleasure to meet. The show opened in Kansas City, Kan., and is now in Kansas and making good money at every stand. An especial feature is the disrobing horse, Senator, who disrobes, says his prayers and retires in a bed, placing the covers, etc., all alone. Prof. Brown and his goats also get deserved applause.

Notes from the Al Steele Big 25-cent Show: This is our fourth week out. Business good; weather has been more than bad. Following is the roster of the show: Al Steele, proprietor and manager; Jack Coyle, assistant manager; Charley Steele, treasurer; Sam Dock, equestrian director; Paul Jones, charge of reserved seats; Prof. Giuseppe De Tommassos, leader of band; Carvin Zech, wire; Charley Mankin, trapeze; Sadie Dock's troupe of dogs; The Billings, double trapeze; Harold Mankin, chin balancer and contortionist; Mr. Ammon Musselman, prince of clowns, with the Minor Brothers as assistants; Miss Clara Dock, bonnding rope artist; Monarch, educted donkey; Nellie Billings, aerial queen; Mankin Brothers and Dan Kerwin, acrobats and bar experts; Great Ambrose, boneless wonder, and Sam Dock's troupe of Shetland ponies; John L. Reh, charge of side show; Lottie, snake charmer; LeClara, electric wonder; Mack Maronett Theatre; Prof. Woodland with a band of six; Reh and Ray, character sketch artists; Don Kerwin, back and wing dancer; Milt T. Mack, juggler; Dock and Musselin, character sketch artists; Little Lottie, illustrated songs; Joe Wouker, charge of canvas, with eighteen assistants; Bill Rivers, charge of side show tent, with five assistants; Albert Hunting, charge of horses; Prof. Geo. Thompson, balloon ascensionist.

Notes from the Wm. P. Hall Shows: We continue to show to large crowds daily, and the outlook is most encouraging. Some of the highest priced acts and the best performers are on the program of the Wm. P. Hall Shows. The St. Leons are doing wonderful work and never fail to receive great applause. LaBelle and Kitty Kruger, principal lady riders, and the famous Dellameads, under the management of Roy Smith, are welcome numbers. While at Louisiana, Mo., May 31, Harry Clark, the mirth provoker, put the wings on about twenty members of the show, who all joined the order of Eagles. At Mexico, Mo., about one hundred Eagles attended the per-

Notes from the Buffalo Bill Wild West: We have had plenty of excitement of late. On the night of May 2 a murder was committed under Eifel Tower and on the morning of the 3rd a real French duel was fought which was witnessed by several members of the show. The Cossack Cavalry went out on a strike May 11. They remained out for three days and then begged to be reinstated, but it was too late, as another "hunch" was en route to take their places. J. T. McCadden and family, Mr. and Mrs. "Sky" Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Louie, John Price and C. W. McCurran were recent visitors. A unique feat was accomplished recently by a number of our Indians, who ran a race to the top of Eifel Tower. Wild Bear won in an hour and a half, which is supposed to be a record. On Sunday, May 14, the Horse Fair, after Rosa Bonheur's famous painting, was introduced and made a great hit. It requires the service of over two hundred horses and half as many men. Johnny Baker is not content with his achievements in the arena, but is adding new laurels to his reputation as a marksman. On May 17 he participated in a tournament in one of the leading gun clubs, coming out with a record of 99 out of 100. June 4 has been announced as our closing date in Paris. Our road tour begins June 5 at Chartres, a distance of eighty-eight kilometres from Paris, on the West railway. The tremendous success of the Buffalo Bill Show in Paris has inspired a French syndicate to launch a new enterprise in the shape of a mammoth three ring circus and hippodrome, to open at the Gallerie de Machines about June 1. Gen. Horace Porter, the retiring American ambassador; Col. Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier Journal, Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. Hearst, mother of Wm. Hearst, and J. Pierpont Morgan, were some of Col. Cody's recent distinguished unprofessional guests.

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A CORRECTION

A. W. Lewis, general manager of the Boer War Spectacle, at Brighton Beach, New York, writes as follows:

"In your issue of May 27, there is reproduced a cut of the general plan of the outlay of the Boer War, now at Brighton Beach, Coney Island, N. Y.

"A portion of your remarks beneath the cut is as follows: 'W. A. Brady's Boer War Spectacle, identical with the production at the World's Fair at St. Louis, will be featured.' 'I would like to state, through the columns of your esteemed journal, that the Boer War Spectacle at Brighton Beach is not W. A. Brady's. The Boer War Spectacle is owned by Mr. C. W. Wall of St. Louis, who purchased it from the South African Boer War Exhibition Co. at the World's Fair, St. Louis, which company I organized for the production of the Boer War Spectacle, which I originated. On Jan. 23 of this year I resumed the management of the Boer War for Mr. C. W. Wall, and at present am in control of the same at Brighton Beach.

"The scheme for the production of the same at Brighton Beach is entirely my own. Mr. W. A. Brady is only connected with the organization of the Brighton Beach Development Co., which is providing the amphitheatre and the grounds for this production. W. A. Brady has never had, at any time, anything to do with the organization of the Boer War nor with its conduct since its arrival at Brighton Beach."

PARK NOTES

Chas. E. Pelton is managing Fatal Wedding at Luna Park, Coney Island, N. Y. Mr. Jack Pollitt and wife are at Luna Park, Coney Island, N. Y., where they are making good.

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PEERLESS ANITA



The Physical Culture Girl, well-known in Circus Fields.

formance in a body. Mr. Hall admitted everyone of them free of charge, and after the performance a big time was had. The roster of the show is as follows: Wm. P. Hall, sole owner; Phil. Ellsworth, general manager; W. F. Rice, editor; Ben Hall, treasurer; James McElroy, twenty-four-hour-man; W. E. Musgat, general agent; Al. J. Gillingham, manager privileges and legal adjuster; B. J. Farrin, Jr., press representative; "Eagle" Coxy, superintendent lights; Thomas Fay, boss canvasman; Frank McCormick, superintendent; Whitney Lykins, boss hostler; Mark Monroe, boss animal man; Tom King, boss side show canvas; Prof. Mayo, equestrian director; Harry Clark, principal clown; Geo. Atkinson, concert manager and announcer; Bert McLain, chief ticket seller; and Mrs. McCormick, wardrobe mistress.



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Albion, Louis
Alexander, W. H.
Albman, James
Alpina Concert Co., Mgr.
Alpine Family, The
Amhark, Muly
American Am. Co.
Anagnostick, Geo.
Anderson, Mr.
Anderson's Dog and Pony Show
Andrews, Jack
Andrews, Fred
Angerth, Billy
Arnfield, Ollie
Arnold, Max A.
Arnold, W. H.
Arquette, W. M.
Arthur's "A Study in Scarlet," Mgr.
Aashbrook, Richard
Austin, J. O.
Axtell, Dwight (Contortionist)
Ayer, J. F.
BELL
Basson, Emergency
Bacon, E. E.
Ball, Foster T.
Barfield, E. B. (Colored Showman)
Barry, John E.
Barkley, Joe
Bartlett, D. T.
Bartroon, C. C. Rep.
Bass, Capt. Edw.

- Harader, C. F.
Harris, Sid
Harris, Frank G.
Hleckett Family
Brigitia, Michele
Briggs, James F. (Animal Trainer)
Briggs, Fred G.
Brittain, Frank (Ferris Wheel Red)
Bronadon, Geo. E.
Bronson, C. Z.
Brooks, Irwin
Brooks, Percy L.
Brown, E.
Brown, Charlie
Brown, Percy
Brownlee & Reed
Buechler, M. J.
Burke, James (Kee Wee)
Bush, H. C.
Butler, Chas.
Butner, Tom (Young Cole)
Buttes, Dennis
Byrnes, W. H.
Call, A. B.
Cameron, Oscar
Campion, Dave
Campbell, Doc
Campbell, Frank
Cannon, T. J.
Cannon, Sig. E. E.
Carletons, The Musical
Carr, B. F. (Sweater)
Carroll, Ion, Mgr.
Carter, J. C. Diavolo
Carver, Dr. (Rifle Shot)
Casey, Billie
Chapin, W.
Chapman, Chas. D.
Charlies Carn. Co.
Charlton, Francis T.
Chevalier, H. C.
Christy & Willis
Church, W. J. 1c
Circus Day Co., A. Mgr.
Clark Bros. Show, Mgr.
Clark, E. B.
Clark, Clever
Clark, E. N.
Clark, J. C.
Clark, A. C.
Clark, Geo. F.
Clark & Kissinger (Big Vand. Show, Mgr.)
Clark, Will
Clay, Prof. H.
Clayton, Edwin
Clemona & Clemona
Clifford, W. H.
Clincy, J.
Coffey, H. P.
Colbert, Wm. R.
"Colp" (Boss Canvas)
Cole, J. E.
Cole, Norman
Cole, Rogers' Vand. Co.
Collins, Monte
Collins, F. M.
Collins, Melville S. Mgr.
Collridge
Colver, Gordon
Comstock, Eddie
Conobols, C. J.
Conklyn, Mr. (Driver)
Cook, Prof. (Magician)
Cook & Barrett's Show
Corbett, Shelby E.
Corbon, E. G.
Coburn, J. A.
Corby, Frank
Cormier, Levi
Corrigan, Emmet
Costella, Chas.
Courtright, Lee
Cramer, Joe
Cramer, Frank
Crawford, Bruff
Cronenberg, A.
Crossett, Whitey
Crouch, W. A. (Musician)
Crouse, W. F.
Cruve, Sam
Culhan, Louis J.
Cunningham, Al. C.
Cunningham, Al. C.
Cuningshams
Cupers, Edward V. 5c
Curly Side Show
Czarinsky, C. K.
DeAco, John
DeBoises, The
DeEspa, Ernest
DeKreko Bros.
DeLayne, J.
DeOsta, Capt.
DeSantaneli, Dr. (Hypnotist)
DeShetley-Verbeck Carn. Co.
DeVere, Edw.
Dalton, Jack
Daly, F. Edward
Damon, A. 10c
Dana, Ross A.
Darlington, Harry
Danb, Jack
Danber, Harry J.
Davenport, J. T.
Davey & Phillips
Davis, Jake
Davis, Benj. F.
Davis, Roy
Davison, Jack A.
Day, C. Mack
Dean, Louis
Dean, E. F.
Delmain, Frank
Deucey, Capt. C. B.
Dent, Geo. C.
Deons Stock Co., Mgr.
Devene, S.
Diavola (Loop Rider)
Dickson, J. B.
Dillae, John W.
Dillae, Max
Dixey, Harry E.
Doaherty, Peter L.
Dodd & Kellmans
Dooley, L. D.
Dotson, Guy

- Reynolds, The
Hatch, Bob
Hatfield, C.
Hattiner, P. H.
Hansley, Goldie
Hawkins, W. W.
Hawley, Walter
Hay, Doc
Heiney, Jack
Helton, Ed.
Helson, Chas. P.
Henderson, John
Hendricks, Ross and Henig, Louis
Blanche
Hennese, W. J.
Hennese, James (Irish Comedian)
Heppburn, Jack
Herkenrod, Wm.
Herman, The Great
Herman, Lawson
Herzog, Fred E.
Hickman, Guy
Higby, D. N.
Higgins, Frank N.
Hill & Elmore
Hill, J. T.
Hill, H. P.
Hinebaugh, E. G.
Hinman, Sid (Life Saver)
Hinman, Dr.
Hitchcock, C. B.
Hockey, Harvey Gibbs
Holland, Will C.
Holland, John J.
Holland, W. H.
Holland, Prof. L. H.
Hopkins, Harry M.
Hopper, J. L.
Hosler, Frank M.
Howard, Blachy
Howard Bros.
Howard, A. E. (Dog and Pony Man)
Howard, Geo. B.
Hoxie, H. O. (Adv. Agt.)
Hoft, W. B.
Hudson, Sylvester
Hughes, Walter
Hundovle, Walter
Hurd, Magician
Husk, G. W.
Irwin, Fred., Mgr.
Iredell, J. A. W., Jr.
Jack, A. A.
Jackson, G. M.
Jackson, George (Col. Comedian)
James Bros.
Jerome, Frank E.
Johnson, Chas. G.
Johnson, Mr. (Bill Board Man)
Jones, Ernest, Mgr.
Jones, E. P.
Jordan, Burt
Jordan, James
Joy, Chas.
Juce, Windy
J. W. P.
Kane, Geo. Francis
Kates, H.
Kellegher, Frank
Kelley, S. C.
Kelly, Jerome
Kennedy, Jim
Kenyon, Owen J.
Keough, Dan
Kerr, W. Remy
Kilpatrick Bros.
Kilron & Button
Kincade, E. C. (Electrician)
Kirchenknopf, Paul
Knight, J. Victor 24c
Kightlinger, C. J.
Koerner, Chas.
LaCroix (Aerialist)
LaMarr, Arthur
LaMont, Fred
LaReane Family
LaVelle, Col. Wm. A.
LeRoy, F. T.
LeRoy, Bob
Lackey, Dick
Lacolas, The
Lander, Ben J.
Langston, E. L.
Latams, G. L.
Lavelly, Tony
Layfield, Frank. (Jasbo)
Leak, H. Van
Lee, O. (Indian)
Lefkowitz, H.
Lenard, Harry
Leon, Bert
Leonard, Alexander L.
Leonard, Albert
Leonard, Geo.
Leonard, Jack (Bass Singer)
Levitt, Victor D.
Lewis & Brown Tent Show
Lewis, C. E.
Lewis, Daniel Ross
Lewis, L.
Lewis, J. C.
Lewis, Geo.
Lewis, J. J.
Leyland, Maclain
Leyland, Maclain L. & H.
L. & H.
Lind, Lee
Lindall, Chas. E.
Lindley, W. W.
Link, Billy (Comedian)
Litt, G. A. (Promoter)
Lloyd & Genter Shows
Loeb, Carl L.
Long's Theat. Troupe, Mgr.
Loring, Albert
Loury, Carl
Lowry, Albert W.
Lowry, Robt.
Lucas, C. B.
Luding Show
Lungl, Geo.
Lyons, G. A.
McAdow, Dndley, Mgr.
McClintock, Harley
McCreas, Jas.
McConkey, Russell
McCormick, Del

- McGeary, H. Wm.
McGinnis, J. D.
McGuire, Frank
McGuire, John
McHale, Trix
McHoughton, T. B.
McIntyre Robt.
McKinney, W. (Ban Soloist)
McKinson, Arthur
MacNair, Capt. Wiley P.
McNerney, Dennis
McQuinn, Wm. J. 1c
Macdonald, Joseph F.
Mack, John T.
Maher, Hinks
Maione, Eric
Majestic Four (Musical Act)
Manley, O. W. 4c
Marnetto, Wm.
Marshall, Wm.
Marshall, Harry
Martin, T. P.
Martin, Carl
Martin, H. J., Mgr.
Maxim & Gray
"Maxine"
Mayo, Edgar
Medburn, E. S. (Baldy)
Meyer, M. H.
Meyers, A. W.
Miller, Fred R.
Miller, W. H.
Miller Family (Acrobats)
Millionaire Carn. Co., The
Mills, Jas. E.
Mills, J. W.
Millar Brothers
Minor, Walter
Montes, O. T.
Molnen, Louis
Monumental Carn. Co.
Moore, C. V.
Moore, J. C. (Moore's Show)
Morley, C. A.
Morris & DeVigne, Will and Gladys
Morgan, Chas.
Marrell, C. W.
Mortimer, W. A.
Mortimer, W. A. and Duryea, May
Mosler, Chas.
Mousman, W. D.
Mungo, Prince
Murphy, Tim
Murphy, Chappie
Murry, John Jr. (Tintype Man)
Myers, Nick and Myers, N. P.
Harry Stone
My Friend From Arkansas Co., Mgr.
Nasco, Prof.
Nello, Mr. and Mrs.
Newman, E. L.
Newman, W. P.
New Century Entertainers, Mgr.
Nickerl, Mr.
Nies, E. E.
Nica, Marvin
Nigro, John J.
Nifley, Sol
Nix Family Jolliers, Mgr.
Nix, Frank
Nixon, Eddie
Nixon, Harry
Noel, O. P.
Noeh, John
Nole, Al. E.
Norman, Howard
Norris, Mike
Norra, Dr. R.
Noyes, Harry S.
O'Brien, Geo. N.
Odom, C. D.
Ogden's U. T. C. Co.
Ong, Fred H. (Comedy Cyclist)
Orr, Charlie
Osborn Dramatic Co.
Otte Tr. Animal Co., Big
Overton, Harry
Owen, Wm.
Owens, John T.
P. E. A.
Parlman, Prof. Ernest
Parlman, Red
Parsons, Lewis (Adv. Agt.)
Pascoe, S. W., Mgr.
Patton, W. B.
Peck, Geo.
Perry, Thos R.
Peters, Frank
Phillips, Clyde
Phillips, E. S.
Phillipi, H. L.
Pihama, The
Pittee, C. F.
Pickett, David
Pontery, H.
Pontis, Albert
Poole, Roy S.
Porter, Wm. Jr.
Porter, Herbert
Porter, J. H.
Potts & Potts
Preston, Jno. A.
Provo, Arthur
Pujio, F. P.
Quilms, The
Quinn, Geo. W., Mgr.
Quinn Trio, The
Ratroad Jack's Shows, Mgr.
Rainboldt, V. H.
Raymond, Chas. J.
Ratlin, Anita
Rattessel, N.
Raver, Chas.
Raymond, Chas.
Record Stock Co., Mgr.
Reid, Tom O.
Reed, Chas. A., Mgr.
Wallace Stock Co.
Reeder, Frank L.
Reid, Harold
Reid, Billy
Reiss, Nat.
Reis, C. W.
Rhine, R. M.
Richardson, John E.

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Law Department

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In this department all legal questions pertaining to domestic relations, wills, contracts, criminal and general theatrical law, will be answered. Communications should be addressed to Law Editor, The Billboard, 1440 Broadway, New York City, and must bear full names and addresses of inquirers. Names will not be published under any consideration.

(New York law will be given where questions do not specify a particular state.)

"Mrs. R. D. A." en route.

Q. I desire to obtain a divorce on the ground of non-support. How soon can a divorce be obtained in New York?

A. You cannot obtain a divorce in New York on the ground of non-support. You can only obtain a legal separation on that ground. New Jersey, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and several other states make that good ground for divorce, but each state has its own law, and New York is practically the most stringent as far as domestic relations are concerned. If a divorce is undefended it can be obtained in three or four months; if defended it can be obtained in about six months.

"Mr. W. H. S." New York.

Q. My wife by a previous marriage has a little daughter almost eleven years of age. Since our marriage the child has been known by my name. We want the child to assume the name legally. What status has a step-father in, we will say, the event of the death of the mother. Is he considered the child's lawful guardian?

A. The New York law is substantially as follows: Where a surviving parent, having lawful custody of a child, lawfully marries again, and such parent consents that the person who thus becomes the stepfather of such child may adopt the child, such parent so consenting shall not thereby be relieved of any of her parental duties toward, or be deprived of, any of her rights over said child, or to the child's property by descent or succession. The child takes the name of the stepfather. The child's right of inheritance and succession from her natural parent (in this case her mother) remain unaffected by such adoption. The stepfather and the child sustain toward each other the legal relation of parent and child, and have all the rights and are subject to all the duties of that relation, including the right of inheritance from each other; not excepting, however, the rights of the mother, and such right of inheritance extends to the heirs and next of kin of the child and such heirs and next of kin are considered the same as if the child were the natural offspring of the stepfather. At the death of the mother, the stepfather is considered the child's lawful guardian.

"Mr. J. A. P." en route.

Q. I want a divorce. Was married in 1886-7. Wife left me the following year. Just deserted me. Saw her last when I was playing Tony Pastor's in 1899 or 1900. Have not seen, heard or communicated with her since. Am on the road all the time. What can I do?

A. You do not need divorce. If your wife has absented herself for five successive years last past, without being known to you to be living during that time, you may marry without obtaining a divorce, as five years' absence raises a presumption of death, provided you have not heard from or about her during that time. If at any time during your second marriage your first wife should appear, you can then bring suit to have your second marriage annulled. You can, even now, sue to have your wife legally declared dead, but the result will be the same, except that you receive, in the latter case, the sanction of the court to any second marriage you may desire to contract.

"Mr. F. T. H." en route.

Q. Will you kindly inform me if I can obtain a divorce. My wife is in Cuba at present; she is a professional, same as myself. She will not fight the case. She left me sixteen months ago. State how long it will take.

A. The facts stated by you do not warrant a divorce. The fact that your wife left you sixteen months ago constitutes abandonment, and this is no ground for divorce. You may obtain a

legal separation, but that will not benefit you only as far as her support is concerned. See answer to "R. D. A." above.

Additional Performers' Dates.

- Anderson & Goines (Park): Berlin, Vt., 12-11.
- Allaunts, The Great (Monte Sano Park): Augusta, Ga., 12-17.
- Archer & Crocker (Washington Park): Bayonne, N. J., 12-17.
- Adams & White (Crystal): Cripple Creek, Col., 12-17; (Crystal) St. Joseph, Mo., 19-24.
- Ash & Phillips (Mammoth): Revere, Mass., 12-17.
- Anderson, Wm. (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., 12-17.
- Ackerstrom, Ollie & Co. (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Bailey & Fletcher (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
- Barrett Sisters (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 12-17.
- Bijou Comedy Four: Shamokin, Pa., 12-17; Mahanoy City 19-24.
- Booth, The Great: Arlington, O., 12-17.
- Barney, Three (Unique): Winnipeg, Man., 12-17.
- Bell & Richards (Austin & Stone's): Boston, Mass., 12-24.
- Bingham, Kittle (Trocadero): Chicago, Ill., 5-17.
- Barry & Gordon (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 12-17; (Keith's) New York City, 19-24.
- Besnah & Miller (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Berry & Berry (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Bradys, The (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Bennett, James (Huber's Museum): New York City, 12-17.
- Belmont, The (Huber's Museum): New York City, 12-17.
- Baileys, The Two (Olympic Park): Newark, N. J., 12-17.
- Burnett, Tommy (Huber's Casino): New York City, 12-17.
- Belleclair Bros. (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Collins, Dot (Globe): Watervliet, N. Y., 12-24.
- Colby & Way (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 19-24.
- Cottons, The (Empire): San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
- Conway & Held (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17; (Keith's) New York City, 19-24.
- Coln's Dogs (Young's Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-17.
- Clemon & Cassels (Park): Athol, Mass., 12-17; (Park) South Hanson 19-24.
- Cartwright & Waters Co. (Robinson Park): Ft. Wayne, Ind., 25-July 1.
- Coco & Marcel (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-17.
- Cline, Maggie (Paradise Roof): New York City, 12-17.
- Cahill, Wm. (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Cunningham, Jerry (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Daly & Kelso (Academy Hotel): New York City, 12-17.
- DeRue, Bobby (Frontier Park): Erie, Pa., 12-17; (Central Park) Dunkirk, N. Y., 19-24.
- Dupree, Geo. and Libbie (Gaiety): Springfield, Ill., 12-17.
- Drew, Carroll (Becker): Rockford, Ill., 11, indef.
- Daly, Nellie and Johnny McVeigh (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-24.
- Dida (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
- D'Artois, The (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
- DeVean Twina (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Debonair, Mlle. (Huber's Museum): New York City, 12-17.
- Don & Thompson (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 12-17.
- Evaus, Bessie (Orpheum): St. Paul, Minn., 12-24.
- Eand, George and May Woodward (Collins' Garden): Columbus, O., 12-17.
- Earl & Wilson (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 12-17.
- Farrell, Cliff (Luna Park): Johnstown, Pa., 12-17.
- Feasley, Juggler (Lindenwald Park): Hamilton, O., 11-17.
- Fay & Coley (Sans Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., indef.
- Fantase, The (Grand): Joliet, Ill., 12-17; (Main St.) Peoria 19-24.
- Falk, Elicadore (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Gaiety Trio (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
- Guyer, Chas and Willie O'Neill (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
- Gillett's Musical Dogs (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
- Gulmette, Mona. (Huber's Museum): New York City, 12-17.
- Girl With The Red Domino, The (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-17.
- Hagne & Herbert (Willow Brook Park): Newark, O., 12-17 (Unique) Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
- Hughes Musical Trio (Dominion): Winnipeg, Man., 12-17.
- Hall & Colburn (Unique): Winnipeg, Man., 12-17.
- Hemecoco (Novelty): Omaha, Neb., 12-17.
- Hogau, Ernest (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Geue (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Henry & Francis (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Hilton, Fred (Lincoln Park): Vincennes, Ind., 11-17; (Riverside Park) Eaton 18-24.
- Johnson, Chas.: En route with Mollie A. Bailey's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
- James & Davis (Tumbling Dam Park): Bridgeport, N. J., 12-17.
- Juniper & Hayes (Wildwood Park): Putnam, Conn., 12-17; (Berkshire Park) Pittsfield, Mass., 19-24.
- Janis, Elsie (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-24.
- Kelleher (Lyceum): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17.
- Kenny & Hollis (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Kelly & Reno (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-17.
- Lawson & Curtis (Casino Park): Kalamazoo, Mich., 11-17; (Lake Michigan Park) Muskegon 18-24.

- LaMar, Miss Wayne (Unique): San Jose, Cal., 12-17.
- LeBarr (Star): Astoria, Ore., 12-17; (Star) Tacoma, Wash., 19-24.
- Lafayette, The Great (Hurtig & Seamon's): New York City, 12-17.
- LaVine, Cimaron Trio (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Leop Trio (Huber's Casino): New York City, 12-17.
- Mills & Morris (Hammerstein's): New York City, 19-24.
- Mooney & Holbein (Casino): Toledo, O., 11-17; (Park) Dayton 18-24.
- Marell's Co., Jean (Celeron Park): Jamestown, N. Y., 12-17.
- Mitchells, The Dancing (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- McCoy's, The (Huber's Museum): New York City, 12-17.
- Maxe (Huber's Museum): New York City, 12-17.
- Mosher, Houghton & Mosher (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-17.
- Nina (G. O. H.): Gladstone, Mich., 19-24.
- Nawn, Tom & Co. (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-17.
- Obersteiner Troupe, The (Tagg's Garden): Philadelphia, Pa., 5-17.
- Onri, Adele Furrys & Co. (Oakford Park): Jeannette, Pa., 12-17.
- Phillbrook & Reynolds (Partang Park): Harrisburg, Pa., 12-17.
- Pinck & Luck (Family): Richmond, Ind., 12-17; (Orpheum) Springfield, O., 19-24.
- Paufo & Marlowe (Pastor's): New York City, 12-17.
- Richard Sisters (Erick's): Portland, Ore., 12-17; (Edison) Salem 19-24.
- Russell, Fred. P. (Lakeview Park): Akron, O., 12-17.
- Rossley & Rostelle (Bijou): Marquette, Wis., 12-17; (Bijou) Escanaba, Mich., 19-24.
- Relly, Johnnie (Athletic Park): Buffalo, N. Y., 11-17.
- Roys & Roberts (Bevermont Park): Lynchburg, Va., 12-17.
- Remington, Mayme (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17.
- Reno & Richards (Victoria): New York City, 12-17.
- Rappo Sisters (Victoria): New York City, 12-17.
- Rostow (Victoria): New York City, 12-17.
- Richards, Sophie (Huber's Casino): New York City, 12-17.
- Rice, Al. (Huber's Casino): New York City, 12-17.
- Raymond, Carl (Orpheum): Springfield, O., 12-17.
- Sylvester, Jones & Pringle (Crystal): Milwaukee, Wis., 12-17.
- Sherman & DeForrest (Hammerstein's): New York City, 12-17; Hicksville 19-24.
- Swoop, James (Belvidere): San Francisco, Cal., 12-17.
- Sullivan & Faunce (Bijou): Grand Forks, N. D., 12-17.
- Siddon Bros. (Lyceum): Philadelphia, Pa., 12-17; (Saratoga Park) Pottstown 19-24.
- Stevens, Ed. J. (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Smith & Smith (Lakeview Park): Middletown, Conn., 12-17.
- Teed & Lazell (Empire): Oakland, Cal., 12-17; (Broadway) San Francisco 19-24.
- Tenean, Felix & Claxton: Gloversville, N. Y., 12-17; Rockaway, L. I., N. Y., 19-24.
- Troubadour Four (Summer Park): Berlin, N. H., 12-17.
- Toto (Victoria): New York City, 5-17.
- Theresita, LaBelle (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-17.
- Tenda (Oakford Park): Jeannette, Pa., 12-17.
- VanGote & Cotely (West Side): Janeville, Wis., 12-17; (Family) Richmond, Ind., 18-24.
- Verna, Belle (Ben's): Escanaba, Mich., 12-17; (Bijou) Calumet 19-24.
- Vistaro Troupe (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-24.
- West, Julia (Temple): Detroit, Mich., 11-17; (Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., 18-24.
- Welch, Ben (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Yobe, May and P. B. Strong (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 12-17.
- Zarrow Trio (Howard): Boston, Mass., 12-17.
- Zel, Raymond (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., 19-24.

ADDITIONAL ROUTES.

(Received too late for classification.)

- Alabama Carnival Co., Ed. Tyler, mgr.: Goulconda, Ill., 12-17; Cartersville 19-24.
- Bailey's, Mollie, Show: Olustee, Okla., 14; Altus 15; Martha 16; Blair 17; Mangum 19; Granite 20; Lone Wolf 21; Woods 22; Burns 23; Parkersville 24.
- Butler, Helen May and her Ladies' Military Band, J. Leslie Spahn, mgr.: Dubuque, Ia., 11-17; Davenport 18-24.
- Dawnie's, Andrew, Shows: Ilon, N. Y., 14; Arkimer 15; Little Falls 16; Flat Plains 17; Canajoharie 19; Fond 20.
- Drake & Falkner's E. B. Shows, F. W. Falkner, mgr.: Bridgeport, Pa., 14; Downtown 15; Ardmore 16; Berwyn 17; Malvern 19; Coatesville 20.
- Dodge Amusement Co., E. L. Dodge, mgr.: Sun Springs, Kan., 12-July 1.
- Mundy, Great, Shows: Port Huron, Mich., 12-17.
- Norton Bros.' Shows, Dewey Norton, mgr.: Kinsey, Kan., 12-14; Spearville 15; Jetmore 16-17.
- Peter's Pavilion Players, Will Jay Peters, mgr.: Clyde, Kan., 12-14; Concordia 14-17.
- Russell & Owens Amusement Co., H. A. Russell, mgr.: Scammon, Kan., 12-17; Columbus 18-24.
- Swallow & Mearle's Floating Palace: Catlettsburg, Ky., 14; Ashland 15.
- Taylor & Frank's Vaudeville Stars, G. O. Taylor and J. J. Frank, mgrs.: Plymouth, Ind., 12-14; Rochester 15-17; Peru 19-21; Kokomo 22-24.
- Whitesides, Ethel & Co., J. W. Fitz, mgr.: Duluth, Minn., 12-17.
- Walsh's Crystalplex Carnival, M. Henry Walsh, mgr.: Van Buren, Me., 12-17; season ends.
- Washburn & D'Alma's Show: Connellsville, Pa., 17.

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parture in turns given by lady imitators who generally confine their impersonations to their sex.

Kollins and Wilson have just completed a thirty-two weeks' engagement on the Pacific coast and are working east. They write that they have received the highest praise from both press and public, and met with big success everywhere. Mr. Kollins is the original King Kollins of Polk and Kollins, banjoists. Kollins and Wilson open at Electric Park, Kansas City, June 4.

Fagan and Merriam are meeting with flattering success with their comedy singing, dancing and talking act in the west. They have played return engagements in many of the houses and always meet with a hearty applause. They write that they have not lost a week since October and are booked solid in the vaudeville houses and parks for three months.

The Three Kimball Brothers, singers and dancers, report that they have just closed a successful season in which their act has scored at every house. They have signed for the park season with the Cashman Minstrels which will play over the Melville Circuit of parks. After the park season they open at Pastor's, New York, Sept. 4, and are booked until Nov. 6.

Dorsch and Russell write that they have closed their second season with Herbert Mack's World Beaters with which organization their act was a success. They write as follows: We have just spent \$500 for new scenery and electrical effects, making ours the finest staged musical act in vaudeville. We will return to vaudeville next season, opening our season at Pastor's, October 2. At present we are taking things easy and amusing ourselves at Mr. Bussell's home in Clinton, Ia. We open upon the Burke Circuit of parks June 25 at Canton, Ohio.

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sitions

In contrast to the weather conditions at Chicago, Philadelphia and St. Louis, where our world's fairs have been held, Portland, the scene of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, is delightfully situated in a latitude where the uniformity and delightfulness of the temperature is decidedly in its favor.

Covering a period of thirty-three years, the records of the weather bureau in Portland, summed up by Forecaster Edward A. Beals, tells a pleasant story of the flowery month of June. With roses blooming on every lawn, arbor and cottage porch, the mean normal temperature of June for thirty-three years has been sixty-two degrees. The warmest June known in Portland had an average temperature of sixty-six degrees. This was in 1889. The coldest June was in 1893, when the average temperature was fifty-eight. In thirty-three years there have been but two days in June when the temperature reached ninety-nine. These dates were June 17, 1876, and June 29, 1904. In the same period there were two June days when the temperature went as low as thirty-nine degrees—June 4, 1875 and June 6, 1889.

For thirty-three years the average rain in June in Portland has been 1.70 inches, and there was an average of ten days with a precipitation of .01 inch or more. The greatest June precipitation was 5.33 inches in 1883, and the least .08 of an inch in 1883. The figures clear Portland of the suspicion of being a city of heavy rains.

BALTIMORE EXPOSITION OPENS

The Greater Baltimore Exposition and Carnival opened Monday night with good attendance, which continued during the week up to the date of going to press. The Industrial Display, which was held in the large hall three hundred and fifty feet long, was particularly good, and attracted much attention by reason of the fine exhibits of the local merchants and manufacturers. There are many handsomely decorated booths and novel displays, the most brilliant that have yet been seen. On the plaza adjoining is a veritable Coney Island, with the following shows: Trained Wild Animal Show, Mystic Maze, Old Plantation, Lunette, Great Vendome, Millie Christine, Ina the Midget, Leona, Girls in Red, Great Train Robbery, Great Bank Robbery, Fighting the Flames, Electric Theatre, Ferris Wheel, Steam Carousel, Miniature Railroad, etc. The free acts are Calvin Carroll Eggers, with his new Leap the gap through paper-covered hoops; Mons. Perciner, sensational French aerialist; the Adams troupe, daring trapeze artists, and others. The gala event will continue three weeks, concluding on July 1. R. R. Johnson is general manager and amusement director. W. S. Layton is in charge of the privileges and concessions, and James E. Hare has charge of the advertising and publicity.

THE TRAIL FOR SEVEN DOLLARS

It costs just seven dollars to visit all the attractions along the Trail at the Lewis and Clarke Exposition, whereas the same kind of a venture at the St. Louis World's Fair cost the visitor about thirty. There are thirty-five shows on the Trail, differing in nature from comical to serious and instructive. The entire list of concessions, with their prices of admission, is given as follows:

Gay Parade, 25c.; Concert Hall, 25c.; Infant Incubators, 25c.; Cascade Gardens, 25c.; White Swan, 10c.; Japanese Village and Theatre, 25c.; Diving Elks, 25c.; New York Animal Show, 25c.; Haunted Swing, 25c.; Streets of Cairo, 15c.; Theatre, 25c.; Donkey Ride, 25c.; Camel Ride, 20c.; Carnival of Venice, 50c.; Land of Midnight Sun, 25c.; Television, 25c.; Davenport Farm, 25c.; Sistine Madonna, 10c.; Trip to Niagara Falls, 25c.; Galveston Flood, 25c.; California Radium Exhibit, 10c.; Burns'

Cottage, 10c.; Shooting Gallery, 10c.; Mirror Maze, 10c.; White Slave or Glimpse of the Harem, 10c.; Grand Siberian Railway, 25c.; and Blue Grotto, 25c.

FAIRBANKS ON THE EXPOSITION

Vice President Chas. W. Fairbanks, who represented the President at the Lewis and Clark Exposition during the opening ceremonies, was highly gratified with the first day's events, and expressed himself warmly in favor of the fair: "The Expositor is in every way worthy of the event it commemorates," said the Vice President. "The people of the coast took a pride in the enterprise from its inception, and they fulfilled their ideals. The Exposition has a worthy setting. Nature has aided the builders, and the site and its surroundings are of rare beauty. The buildings are properly grouped for purposes of the best effect, and their artistic excellence can not be denied. It seems to me that it can not fall of the success that it most certainly deserves. We had a delightful time in Portland. The people of the northwest are charming hosts."

September 2 will be Modern Woodman day at the Lewis and Clark Fair. There will be a big parade in the morning, and a banquet in the evening. It is expected that 5,000 men will be initiated into the order on that day.

STREET FAIRS
CARNIVALS

CYCLONE INJURED

Cyclone, known privately as William Honnes, who does the leap the gap with the Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, sustained a broken shoulder blade and collar bone June 8 by a mishap. After Cyclone had leaped the gap and had gotten almost off the platform, the handlebars broke and caused the above injuries, besides slight bruises.

STREET FAIR NOTES

Chester has closed with the Collins Carnival Co. and is playing the Crystal Circuit.

Mr. J. T. Porter of the Mundy Shows recently paid a visit to the Ferris Brothers' Carnival Co.

Whitney's Greater Shows put on the attractions for the carnival at Stuttgart, Ark., June 12 and week.

Ralph Briney, of Canal Dover, Ohio, has joined the LaZora Show with the Hoss-Naumann Carnival Co.

The Babes Carnival Co. will furnish the attractions for a big carnival to be held at Sibley, Ia., August 17-19.

Mrs. Bert Hoss, of the Hoss & Naumann Carnival Company, recently spent a few days at her home in Canal Dover, Ohio.

Wm. Judkins Hewitt writes from Coney Island, N. Y.: I closed with the Continental Amusement & Exposition Co. on May 23.

The Patterson-Brainerd Carnival Co. will put on a mid-summer festival for the K. of P's at Kankakee, Ill., week of June 26.

Matt Ress, of Canal Dover, Ohio, who has been with the Wieder Carnival Company since the opening of the season, returned to his home last week.

C. L. Heffelman writes that he has signed as press agent and manager of concessions at Midway Park, located between Piqua and Troy, Ohio.

The Southern and Central Georgia railroads are charging full fare for carnival companies, and an additional rate of twenty cents for each baggage car.

Prof. Dick Zene has closed with the Hewitt Carnival Co. and is now "master of language" for the Train Robbery and Counterfeiters with the Monarch Carnival Co.

Dick A. Fulton opened with the Parker Shows at Ingersoll Park, Des Moines, Ia., May 23. He says that over 23,000 people attended the park on Decoration Day.

Silverlake and Hart joined the Continental Amusement Co. in Pittsburgh, and are making a hit with their comedy acrobatic table act. Baby Silverlake is getting along nicely.

The Continental Amusement Co. plays Connellsville, Pa., week of June 20, under the auspices of the Military Band. Connellsville is considered a good carnival town.

F. H. Wilson, secretary of the Fourth of July Celebration at Montgomery, W. Va., would like to hear from managers of small tent shows, suitable as attractions for the event.

Harry S. Hopping writes that he has closed his sixth season as manager of Fred Raymond's Missouri Girl Co., and is at present thirty days in advance of the Parker Amusement Co.

During the engagement of Patterson & Brainerd's Carnival Co. in Jacksonville, Ill., the five hundred deaf-mutes attending the state school were given the liberty of attending every attraction free of charge.

Jimmie Johnson, who has been managing the front of Electric Theatre with the Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, closed in East Liverpool, Ohio, and will henceforth be with the New Parker Amusement Co.

James Clayton has closed with the Smith Greater Amusement Co. and will remain all summer at Put-in-Bay, Ohio, where he will engage in the souvenir and novelty business. Mr. Clayton speaks very highly of the company and wishes them success.

The Mundy Carnival Co. showed on Biddle's Island, Logansport, Ind., last week under the auspices of the Co-operative Amusement Co. Great preparations were made for the week by the local people, and it was one of the most important events in the history of the town.

Cliff Wodstzki, general agent of the United Carnival Co., writes that he called on many old friends in Pekin, Ill., week before last, and that the indications are bright up there for a week's business. Mr. Wodstzki has been ahead of Gus Hill's Happy Hoolligan Co. the past winter.

Parkhurst, the boneless wonder, under the management of Carl Smith Starr, has joined the Jones-Adams Congress of Novelities. Mr. Starr says that this is the last season of exhibition for Parkhurst, as he goes to England at the termination of his present contract to attend to personal business matters.

A number of enterprising citizens of Shreveport, La., have just organized the Shreveport Carnival Association, the purpose of which is to give an annual mardi gras celebration. The celebration will extend over two days or perhaps more, the main features of which will be elaborate carnival parades. The committee proposes to spend about \$8,000 on the event.

The merchants and business men of Stanley, Wis., have decided to hold a street fair and carnival again this year, and want propositions from carnival companies. No definite date has been set, though Sept. 10 has received favorable consideration. A big street fair is held in that city every other year. Especial prominence is paid to agricultural exhibits.

W. A. Sassaman writes that he has closed a contract with the firm of northern Ohio for the Smith Greater Amusement Co. to put on the attractions for their annual tournament at Wauseon, Ohio, June 19-24. Nearly a hundred towns will be represented, and nearly every band in the state will be there. Already thirty-five have promised to take part in the band contests.

Geo. Hall, manager of Marie DeWolf's Lady Athletes, wishes to announce to his friends that he has entirely recovered from his injury received last August which consisted of a broken leg, and that he is now with the Hewitt Exposition Shows. He reports he is managing the best troupe of lady athletes that he ever managed. Marie DeWolf, Rose Reynolds, Leo Spencer, Helen Bewaw, Miss Du Pree and the Two Hawkings are in the company.

Mr. Wm. F. Lee, general agent M & S. Monarch Carnival Co. writes: The company opened at Watseka, Ill., Monday night, June 5, to good business, which gradually increased until Thursday, when the ticket offices of the Coliseum, Old Plantation and the Great Train Robbery were necessarily closed on account of their inability to handle the throngs eager to visit these meritorious shows. Watseka is certainly a hummer for the Monarch, and the cleanliness of the enterprise is a noticeable feature everywhere.

The Capitol Amusement Co. opened its season at Gage Lake, Battle Creek, Mich., May 23, with eight pay shows, four free acts, a Ferris Wheel and a Merry-go-Round, La

Shea's Old Plantation, Hayne's Minature World, Prof. Knee's English Marionettes, the Lew Morris Glass Palace, Bucklin's Laughing Gallery, Gillman's Electric Dome, Rat Yaw, the rat man; Wagner's Military Band of twelve pieces, Rose and Lenon in Globing the Globe, Chaney's Trick Horse and the Burbeck Brothers, musical team. All are having fine business.

Notes from the Tyler, Ala., Carnival Co.: We carry four cars, sixty-five people, and eight shows, which are as follows: Great Train Robbery, Old Plantation, Creation, Bosco, Frankle the Aztec, Anderson's Dog and Pony Show, Twibott's Glass Palace, Stadium, Stubliedfeld's Merry-go-Round, balloon ascension and sixteen concessions. No immoral shows or gamblers with this company. We are now playing the coal fields of southern Illinois, having just come up from Mississippi, where we were all winter. We did not lose a day while in the south, and have booked the same territory for next season.

Notes from the Wixom Brothers' Carnival Co.: We opened the season at Bancroft, Mich., Monday, May 29, to a very fair business. On Tuesday we suspended on account of Decoration Day services and the band went in the parade to the cemetery. On Wednesday business was good. The next two days the city was crowded, and Saturday standing room was at a premium and every show took in loads of money. Committees were present from ten cities and villages in Michigan and signed for the appearance of the company some time during the summer. On Sunday morning the show's paraphernalia was packed in the four sixty-five foot baggage cars and a seventy foot new coach and we pulled out for Portland. An immense crowd witnessed their departure from the depot and wished them good luck for the season. The Wixom Brothers, who stood on the rear car, received an ovation. The company is booked solid for the entire season and the prospects are very bright.

The Odd Fellows of Erie, Pa., have purchased a piece of property in that city costing \$33,000 for the purpose of erecting a temple thereon. It is the intention of the order to give a regular summer carnival for the next ten years to help pay for the lot. They have a membership of 4,000 in Erie, city and county, and are all bustling to make their coming carnival, July 17 to 22, a financial success, and they have engaged the Mundy Carnival Co. to furnish the attractions. The members of the committee are well-known and influential citizens. Isador Sobel, chairman, is a well-known postmaster. B. B. Brown, treasurer, is collector of port. E. H. Mehl, assistant treasurer, is a well-known hardware dealer. J. E. Bryson, secretary, is cashier for the Anchor line, and well-known in fraternal circles. Edw. Heuer, chairman of the committee on location, is general manager of the Erie Brewing Co. and a hustler. The balance of the committee is composed of Dr. Harvey, Exalted Ruler of the Elks; C. F. Hummel, a member of the Elks building committee. Samuel Jett and L. G. Sterrett, who promoted their carnival last year and are looking after the details of the one this year, expect to put on a carnival later for the benefit of the hospitals, and one at Meadville in August for the benefit of the Odd Fellows' Orphan Home.

Dr. Horace Grant spent a few days in Cincinnati last week, and paid a pleasant visit to The Billboard. The doctor came from Nashville, Tenn., having just completed his work in connection with the May Festival held in that city. In speaking of the festival, Dr. Grant said: It was indeed an unequalled success. The Retail Merchants' Association, comprised of the leading citizens of Nashville, are deserving of the highest praise for the excellent manner in which they accomplished so difficult an undertaking; in fact it was one of the most successful festivals I have seen for years. There was only one weak attraction connected with it, and that was the military parade. This was not the fault of the chairman, Dr. Lee, and his able committee, but lack of interest on the part of the public. I have long ago come to the conclusion that the people do not want militarism mixed with their festivals. Carnival managers and promoters will find it more profitable and pleasing to the public to interest the fraternal organizations. The flower parade was the most beautiful I have ever seen. Seated in carriages and automobiles were many beautiful women, queens of this beautiful southern city. The firemen's contest was a splendid feature, and Chief Rosetti should be proud of his department. The industrial parade was magnificent, and showed what Nashville can do. The following gentlemen labored hard to make the festival a success: Vice-President Palmer, Messrs. N. E. Crow, Edgar Foster, (Mgr. Nashville Banner), Joseph Franks, Early

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An Association billposter, who wishes his identity concealed, writes the following letter:

"I notice an article in this week's Billboard relative to the State Association standing by its members against the National Association; and that the State Association of Pennsylvania has assured its members that their State Association will stand back of them. Wish I could say as much for our Association. I enclose two letters, one from the National Secretary and the other from our State Secretary, which explain themselves. They show how they are bled for the sake of a few others.

"Why don't they do the same as other associations, that is, let each State Association elect a certain number of delegates to the National Convention according to membership in each Association and pay the actual expenses of those delegates; then the National officials and the expenses of the National Association could be taken care of by a per capita tax on each member sufficient to run that branch of the organization.

"This per capita could be paid to the State Secretary when paying annual dues, and the proportion due the National organization remitted to the National Treasurer, through the proper officers of the different State Associations. There could be National by-laws governing all State members, and the National officers would be elected annually from the different delegates. This, I think would keep our organization in a good healthy condition."

We are pleased to give publicity to the above suggestions for the reason that they are in line with the belief on the subject of organization that we have held for several years. Of all the different trade organizations in this country there is none constructed as peculiarly as the Associated Billposters. The usual, or American method, is to follow the plan of our state and national governments. The initial or subordinate organization is first defined; then the several subordinate bodies through properly accredited representatives meet and form the superior or national body.

The national body is the law maker and the subordinate bodies are the enforcers, under the direction of the executive officers of the national body. The representatives of the subordinate bodies in convention estimate the expense of the national administration and spread a per capita tax among the members at large according to a predetermined plan. This per capita tax is added to the dues of each member to the subordinate organization and paid to the treasurer of that organization, who in turn remits to the treasurer of the national organization.

A plan of this character simplifies the administration of both the law and the business of an organization in its every branch. There is no conflict of authority or multiplication of dues or duties. The national administration is relieved of the petty details and its officers are free to devote their time and energy to the larger affairs of the trade.

The present hybrid organization of the Associated Billposters is responsible for the unusual expense which its maintenance entails. Its Board of Directors are assembled four times a year and kept in session for days considering matters that could be disposed of by the State Associations with comparative ease and at a fraction of the cost. The money saved would enable the National Association to establish a system of inspection that would be worth to the business of Outdoor Advertising ten times its cost.

And that reminds us that the Astute Editor has paused in his mad career long enough to suggest that the "adoption of some suitable system of checking up poster displays which will be acceptable to both advertiser and billposter at slight expense is a subject of no little importance that should be discussed advantageously at Montreal." There is no doubt that it "should" be discussed "advantageously" at Montreal, but will it be so discussed?

Some months ago the Astute Editor announced with his usual cock-sure-

ness, that the question of checking had been solved for all time to come by Mr. Thurston of the Amsterdam Supply Co. Mr. Thurston employed The Western Union Telegraph Co., and after he caught Barney and some more of the big fellows the Astute Editor had another thought to the effect that advertisers who employed Western Union messenger boys were not giving the billposters a square deal. This proves that the Astute Editor may eventually learn something about the billposting business if he lives long enough.

When we foretold the coming of the coat of whitewash last week we called the turn to a finish. For some reason or other—let us believe lack of space—the resolutions are published in full in the Indiana proceedings only. Why Indiana should be compelled to father such a lot of bunk we are unable to say. It endorses Barney Link to a stand still, ditto for the official organ, and says that the report of the New York Situation Committee "is a clear, concise and valuable document to be trade." Most amusing of all is the paragraph in which is condemned "the action of the theatrical journal known as the Billboard, and any members of the Association who have furnished false information, and the publication of treasonable matter attacking the Associated Billposters of the United States and Canada." It winds up with recommending all loyal members to discontinue the practice of receiving The Billboard while it continues to print "false and scurrilous attacks." What do you suppose it all means? We plead not guilty; what has been printed was nothing but the truth—and it hurts some people.

Isn't it rather singular that, after endorsing everything everybody has done, that the Indiana Association should turn around and in another paragraph recommend to the National Association that in future the directors shall pay their own expenses when they attend meetings of the board, and that there should be but one meeting a year. If everything and everybody are all right why suggest a change?

BUTINSKI

IOWA CONVENTION

About thirty billposters attended the annual convention of the Iowa Billposters Association held in Waterloo, Iowa, on Thursday, May 25. The usual business was disposed of and the convention adjourned for dinner at the Irving hotel. Officers for the ensuing year are: A. B. Beall, Sioux City, president; W. W. Moore, Des Moines, vice president; Charles T. Kindt, Davenport, secretary; A. J. Busby, Marshalltown, treasurer. The next convention will be held at Boone, Iowa.

MICHIGAN CONVENTION

The usual big meeting of billposters, which characterizes the annual conventions of the Michigan Billposters Association, was held at Aihlon, Mich., on Tuesday, June 6. Officers elected were as follows: George M. Leonard, Grand Rapids, president; W. E. Solomon, Jackson, vice president; P. P. Stekatek, Muskegon, secretary; J. W. Bennett, Fort Huron, treasurer.

NEW JERSEY CONVENTION

The New Jersey Billposters Association held its annual meeting at West End Hotel, Asbury Park, N. J., on Tuesday, June 6. Twenty-nine new towns were added to the list of members, and new by-laws were adopted. The officers for the ensuing year are: J. F. O'Mealla, Jersey City, president; E. M. Slocumb, Newark, vice president; Charles Rosencrans, Long Branch, secretary and treasurer. Executive Committee, J. F. O'Mealla, E. M. Slocumb, H. C. Taylor, Charles Rosencrans and B. W. Snydam. Delegates to the National Convention: Charles Rosencrans and H. C. Taylor.

ALLIANCE NOTES

Quiet On the Coast For Boys Of The Bucket and Brush—Baltimore Local Bury

San Francisco Local 35.—James E. King, who is now employed by Varney & Green, has been giving the theatres of San Francisco the best "snipe" showing they have had for years. Being that his name is King, he is the king of lithographers and snipers on the coast. One man can do the work now, as most of the theatres have cut out lithographing and sniping. This makes things a little bad for the boys. Wm. Simpson, Ed. Billings, Joe. Hyde, L.

Tabb, C. Burrier, H. Mansfield, C. Schneter, of No. 35; Jas. Stewart, H. Cunningham, Tony Crandell, Jim McCall, of No. 6, and McHenry of No. 1, are with No. 1 and 2 car on the Norria & Rowa Shows, and are getting along very nicely. Jas. E. King was with Norris & Rowe the first part of the season, but returned to Frisco again. Baron Van Kempen has just come in off the road, after a successful tour of the state. Harry Bradley of No. 6 is also with Norris & Rowe's Shows. He has the paper on the No. 1 car.

The boys of Local No. 35 do not forget The Billboard, as it comes in very handy to us; we get all the news of the theatrical world from it. Local No. 35 is progressing very nicely, but we had a hard time of it in the beginning.

A. W. Thomson of the Central Theatre and Secretary J. J. Moore of Local No. 35 would like to hear from Tony Clark and Victor Stout of Local No. 6.

Baltimore Local 36.—The Greater Baltimore Exposition and Carnival, which opened Monday, June 5, was billed by the union men of Baltimore Local 36, and the town looks like a circus with the gaily colored paper. It is doubtful if any previous exposition held here was ever billed better, and the wide publicity which has been given the event has had much to do with its success. Over 10,000 sheets of paper were put out, and the burnt district has been sniped to a soulful finish, many fine locations being secured and excellent showings made.

DAUBS

"Boycott The Billboard," is the favorite cry of the gang when they are finally driven to the wall.

Mr. L. H. Veilleux, of Rnmford Falls, Me., is erecting a billposting plant and will apply for membership in the Association.

Seems to be a lull in the scrap at Philadelphia between the Alliance and the Billposting Sign Co. Guess this peace business is contentious.

The Kansas City Billposting Co., of Kansas City, Mo., has been sued for \$3,000 damages for injuries caused by one of its boards falling on J. N. Kinkaid, of that city.

The Rocky Mountain Billposters gave a banquet at Grand Junction, Colo., on Saturday evening, May 24, at which Mayor Banning, of Grand Junction, and newspaper men were present. There was lots to eat and some good speeches at the finish.

As a trailer, the official organ carries off the blue ribbon. It was The Billboard that first suggested the advisability of the Montreal Convention, considering the checking system and the paint proposition. It will be some time before the official organ wakes up to the necessity of a Censorship Committee. Give it time.

After all the resolutions have been passed the facts still remain that there is a deficit in the Association Reserve Fund. That the official organ tried to get \$190 from the treasury, surreptitiously, to pay for the holiday cover, and that the New York committee proposed a "secondary franchise." None of these charges have been denied, by resolution or otherwise.

John H. Otting, the billposter at Newport, Ky., came out first in a little controversy with the city over the location of a billboard. Some citizens discovered that it was located on city property, and started a movement to beautify the vicinity by moving the board. Otting got busy and put the board back a few inches on railroad property for which he had a lease, and that ended the controversy.

Mr. W. H. Barry, general agent for Pain's Fort Arthur, writes from Chattanooga, Tenn., under date of June 4: "In my many years connection with the Pain Shows I have yet to see anywhere so strong a showing in lithographing, posting, bannering and distributing as has been given the show here by Mr. H. E. Stoops. This with all due respect to hundreds of other good "men behind the brush," in different parts of the country.

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Correspondence

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elaboration of the mystic maze idea, was thrown open during the week, and jumped into popular favor at a bound. Vandeville of superior excellence served to amuse the thirsty patrons of the German Village, and, all in all, much amusement is provided the visitor here.

Fairmount Park (Ben Rosenthal, mgr.) Kilpatrick's daring dash in his automobile continued as the chief free attraction week 11, and thousands of people journeyed out to this beautiful breathing spot and experienced a genuine thrill during his performance, descriptive of which the words "hair-raising" are mild. Manager Terry presented a good vaudeville bill in the theatre, which enlisted the services of Kenton and Lorraine, Ethyle Roberts, Gus Rappier & Co., Carl Charles, Hoffman and Leonard, and the terrace.

Forest Park (John D. Hopkins, les. A. G. Peterson, res. mgr.) The Eight Bedouin Arabs, in their rough and tumble acrobatic act, were the big free feature week 11, while Staley and Birbeck, with their familiar musical act, headlined a good vaudeville bill in the theatre. The Marco Twins, and Klein, Ott Brothers and Nicholson receive prominence in the billing for week 12.

JOPLIN—New Club Theatre (L. F. Ballard, mgr.) Club Theatre Stock Co., week may 29, in The Showway to fair business.

Lyric Theatre (Chas. E. Hodkins, mgr.) S. E. O. week 23 at every performance.

Rae's Park Summer Theatre (John Rae, mgr.) Opened June 4 with vaudeville and illustrated songs to capacity business.

NEW JERSEY

TRENTON—Trent Theatre (Edward Benton, mgr.) Trent Stock Co., 5-7, with Mine Own Familiar Friend as a curtain raiser, and Turned Up: A Stranger in a Strange Land 8-10; When Knighthood Was in Flower 12-17. Alexander F. Frank, who was Jas. K. Hackett's leading support the past season, has been engaged as leading man, and has made a very favorable impression. Richard P. Crollin, comedian, is also creating much favorable comment.

Broad Street Park, Vaudeville.

Mercer Pleasure Park, Vaudeville.

The National G. A. R. Encampment occurs June 22-23.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK CITY—Theatres which have closed for the season are the American, Belasco, Berkeley Lyceum, Bijou, Broadway, Circle Colonial, Criterion, Daly's, Dewey, Empire, Field's, Garden, Garrick, Gotham, Liberty, Madison Sq., Majestic, Manhattan, Metropolitan, Miner's Bowery, Miner's 8th Ave., Murray Hill, New Amsterdam, New Lyceum, New West End, New York, Princess, Savoy, Star, Third Avenue, Wallack's and Weber Music Hall.

Proctor's Fifty-eight Street, One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth Street and Fifth Avenue (J. Austin Fynee, gen. mgr.) Stock: Drama and vaudeville.

Academy of Music (Gilmore & Tompkins, mgr.) Love's Lottery.

Fourteenth Street Theatre (J. Wealey Rosenquest, mgr.) The Octoroon.

Harlem Opera House (Alex. Lichtenstedt, mgr.) Adelaide Kein and her stock company.

Herald Square Theatre (Chas. Frohman mgr.) The Hulloking Girl is playing to capacity business and entered its seventh week June 12.

Hudson Theatre (Henry B. Harris, mgr.) Held to the Floor began its tenth week June 12.

Knickerbocker Theatre (Al Hayman & Co., mgr.) Frank Daniels in Sergeant Brue is playing to good business.

Lyric Theatre (Sam S. & Lee Shubert, mgrs.) Fantana is billing this playhouse nightly.

Hippodrome (Thompson & Dundy, mgrs.) Circus and spectacular drama.

WALT—K. HILL

BUFFALO—Park Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) The Farnum Stock Co. presented Sag Harbor to excellent business, and last week Miss Olive White did exceedingly well in her part. This week: Because She Loved Him So.

Lyceum Theatre (J. Laughlin, mgr.) Mildred Holland in Two Little Yagrats did a satisfactory business last week. This week she will appear in The Lily and The Prince. Special mention must be given the exceptionally fine line of printing used in billing this four-week stock engagement.

Shea's Garden Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) Last week's attendance was good, with Joseph F. Sheehan as the headliner. This week: Sam Elton, Charles Midare, Laura Millard, Rice Family, Frank Keenan and Co., Millman Trio, Five Valdares and the kinegraph.

Lafayette Theatre (Chas. M. Bagg, mgr.) The Brigadier with a very good performance played to very good house last week. This week: Wine, Woman and Song Co.

Athletic Park (Robt. F. Walter, mgr.) Favorable weather is always greeted by a crowd at this park. The 91st Highlanders' Band, of Hamilton, Ont., gave pleasing concerts last week. Albertson was the best of a good bill in the theatre, and the Reed Family, a marvelous family of bareback riders, made such a strong impression they were retained another week. This week the Royal Band of Italy will be the musical attraction. The Abachi Troupe of Arabs and the Reed Family will perform in the circus ring, and Dan Daly's Minstrels will be the attraction in the theatre. So far there are two big surprises: A. Segr's Yipsy Camp (Bert Picard, spieler) and New York to the North Pole. Business has been so rushing with the former that he has been compelled to advertise in The Billboard for additional palists. This concession was almost a failure last season. New York to the North Pole is always crowded, although it is not completed. F. C. Jomini, the spieler, is kept too busy holding back the crowds to do any speling. S. L. Robertson's The Old Mill and Samuel J. Lynch's Hereafter, the prettiest concessions on the grounds, are doing nicely. Cave of the Winds and Temple of Mirth continue to do a fair business. A. E. Waterman, spieler at the Cave of the Winds, is a hard worker. C. A. Donovan and Edith Mehlung will open a Candy Floss Booth this week. Their prospects for success are bright. J. O'Hern is now doing the speling for Mgr. Loftus' Miniature Railway.

The S. L. Robertson Amusement Company's Electric Park at Niagara Falls is doing a big business. CHAS. W. GOETZ, 163 Adams St.

TROY—Lyceum Theatre (Burns Gillam, mgr.) The Mortimer Snow Stock Co. presented The Girl I Left Behind Me week May 29; large and delighted audiences. For week June 5, Under the Red Robe, with Mr. Snow and Miss Crawford in the leading roles.

OKLAHOMA

SHAWNEE—Opera House (D. I. Verhine, mgr.) Columbia Opera Co., 29-June 3; good company; only fair business.

OHIO

COLUMBUS—This is the last week for the Vaughan-Glaser Stock at the Great Southern. The management reached this conclusion after a careful deliberation, and it is needless to say that the decision is received with sincere regret. The reason given for terminating the engagement is that Miss Hall does not feel equal to the task of committing new parts, and the two new plays that had been intended for the final two weeks are not now available. The company were just getting into the traces and were attracting good business and most favorable comment.

The Musical Comedy Co. at the Empire continues successfully on their way into public favor, and they deserve it, too. All members of the company enter into the spirit of The Girl from Paris, the bill for this week, with commendable dash and vim. Mae Kilcoyne is vivacious as The Girl, and the rest are up to the usual standard.

Olentangy Park is keeping up the fast pace set last week by the warm weather, and the attractions are all making good. Creators and his Italian Band will be the attraction for two weeks, commencing next Monday. The bill this week at the Casino is the best yet, and shows that Manager Prosser is a man of his word, having promised several weeks ago that the book-lugs would improve with each week, and they have done so. Mariou and Pearl please beat with their comedy acrobatic act. Sabel Johnson does some sweet singing and Ehardo is clever as an equilibrist. Fred Russell springs some new ones, and Trussell and Howard and Mooney and Holobeln complete the bill.

Indianola Park opened for the season 8, and had good crowds all day. The following outdoor attractions have been booked and are being well received by patrons: The Troupe d'Gillmour, The Aquatic Mierer Family, Seuff's Ladies' Military Band and Paln's Fire Works. Acts that are up to the standard already set will be booked for the entire season and good business is sure to be a result of the attention that is being paid to minor details and the comfort of visitors. J. B. HAGUE.

PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA—The weather has been ideal for theatre going with cool nights and a number of rainy days, but just the same the number of theatres that promise to keep open all summer is fast getting smaller and smaller. The parks have the dumps for business is very bad at all of them, but the theatres are not prospering by the advertising of their strongest competitors. The Grand Opera House, which was to run all summer with comic opera, lasted just one week, the theatre being closed on June 5, although The Mikado had been heavily billed for this week. It was the same old story of chorus and principals being left in the lurch on account of people without the necessary financial backing trying to buck the weather. George Fish, who has done remarkably well with a summer season of stock at the Chestnut Street Theatre, will bank his profits on June 10, close the theatre, and bid himself to the seashore to remain until it is time to open in Cincinnati. The number of open theatres will be decreased considerably in a week or two, and the chances are that in two more weeks Philadelphia will have to get along with two theatres.

Chestnut Street Theatre. George Fish with the Forepaugh Stock Co. put on Dorothy Vernon in Haddon Hall on June 5, and the production and company made a big hit. Business has been very good this week, and the company could remain for a couple of weeks more, unless the weather should get very warm. The house will close June 10.

Casino Theatre. Business continues very good with Coming Thro' The Rye, and the date of closing has not been decided. This will be the last attraction at this house for the season.

Park. Simple Simon Simple continues to please, and the audiences are immense and correspondingly enthusiastic. It has been a big winner and will run well into July.

Forepaugh's Theatre. By Right of Sword is the bill that the stock company is doing justice to week of June 5, and for week 12 The Dancing Master will be the bill.

Hart's Theatre. The stock, with added vaudeville features, is attracting fair size audiences, and the house will remain open until business gets bad.

Trocadero Theatre. Miner's Americans are doing nicely this week, and the house will remain open two more weeks.

Lyceum Theatre. Summer burlesque by a stock company is drawing well.

Keith's Theatre. Business picks up as the other houses close, and the big bills of vaudeville are pleasing everyone. The house will remain open all summer. BOB WATT, 306 Walnut Street.

ERIE—Majestic Theatre (John L. Gilson, mgr.) Benefit performance for stranded Metropolitan Juvenile Opera Co. members, under auspices Erie Lodge of Elks, was highly successful.

Frontier Park (Frontier Amusement Co., mgrs.) Business at this new resort is steadily increasing, all attractions being well patronized. Vaudeville bill for week June 5 included Baby Owen & Co., DeKola, Jaretts, Royal Marionettes, Irene Ortman, Owen and DeVernon and the Krane Sisters.

Waldameer Park (Tom Maloney, mgr.) Business at this popular resort is very good considering the inclement weather. Bill for week 5: Wm. Josh Daly's Minstrels, including Jos. Cowper, M. Mareena, Geo. Bully, C. F. Harris, J. J. O'Brien, Gene Kleinstert, Jack Reilly, Will Frick and Josh Daly.

Four Mile Creek Park (H. T. Foster, mgr.) Business good. Regular vaudeville season not commenced.

Overland (Overland Amusement Co., mgrs.) Fairly good business. Farnum & Bailey Shows, June 3; S. R. O. at both performances; Pawnee Bill, June 9.

East Erie Turners Association will have a carnival week July 2. Attractions will be furnished

by the J. Frank Hatch Shows. I. O. O. F. Carnival and fair week, July 17, with the Great Mundy Shows as the attraction.

MORRISTOWN—Grand Opera House (C. J. Carpenter, mgr.) Closed for season. Circus—Blake & Faulkner's, June 14.

TENNESSEE

KNOXVILLE—After one of the most successful seasons in the history of his business, Mr. Fritz Staub has closed his house, and will open August 21 with the Al Field Minstrels, which show always does immense business here.

Peruchl continues to draw good houses at Chilhowee Park, notwithstanding the revival conducted by Sam Jones, who drew an average of 5,000 at each service. The Traction Co. has made many improvements and additions to this park, which makes it one of the most attractive in the South. GUY SMITHSON.

VIRGINIA

NOFOLK—Pine Beach Theatre (Perkins & Dashiell, mgrs.) The Pine Beach Stock Co. presented the three-act drama Roanoke to increased business week 5.

Ocean View Casino (Jake Wells, owner; Otto Wells, mgr.) The Walter Edwards Co. in David Garrick and Taming of The Shrew opened the season to good business week 5. Next: Amy Lee in Mame'selle 'Awkins.

The Bijou (Abe Smith, mgr.) Vaudeville and moving pictures week 5.

Manhattan (Crimman Bros., mgrs.) The burlesque, A Belle of Fashion, and vaudeville week 5.

The Acme (Wilkinson & Manzie, mgrs.) The Coming Man, staged by Tommy B. Harris, Jr., and vaudeville, week 5. N. E. CROWDER.

WISCONSIN

STEVENS POINT—Grand Opera House (R. B. Johnson, mgr.) Irving French Stock Co., June 1-3; S. R. O. Bennett-Moulton Co., 12-14.

WASHINGTON

SEATTLE—Grand Opera House (John Cort, mgr.) Chauncey Olcott in A Romance of Athlone, 4-6; good business.

Seattle Theatre (John P. Howe, mgr.) The Watson Co. in Man from Mexico opened Sunday afternoon 4 for a week's engagement. The company is very capable and the piece is entirely familiar to Seattle playgoers. Next week same company in The Parish Priest.

Third Avenue Theatre (Russell & Drew, mgrs.) Manager Russell returned from New York last week, bringing with him sixteen people from that city. Last night they opened for a week in Escaped From The Harem. Mr. Russell's intentions are to keep this popular theatre open all summer. Next week Queen of The Highway.

Star Theatre (S. Morton Cohn, mgr.) At the Star this week a complete new bill will be given. The headliners are Mr. and Mrs. Jule Walters Co., Leo Worley, The DeMuths, Stanfield, Karrar, Nellie Gerin, illustrated songs and biograph pictures.

Pantage's Theatre (Alex. Pantage, mgr.) This week's list included three Alexander Brothers and Brady, Miss Libby Hart, Avil and Grimm, Leo White, Bruce and Mullen, The Garduera, Walters and Rice, and moving pictures.

Orpheum Theatre (Thomas Conside, mgr.) An exceptionally good bill was presented this week, including Bingham and Thornton, Madame Lloyd, Hayden, Lewis and Hart, Will C. Hoyt, The Regora Trio, and moving pictures.

CANADA

LONDON, ONT.—Grand (J. E. Turtou, mgr.) The Fatal Wedding 24; big house. The Fatal Wedding played a return date, 26, for the benefit of the stage bands, which was a grand success.

Bennett's Vaudeville (C. W. Bennett, prop.; J. H. Alox, mgr.) Business has been very good. Bill includes Adgie's Lions, C. Bartley, Marshall W. Spence, The Bradfords, Charlotte Ravenscroft and H. B. Lester.

Parks.

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Bergen Beach, Brooklyn, N. Y., has opened and is doing well. The concessions report big business.

Atlanta, Ga., is to have a new amusement park. Dr. J. M. Cam is forming a company to carry out that object.

Forest Park, Little Rock, Ark., is doing a very good business in the vaudeville line. Mr. C. T. Taylor is manager.

Chas. Manton can be found on the front of New York to the North Pole at Coney Island, N. Y. He wishes to send his regards to his friends in the profession.

Mr. Wm. Judkins Hewitt, late general agent for the Continental Carnival Co., is now connected with From New York To The North Pole at Coney Island, N. Y.

Irvingdale Park, Warren, Pa., opened with a good vaudeville show, June 5. Manager F. R. Scott has a lot of good bookings for his popular resort during the summer.

Star Island at Williamsport, Pa., opened May 30 under the management of Alexander S. Fisher, formerly of Coney Island. About 3,000 people attended the first day.

Owing to the street car strike at Bay City, Mich., Wenona Beach, the well-known resort is not open. It is not known when the resort will open, writes our correspondent.

Phoenix Park, Jacksonville, Fla., owned by the Jacksonville Electric Co., has been leased by Henry F. Willard & Co. Miss Mabel Paige is playing in the theatre to good business.

Iles Brothers have opened Mildred Park, Springfield, Ill., and have added several first class attractions, including a theatre. The Cora Levy Stock Co. is playing an engagement at the new theatre.

Jas. H. Garrett sends us a souvenir postal card from the Casino Theatre at Mount

tain Park, Roanoke, Va. It shows the theatre to be well situated and gives evidence that the resort is well cared for.

The Billboard office had the honor of a visit from Mr. John Church, special agent of Thompson & Dundy, who is on his way to spend a few weeks with his family at Heunepin, Putnam county, Ill.

Mr. E. F. Girard, well-known by vaudeville artists and showmen, reports big business at Creation, Coney Island, N. Y. On Sundays and holidays the big theatre is not urge enough to hold the crowds.

The Miniature Railroads, controlled by Cagney Brothers, 407 Broadway, N. Y., have become one of the best known and most highly praised of all park attractions. Indeed, it might be said that a park of the better sort is hardly complete without a railroad of this kind.

Andrew J. McFann, formerly connected with the Kotteu Kandy Machine Co., Toledo, Ohio, has dissolved partnership with

E. A. DUNLAP



He is manager of Greater Electric Park at Newark, N. J., and is the inventor of the Electric Fountain, which has made the well-known Newark resort so popular. Mr. Dunlap is one of the most progressive park managers in the country. He has made improvements thereto this season in the way of new attractions and improving others. Mr. Dunlap invented and installed the Electric Fountain in Electric Park in the summer of 1902, and he feels justly proud as he watches the property increase in drawing powers each succeeding season.

the above company and will manufacture the kotteu kandy machines under his letters patent. Mr. A. J. McFann's address is No. 103 Michigan street, Toledo, Ohio.

George Chandler, a well-known and enterprising showman has assumed the management of Dreamland Park, Harrisburg, Pa., and from the energetic manner in which he has started things in that town the resort's prospects for success are of the brightest bae.

Geo. C. Tillyou's Steeplechase Island at Bridgeport, Conn., opened May 27 with ideal weather and a vast assemblage. Noteworthy among its new features are Steeplechase, Scenic Railway, Vaudeville Theatre, Laughing Gallery, Miniature Railway, Hall of Illusions, Electric Display, Concert Band and many others.

Director Deicher, of the Beach Amusement Co., Asbury Park, N. J., announces that he has secured for the Casino at that place some of the best attractions for the summer. A number of leading musical companies, under the direction of Savage and the Shuberts, will be presented during the summer, besides a number of other New York productions.

Farview Park, at Dayton, Ohio, has grown considerable since the last season's close and presents a magnificent appearance with its profusion of electric effects, spacious vaudeville theatre and one of the largest "Figure 8's" in the world. Manager Ward is giving the very best performances in the Casino, having secured none but top-notch attractions, and assures the public that treats will be in store for his patrons throughout the summer.

On account of bad weather and the consequent delay in completing Dreamland Park, Decatur, Ill., that resort postponed its opening from Decoration Day to June 4. Mr. Bolla V. Mallory will have entire charge of the theatre. He has been assistant to Mr. Given this year. Tom Roman, manager of Mr. Given's interests in Ponca, is assistant secretary and treasurer. Isaac Witkof is stage carpenter and Ben Dolson is advertising manager.

Manager Kirk, of Lakeside Park, Dayton, Ohio, reports the biggest Decoration Day business in the history of the park; one attraction, the Scenic Railway, carrying 15,000 tickets in the one day's business. The Vaudeville Show drew capacity, and business in general far exceeded the management's expectations. Prosperity has showered her golden trophies in profusion upon the popular resort. The Shoot the Chutes, which are being erected at the park at an expenditure of \$20,000, are being rushed to completion, and the patrons of this well-known resort will shortly be treated to the pleasures of the finest chutes in the west.

Chicago Ticks.

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six weeks' vacation on the Pacific coast. Incidentally he will run over to Honolulu for a week's outing, and before returning to Chicago will view the wonders of the Portland Exposition.

Geo. Taylor, advertising agent for the Northern Theatre, is suffering from an attack of appendicitis, having been confined to his bed for several days past. His many friends in the profession will learn with pleasure that he is out of danger and on the road to recovery.

The last performance of Pliff, Paff, Puff was given in the Garrick, Sunday night, June 11. The theatre is dark this week. Much interest is being evinced in the forthcoming production of the Woggle Bug, which opens at the Garrick next week. The sale of Bong Bong will be withdrawn from Powers' Saturday night, June 17. The strike is hurting show business in Chicago. Manager Powers has completed arrangements whereby the comedy, Mrs. Temple's Telegram, will begin a summer run in the Randolph street playhouse June 26. William Morris will head the company, and during the closed period the theatre will be given its summer cleaning.

The Players' Stock Co., Bush Temple Theatre, concluded Sunday night, June 11, a season which has been the most successful in every way the house has ever known. The theatre will be reopened about Sept. 1, with practically the same company, Miss Montgomery and Mr. Alton assuming the leading roles.

The weather has had a tendency to hurt the summer park business in Chicago the past week. Saturdays and Sundays, however, find the leading resorts well patronized. White City naturally holds first place. All of the parks are offering a superior line of attractions this season.

Weber's Band at the Coliseum is making a fine impression with our music lovers.

John D. Tippet, associate manager of privileges with the Hagenbeck Shows, transacted business in Chicago last week.

Noble and DuBey have signed with The Hustler, ex have Brad Swain, Miss Sybil Farrar, Bonnie Hamilton, Palmer and Al. Whalen. Messrs. Bradley & Tremont will undoubtedly have a winner in The Hustler. The attraction is practically booked solid to March 22, 1906.

The Northwestern University students took charge of Bodkin Brothers' Circus at Evanston, Ill., one night last week, and proceeded to cut up a lot of didoes, precipitating a riot until routed by the police. The college boys at Ann Arbor, Mich., were guilty of similar conduct some years ago. Circus men are not annoyed at Ann Arbor any more.

Mdame Colgrove, the only equestrienne who has accomplished the feat of working eight dogs to a horse and cart, is soon to open at Louisville, Ky., with several weeks of excellent bookings to follow.

The Marvelous St. Julian, in his novelty head balancing, pedestal dancing and bag punching act, made quite a hit at the Trocadero last week.

The strike has undoubtedly diverted considerable business from Chicago novelty and streetmen's supply houses. For the benefit of many readers who will be interested in knowing the exact status of affairs, it is but fair to state that Chicago manufacturers are meeting shipments promptly. Outside papers have greatly exaggerated the strike situation in Chicago.

WARREN A. PATRICK.

A LETTER

From Joseph Jefferson to Joseph Holland

At the benefit performance recently given for Joseph Holland in New York Mrs. Leslie Carter read this letter from Joseph Jefferson, who acted as godfather at the younger player's christening:

The Reef, Palm Beach, Fla., March 10, 1905.—To Mr. Joseph Jefferson Holland—My Dear Joe: As I have known you from the hour of your birth up to the present time, it is natural that I should feel deeply interested on the occasion of this most auspicious testimonial.

Your father and I were friends for forty years. He was the merriest soul I ever knew and the most inveterate practical joker of his time. I now recall an instance when goldfish were first introduced in one of the public fountains of New York. With many others, I had gone to see the then novel sight, when your father appeared in the crowd in full sporting costume—high boots, straw hat, and basket, carrying a fishing rod and camp stool. Pushing the crowd aside, he coolly sat down and began to angle for the goldfish. The bystanders vigorously remonstrated with him, but he pretended to be deaf and dumb. A policeman was sent for, and your father tried the same deaf-and-dumb game with him, but he was threatened with being locked up, whereupon the old gentleman recovered his speech and told the officer that he would give him the means to lock him up with; so he reeled in his line, at the end of which was a large bunch of keys. The crowd, which by this time had recognized the

favorite comedian, roared with laughter and cheered him as he departed. The policeman, I need not say, was dumbfounded.

I was requested by your parents to officiate as godfather to Joseph Jefferson Holland. Of course, I consented. I met them at the church, your mother in tears, your father wretched in smiles; you rebelled at the ceremony, and no wonder, for you were surrounded by enough stiffly starched frills and ruffles to make any young one low spirited. I, of course, promised to bring you up in the way you should go, and the way you did go was tremendous, for, though I brought you up, I could never take you down.

Our next domestic relations were of a more solemn character. A telegram from your mother announced to me the death of your father. I hastened to town, and, taking your brother with me, repaired to the church your mother attended and asked the minister if the funeral could take place from his church. He consented, but when I mentioned that Mr. Holland was an actor he withdrew his consent. "But," he remarked, "there is a little church around the corner where you might get the pastor to bury your friend." To which I replied: If that is so, then God bless the little church around the corner." And I am glad to say that it has kept its baptismal appellation to this day, and I am glad to know that in the same year I was godfather to yourself and christened the Little Church Around the Corner.

JOSEPH JEFFERSON.

Salamagundi.

James A. Wallace's Queen of the Highway Co. closed a very successful season of forty weeks at New Haven, Conn., May 20. Business during the past season far exceeded that of last year. The company lost but one night during the engagement which speaks highly for its management. Mr. Wallace has under advisement a tour of England and the provinces for next season.

Alice C. Yorke, who, by the way, is the sister of H. P. Hill, the well known circus and theatrical manager, with her Broomstick Witches was the headliner at the Chicago and Haymarket theatres, Chicago, the past two weeks, meeting with marked success. Miss Yorke has been the prima donna with Whitney's Isle of Spice (eastern), and will be seen with that organization next season.

The dainty and diminutive comedienne, Miss Toby Claude, who has proved such a big success in vaudeville, is featuring one of Cole & Johnson's best song successes, The Pretty Squaw From Utah. Miss Claude injects into her performance of the song just that touch of unconscious humor which makes it really funny, and she writes Stern & Co. that it is one of the biggest hits she has ever sung.

Mamie Lincoln Pixley's season in New York Day By Day Co. closes May 27. Miss Pixley has been very successful in the leading role in that piece this season and has won much praise for her superior delineation of the role. She has not decided upon her course for next season though she has determined to postpone her starring tour until some future season. In company with her husband, Starr L. Pixley, she will spend part of the summer in Europe.

Walter F. Keefe, a well-known Wisconsin newspaper man, has secured the exclusive bookings of the acts for the Bijou circuit, owned and operated by Campbell & Danforth, and has opened an office at 67 Clark street, in the Oneonta building, Chicago. Mr. Keefe is well known in the profession. Commencing June 12, Messrs. Campbell & Danforth announce that there will be ten houses in the Bijou Circuit and that eight other houses will be booked in conjunction with them.

Notes from Obrecht's Unique Concert Co.: We opened our summer season May 1, and are doing an enormous business through Minnesota and Wisconsin. At Taylor's Falls we had the pleasure of giving the Governor of Minnesota a band concert at the Hotel Cochichewick, after which an elaborate banquet was spread. The roster includes Obrecht & Obrecht, owners; C. D. Obrecht, manager; Grandma Obrecht, treasurer; Miss Mae Obrecht, musical director; Mile. Julia, electric and serpentine dancer; Miss Rose and Baby Sarah, juvenile sketch artists; Master Christie, comedian; Julia, violinist and cornettist. We carry an Edison moving picture outfit and 5,000 feet of the latest animated pictures. Our juvenile band is a feature of the company.

Sie Hassan Ben Ali writes that his various Oriental troupes are making phenomenal successes. His famous Toosouin troupe of Arabs is a feature of the Hargreaves Circus and is making a tremendous success at every stand. The other troupe of Arabs is a feature of McCaddon's Circus now touring Europe. Advice from Paris state that they are meeting with an ovation at every performance. The latest troupe under Hassan's management is a troupe of eight Cossacks who have just arrived from Port Arthur where they were placed on parole by the Japanese. These Cossacks are especially fine specimens of the crack Russian cavalryman, their costumes are brilliant and their horsemanship is said to be unsurpassed. Sie Hassan Ben Ali has several novel features that he is bringing over for the coming season.

A Raspberry Bush was started at Richmond, Ind., May 19, on the stage of the

Phillipa Opera House, after the evening performance. Those having charge of the installation were Mr. and Mrs. Lew Seeker, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Forbes and Ben Omar. A banquet was afterward served, after which the newly made members danced until the wee sma' hours of the morning. The charter members of the Bush are Dr. W. W. Zimmermann, Mayor of Richmond; O. G. Murray, proprietor Phillips Opera House; Chas. Blair, James Stillwell, Paul Hartorn, Ernest Bank, John Iring, Roy Wenger, John Long, Chas. Turner, Harry Thomas, Edgar Engle, Ed. Hamilton, Arthur Myers, Rolla Beck, Harry Mitchell, Fred. Hilton, Agnes Clark, Mildred Hawke, H. S. Carter, Frank Newman, Carl Wadman, Walter Craighead, Elmer McCoub, W. C. Smith, Ernest Bank, Chas. Bymaster, Geo. Goodwin, Bobby DeRne, Miss Frazer, Eddie Carrol, Harley Lane, Clarence Wiggins and Mr. Gaffney.

An exchange says: It is a popular notion that active participation in the work of the stage is incompatible with longevity, but many instances prove the reverse of this. Mr. Jefferson was seventy-six when he died. His death was not due to an infirmity of age and his professional abilities had shown no impairment. On March 12 John L. Tools, long a popular favorite in London, celebrated at his home in Brighton his seventy-second birthday. Born in London in 1833, he first appeared on the stage in 1852. Tommaso Salvini, living in Italy, was born in Milan in 1830. Henry Irving was born in Yorkshire in 1838, and Lydia Thompson in London in the same year. James H. Stoddart, who has been acting at the head of a company of which he is the star, has been a resident of this country since 1854. He was born in Yorkshire in 1827. Mrs. Annie Yeamans was born in 1836 and Henry Clay Barnabee in 1833. Mrs. William G. Jones, who has been appearing in The Little Minister and other plays, is seventy-six and has been on the stage for sixty-six years. Mrs. G. H. Gilbert was eighty-five when she died. Pauline Desjaret, the French actress, was born in Paris in 1798 and died in 1875. Frederick Lemaitre, born in Havre in 1798, made his debut in 1823 and acted for the last time in 1873 when seventy-five after exactly fifty years of professional service. He died in 1876. Prolonged success on the stage is compatible only with the retention of good health, preserved by regularity of living and the avoidance of excesses. The aged actor who becomes truly celebrated has pursued even in an arduous profession the methods of living which conduce to longevity.

Gormand & Ford are doing a nice business in the smaller towns in Maine and New Hampshire. Mr. Ford recently left the company and is spending the summer at his cottage near Potsdam, N. Y.

Mr and Mrs. Henry Blackaller are spending the summer at Hamilton, Ind.

The Katherine Rober Stock Co. opened at Whalon Park Theatre, Fitchburg, Mass., May 30, for a four weeks' engagement.

The George M. Fenberg Stock Co. opened May 30 at the Jefferson Theatre, Portland, Me., for an all-summer engagement.

Notes from the Trousdale Theatre Co., presenting Mr. L. E. Beach and a capable company in repertorie: We opened our summer season April 13 at Olathe, Kan., and since the first performance the company has played to packed business almost nightly. We remain out all summer, and will continue to the regular season. Times is now being booked rapidly. Our roster is as follows: Merle Trousdale, manager; L. E. Beach, stage director; Bert Hedden, Eugene Krick, Master Nell Trousdale, Minnie Remaley, Frankie Elliott and H. O. Parker.

Gus Kleinbecke has obtained the rights to A Hot Old Time for a summer tour of Maine and the maritime provinces. The company was organized four weeks ago, and has been on the Cahn and Grant Circuit. Harry Levy is ahead.

The Quaker Remedy Co., under the management of Wm. Franklin, opened its season under canvass June 5. The Valpas, musical team; Fay Abbott, sobrette; Sam Custer, Dutch and Irish comedian; and Chas. Carr, blackface and song and dance comedian are with the company.

The prospects for a new opera house at Cedar Falls, Ia., are said to be exceedingly good. The plan is to start work as soon as stock to the amount of \$20,000 is sold. The Masonic Lodge will subscribe \$14,000, the balance to be raised by individual subscriptions.

Park Theatre, Rutland, Vt., has been leased by Felix Biel, a gentleman well known in theatrical circles. The seating capacity will be enlarged to proportions which will accommodate 1,200 people. Dramatic, vaudeville and operatic productions will be put on. The house opened under Mr. Biel's management May 29, with the Dorothy Lewis Stock Co. Manager Biel promises to conduct the theatre in a manner to please the best people of the city.

One of the principal musical productions which will be presented in New York the coming season is entitled The Duke of Du-luth, in which Mr. Net M. Willis will star. The libretto is by Geo. H. Broadhurst and the music by Max S. Witt, at present the musical director of the Son of Rest production, in which Mr. Willis is just concluding a successful tour of the United States of over three years. The new piece has a breezy comic libretto, and Mr. Witt's musical numbers, most of which are in course of completion, are exceedingly tuneful, and will place him in the front rank of comic opera composers. The Duke of Duluth will open in Chicago and later will go to New York for a long run at the Majestic Theatre. The score and musical numbers will be published by W. Stern & Co.

Miss Camille Gordon recently joined the Frank E. Long Stock Co.

It has been the custom to open Lincoln Park, New Bedford, Mass., on Memorial Day, May 30, and this year was no exception to the rule. The grounds at this beautiful resort have undergone many changes, and a new theatre with modern improvements, has been built in place of the old one. The dancing pavilion has been enlarged to double its former area,

as has also the casino and refreshment departments. Many new attractions and features have been installed, and all will again be under the management of Isaac W. Phelps.

Oak Summit Park, Evansville, Ind., has a new theatre which will seat 1,200 people. High class vaudeville opened the theatre on June 4. During the season dramatic and operatic attractions will also be given. The decorations are in green and white and the general appearance of the house are above the ordinary.

The Barnum & Bailey Show will make three stops in Iowa on its way to the coast. These cities are Spencer, Creston and Des Moines. After showing in St. Joe and Kansas City the show goes to Denver.

Manager A. J. Bodkin, of the Bodkin Brothers' Shows, purchased twenty-seven head of fine draft horses in Milwaukee last week. After the summer engagement on Chicago lots the Bodkin Brothers will take to the rails.

Gus and Marion Kohl closed with the Great Wallace Shows at Huntington, W. Va., and jumped to Columbus, Ohio, for a two weeks' engagement at Schaefer's Garden. They will continue playing parks for the season.

James Cannon has accepted a position as ticket clerk with the Forepaugh-Sells Show, beginning work last week. Mr. Cannon filled a similar position with the Ringling Brothers Show a few years ago, and is well acquainted with the duties of the office.

Boynnton's Dog Circus, after a successful week at Riverview Park, Louisville, Ky., was engaged for an indefinite period. Rice, the high-diving dog that climbs a forty-foot perpendicular ladder, is proving a feature. The program contains quite a number of novel acts.

Prof. Hank Silder writes that he is making a hit with his untamable lion, Mayo. During the performance of Nettle recently, the animal made a plunge at the Professor, frightening the audience to such an extent that a number of seats fell. Luckily no one was injured.

The private car of the Campbell Brothers Show has been the scene of a pleasant family reunion the past few weeks. The parents of the Campbell Brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campbell, and Mrs. "Doc" Campbell and Mrs. Ed. Campbell, were guests of the boys upon the Iowa and Dakota tour.

Col. W. H. Hagan, contracting agent, is ahead of the Castello & Graves one-ring circus. Col. Hagan and his brigade, consisting of A. Friend, lithographer; H. Murdock, banners; J. Ryan, programmer and three billposters, visited the Robinson Show while at Rome, N. Y., and met some of their old time friends.

Bert Reiss, of Canal Dover, Ohio, has closed with the Barnum & Bailey Show, and is now in advance of the Wallace Shows.

Caldwell Park, Ottumwa, Ia., opened its season May 29 with Mr. Bert Christy, formerly of the Bijou Theatre, at the managerial helm. The opening was a success if large crowds count for anything. In the vaudeville theatre, under canvas, were the following people: Ring and Williams, Kendall and Thompson, LaArlo and Lewis and Lewison.

Notes from the Ritter & Fanshawe Tracy, The Outlaw King Co.: Business is excellent and the weather is fine in northern Maine. We begin our Canadian tour June 6 at Edmundston, N. B. We are advertising like a circus with two men in advance and our houses are packed. Jan. E. McElroy, the veteran comedian and stage manager, has been transferred from the Herald Square Stock Co. to play the role of Hans Schmidt, the book agent. Our Herald Square Stock Co. is doing well and will remain out until July 5. Both companies will be put out again next season and we will have a No. 2 Tracy Co.

Notes from the Irene Jeavons Stock Co.: Since opening up under canvas in Pennsylvania in April business has been good. We have a sixty foot round top with two thirty foot middle pieces, and a magnificent stage. The roster is as follows: Thos. Jeavons, proprietor, general manager and leads; Arthur Heabert, heavies; Harry Falcary, comedian; Geo. E. Robbins, characters; Chas. York, Robt. Ballzer, Daniel Odett, Irene Jeavons, Claribel Worth, Bena Jeavons, Mrs. Chas. York, Great Robetta, James S. Edwards, advance; Frank Bolland, ticket seller; Jan. H. Daly, in charge of canvas and privileges with two assistants.

Rome, the channel through which the drama was disseminated through Europe, has today no dramatic tradition of her own, not even a body of actors of her own. Such strolling companies, operatic and dramatic, as may be, traveling through Italy, often come from Milan, make a brief "season" in the capital as in other cities, and that is all. An organized effort is now being made to remove this reproach. A city orchestra of 100 high-class performers has been formed, and this will be placed gratuitously at the disposal of the Costanzi Theatre, in return for six months of a varied repertory of opera. In the same way the Argentine Theatre will become a national theatre of comedy, with subventions of about \$20,000 a year, on condition of giving a six months' course of a varied dramatic program.

Miss Eleanor Robson will next season appear in the role of a Salvation Army girl in a play which George Bernard Shaw is writing for her, which will be presented in New York in November.

Henry Arthur Jones is writing a new play for Virginia Harned. It will be produced at the Hudson Theatre, New York, October 15.

Harry Mestayer has been granted a divorce in San Francisco from Victory Bateman.

Geo. Ade's The College Widow is booked for an indefinite engagement at the Studebaker Theatre, Chicago, beginning July 31.

The Sothern—Marlowe Co. begins rehearsal early in July for next season's work.

Frederick de Belleville, before sailing for Belgium and France for his summer vacation, signed to appear in Mrs. Flak's company next season.

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New Fairs.

- CONNECTICUT. Newtown-Newtown Fair. Sept. 26-28. R. O. Mitchell, pres.; H. G. Curtis, treas.; P. H. McCarthy, sec. GEORGIA. Milledgeville-Agril. Fair. Nov. 9-10. ILLINOIS. Freeport-Northern Illinois Fair. J. E. Taggart, pres.; L. R. Jungkuns, treas.; Jas. Rezner, sec. KANSAS. Topeka-Kansas State Fair. Sept. 11-16. M. A. Low, pres.; O. H. Samsou, sec. KENTUCKY. Winchester-Elk's Fair. Aug. 9-11. MARYLAND. Bel Air-Harford Co. Fair. Dates not set. Jno. W. House, pres. Eastern-Eastern Shore Fair. Dates not set. M. B. Nichols, pres. Pocomoke City-Pocomoke Fair. Dates not set. S. J. Twilley, pres. Rockville-Montgomery Co. Fair. Dates not set. Dave H. Wardell, pres. Tolchester-Kent and Queen Anne's Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. E. Noland, pres. Upper Marlboro-Southern Md. Fair. Dates not set. Dr. R. S. Hill, pres. MICHIGAN. Charlotte-Eaton Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Jas. H. Gallery, pres.; Frank Ward, treas.; Geo. Decke, sec. Grand Rapids-West Michigan State Fair. Sept. 18-22. W. H. Anderson, pres.; S. J. Weber, sec. Hillsdale-Hillsdale Fair. Oct. 2-6. Jas. A. Payne, sec. MINNESOTA. Arlington-Sibley Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Theo. Strömquist, pres.; V. F. Schmolli, treas.; F. F. Mansfield, sec. MISSOURI. Hamilton-Hamilton Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. W. Napier, pres and mgr.; T. D. George, treas. MONTANA. Helena-Montana State Fair. Oct. 2-9. H. Berg, pres.; Jno. W. Pace, sec. NEBRASKA. Beaver City-Furnas Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. C. E. Hopping, pres.; C. E. Smith, treas.; W. C. Lumley, sec. Osceola-Polk Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. L. K. McGaw, pres.; Peter Nelson, treas.; G. T. Ray, sec. PENNSYLVANIA. Gratz-Gratz Fair. Sept. 13-15. C. A. Hoff, pres.; Lykins; T. S. Klinger, treas.; D. S. Klinger, sec. VERMONT. Bradford-Bradford Fair. Aug. 29-31. T. J. Albee, pres.; E. W. Cunningham, treas.; M. A. Jenkins, sec. Brattleboro-Valley Fair. Sept. 27-28. G. W. Pierce, pres.; F. C. Adams, treas.; D. E. Tasker, sec. East Hardwick-Caledonia Grange Fair. Sept. 23. Geo. Lovejoy, pres.; F. B. Fay, sec. and treas. Northfield-Dog River Valley Fair. Sept. 19-21. Geo. S. Colby, pres.; Williamstown; A. E. Denney, treas.; F. G. Fisher, sec. Rutland-Rutland Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. D. W. Temple, pres.; W. E. Kingsman, treas.; Walter A. Clark, sec. St. Albans-Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. C. W. Gates, pres.; Franklin; C. A. Glover, sec.; S. P. Twigg, treas. St. Johnsbury-Caledonia Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. E. M. Taft, pres.; H. A. Stanley, sec. and treas. ALABAMA. Birmingham-Alabama State Fair. Oct. 4-14. E. M. Williams, sec. ARKANSAS. Rogers-Arkansas State Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. W. Walker, pres.; Jno. E. Falke, treas.; A. M. Buckley, sec. CALIFORNIA. Colusa-National Trotting Fair. Dates not set. W. R. Merrill, pres.; Tennant Harrington, treas.; Jas. W. Scoggins, sec. Tulare City-Tulare Fair. Dates not set. E. Whaley, pres.; W. T. Ingerson, sec. COLORADO. Grand Junction-Mesa Co. Fair. Sept. 18-22. W. P. Ela, pres.; M. M. Shares, treas.; G. D. Fisher, sec. Lamar-Prowers Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. A. N. Parrish, pres.; W. C. Geild, treas.; Chas. Maxwell, sec. Montrose-Western Slope Fair. Sept. 19-23. W. O. Redding, pres.; Jno. E. Pelton, treas.; Charles L. Blake, sec. Pueblo-Colorado State Fair. Sept. 11-15. J. E. Topping, pres.; Thos. H. Devine, treas.; Thos. E. Hoffmire, sec. CONNECTICUT. Danbury-Danbury Fair. Oct. 2-7. Samuel T. Bunde, pres.; Jno. W. Balon, treas.; G. W. Bunde, sec. Harwinton-Harwinton Fair. Oct. —. Lewis E. Catlin, supt. priv.; R. F. D. No. 2, Torrington, Conn. Lyme-Lyme-Grange Fair. Dates not set. Wm. Marlon, pres.; Hamburg; H. B. Blason, treas.; Hamburg; J. W. Stark, sec. Nangatauck-Beacon Valley Grange Fair. Sept. 4. W. J. Noble, pres.; W. G. Hard, treas.; Wm. L. Lloyd, sec. Rockville-Rockville Fair. Sept. 26-28. Andrew Kingsbury, pres.; F. A. Randall, treas.; E. D. Noble, sec. Williamantic-Horseshoe Park Fair. Sept. 19-21. Chas. A. Gates, pres.; Fred. A. Sanderson, treas.; T. B. Sudd, sec.

DELAWARE.

Middletown—Grange Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. J. Atwood Weldin, pres.; L. Scott Townsend, treas.; Frederick Brady, sec.

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville—Jacksonville Fair. Nov. 16-28.

GEORGIA.

Athens—Northwest Georgia Fair. Oct. 3-6. H. J. Rowe, sec.

Atlanta—Georgia State Fair. Oct. 9-21. Frank Weldon, sec.

Calhoun—Gordon Co. Fair. Oct. 24-27. J. T. McVey, sec.

Chickamauga—Northwest Georgia Fair. Oct. 3-7. T. W. Lee, pres.; M. C. Bouda, treas.; E. H. Wyatt, sec.

Delton—Fourth Annual Fair. Oct. 16-20. Frank T. Reynolds, pres.

Douglas—Office Co. Fair. Nov. 6-10. J. J. Rogers, mgr.

Lawrenceville—Gwinnett County Fair. Dates not set. Maj. W. E. Simmons, pres.; N. L. Hutchins, jr., sec.

Lexington—Oglethorpe Co. Fair. Oct. 22-23. Jno. Knox, pres. & mgr.

Macons—Georgia Farmers' Fair. Oct. 24-Nov. 3. Eugene Anderson, sec.

Waycross—Waycross Fair. Nov. 12-17.

IDAHO.

Blackfoot—Southeastern Idaho Fair. Sept. 12-22. C. W. Berryman, pres.; G. E. Holbrook, treas.; W. H. Stumbeam, sec.

Boise—Inter-Mountain Fair. Sept. 25-30. Jas. A. Finney, pres.; E. H. Plowhead, treas.; W. F. Dolan, sec.

Caldwell—Canyon Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14. D. D. Campbell, pres.; W. B. Sebras, treas.; J. B. Gowen, sec.

Lewiston—Lewiston-Clarkston Fair. Oct. 16-21. G. H. Kester, pres.; Jno. T. Ray, treas.; Chris F. Omers, sec.

Nes Perce—Nes Perce Co. Fair. Oct. 3-7. K. G. Osterbant, pres.; L. N. Swift, treas.; P. W. Mitchell, sec.

ILLINOIS.

Aledo—Mercer Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. Lee, pres.; W. D. Emerson, sec.

Atlanta—Logan Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. B. Jordan, sec.

Avon—Avon Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. B. Boston, pres.; W. G. Mings, treas.; Julian Churchill, sec.

Belvidere—Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. Hannah, pres.; Wm. G. Greenlee, treas.; M. D. Perkins, sec.

Bushnell—Bushnell Fair. Aug. 8-11. Geo. D. Bell, pres.; J. S. Nunnemake, treas.; J. F. Johnson, sec.

Camargo—Douglas Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Jno. B. Hammett, pres.; Tuscola, Geo. O. Jeffers, treas.; A. Hayward, sec.

Carle—Henry Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. L. J. Wilkinson, pres.; Henry White, treas.; Theo. Boltenstein, sec.

Carlinville—Macomb Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. S. T. Carmody, pres.; Nilwood, A. M. Boring, treas.; Geo. J. Castle, sec.

Carmi—Carmi Fair. Sept. 5-9. J. J. Dale, sec.

Champaign—Champaign Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. W. Lindley, sec.

Charleston—Coles Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. A. J. Craig, pres.; T. T. Shoemaker, treas.; W. O. Glaser, sec.

Clinton—DeWitt Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Jno. Fuller, pres.; S. T. Newell, treas.; Hugh S. Magill, sec.

Danvers—McLean Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. S. Poppel, sec.

Delavan—Tazewell Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. W. Crabb, pres.; J. T. Culbertson, treas.; J. O. Jones, sec.

Edinburg—Edinburg Co. Fair. Sept. 5-10. W. W. Austin, pres.; T. S. Gravenhorst, treas.; J. W. Gravenhorst, sec.

El Paso—El Paso Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. J. F. Schofield, pres.; A. H. Waite, treas.; J. F. Bosworth, sec.

Elwood—Willi Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. Ely Spangler, sec.

Equality—Gallatin Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Dr. L. W. Gordon, pres.; Chas. Stein, sec.

Fairbury—Fairbury Union Fair. Sept. 4-8. J. B. F. Leininger, pres.; Harry L. Leininger, treas.; Chas. F. Leininger, sec.

Fairfield—Wayne Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 2. B. F. Leinger, pres.; Harry L. Leinger, treas.; Chas. F. Leinger, sec.

Galena—Galena Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. Barner, sec.

Goconda—Pope Co. Fair. Oct. 4-7. Henry Walter, sec.

Morrison—Whiteside Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. A. Smith, pres.; Wm. Boyd, treas.; W. R. Lewis, sec.

Mt. Carroll—Carroll Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Jas. A. Warner, pres.; J. D. Turnbaugh, treas.; Cal. M. Fezer, sec.

Mt. Sterling—Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Murphyboro—Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Craine, pres.; Willard Wall, treas.; Chas. L. Ritter, sec.

Newton—Jasper Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. H. A. Fuller, sec.

Olney—Richland Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. W. Boarnell, sec.

Paris—Edgar Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Wm. H. Moss, pres.; E. G. Sutherland, treas.; S. M. McCord, sec.

Pinckneyville—Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. R. J. Rushing, sec.

Princeton—Bureau Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jas. M. Ennis, pres.; Walnut, H. B. Peterson, treas.; Chas. L. Trimble, sec.

Quincy—Quincy Fair. Aug. 22-25.

Robinson—Crawford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Savilla Shipman, pres.; Hardinsville; H. W. Schwesku, treas.; Henry Coulter, sec., Hardinsville.

Sandwich—Sandwich Fair. Sept. 13-15. H. A. Severy, pres.; C. L. Stinson, sec.

Saybrook—McLean Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Dr. J. M. Anderson, pres.; Frank Woolley, sec.

Shawneetown—Gallatin Co. Fair. Aug. 22-29. Charles Carroll, pres.; Jno. McKelligott, treas.; Marsh Wiseheart, sec.

Sbellyville—Sbelly Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. J. C. Westerwell, pres.; G. A. Roberts, sec.

Springfield—Illinois State Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 7. A. D. Barber, pres.; Hamilton; Edw. A. Hall, treas.; W. Garrard, sec.

Sterling—Mineral Springs Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. T. Williams, pres.; J. Harpham, treas.; W. Kilgour, sec.

Urbana—Champaign Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. C. Dallenbach, pres.; Champaign; J. E. Bussey, treas.; W. W. Lindley, sec.

Warren—Union Agrl. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Joseph Appel, pres.; Geo. Mahon, treas.; T. A. Sullivan, sec.

Woodstock—McHenry Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Wm. Desmond, pres.; Fremont Hoy, treas.; Geo. Hunt, sec.

Wyoming—Wyoming Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. E. MacClumey, sec.

Watseka—Iroquois Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. H. H. Hotelling, pres.; Gilman; Will A. Casey, treas.; John O. Reeder, sec.

Yorkville—Kendall Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. C. S. Williams, sec.

INDIANA.

Anderson—Anderson Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. B. Orr, pres.; Wm. Boland, treas.; W. H. Heritage, sec.

Angola—Stenben Agrl. Fair. Oct. 10-13. Clyde C. Carlin, pres.; Henry Lindes, treas.; Orville Goodale, sec.

Boonville—Big Boonville Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Clamer Pelser, pres.; A. L. Beeler, treas.; J. F. Richardson, sec.

Boswell—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Hiram Bright, pres.; Matt Cooper, sec.

Bourbon—Bourbon Fair. Oct. 10-13. G. D. Ettinger, pres.; H. F. Bowman, treas.; B. W. Parks, sec.

Bremen—Agrl. Fair. Oct. 3-6. Jno. Huff, pres.; Henry H. Miller, sec.

Charlney—Spencer Co. Fair. Aug. 14-19. J. C. Haines, pres.; J. P. Chrimey, sec.

Cicero—Hamilton Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. O. M. Tomlinson, pres.; J. M. Achenbach, sec.

Columbus—Bartholomew Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. F. T. Crump, pres.; Ed. Bedman, sec.

Connersville—Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Francis T. Boots, pres.; Bass Sparks, sec.; T. O. McBurney, sec. mgr.

Corvyn—Harrison Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Dan F. Stant, pres.; Geo. W. Applegate, jr., treas.; Frank E. Wright, sec.

Corvyn—Fountain, Warren & Vermillion Fair. Sept. 12-15. Geo. Robb, pres.; Geo. W. Williams, treas.; N. G. Harlow, sec.

Crawfordsville—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 4-7. W. F. Hulet, pres.; E. C. Walkup, sec.

Crothersville—Crothersville Fair. Sept. 26-29. D. H. Waters, pres.; Wm. Goecker, treas.; F. B. Butler, sec.

Crown Point—Lake Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. A. Beattie, pres.; Fred Wheeler, sec.

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Decatur—Great Northern Ind. Fair. Aug. 29-31. J. N. Midinger, pres.; Jno. Brown, treas.; Geneva; C. D. Kunkle, sec.

East Enterprise—East Enterprise Fair. Sept. 5-8. Thos. Carver, pres.; E. L. Turner, sec.; R. S. Thompson, sec., Bear Branch.

Edinburg—Johnson Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. Elsa Breeding, pres.; I. O. Thompson, sec.

Elwood—Madison Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. N. J. Leasupre, pres.; F. B. DeHority, sec.

Evansville—Tri-State Fair. Sept. 11-18. E. F. VonBehren, pres.; Wm. L. Swormstedt, treas.; R. L. Akin, sec.

Fairmount—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 7-12. Foster Davis, pres.; J. Wilson, sec.

Fort Wayne—Fort Wayne Fair. Sept. 19-23. Jno. C. Peters, pres.; E. H. McDonald, treas.; Dr. Wm. F. Meyers, sec.

Frankfort—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. A. A. Laird, pres.; Chas. E. Petty, sec.

Franklin—Johnson Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 2. John Tilson, pres.; C. A. Overstreet, treas.; W. S. Young, sec.

Greensburg—Decatur Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Uriah Fraetz, pres.; O. E. Ainsworth, treas.; J. M. Caskey, sec.

Hagerstown—Wayne Co. Fair. July 25-28. L. M. Pierce, pres.; Jno. Zourman, treas.; Claude C. Pierce, sec.

Huntingburg—Dubois Co. Fair. Sept. 11-16. Charles Moenhanes, pres.; E. W. Pickhardt, sec.

Huntington—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-16. Robt. Elmater, pres.; Adam L. Beck, sec.

Indianapolis—Indiana State Fair. Sept. 11-15. Masou J. Niblack, pres.; Vincennes; J. W. LeGrange, treas.; Franklin; Charles Downing, sec., room 14, State House.

Kendallville—Eastern Indiana Fair. Sept. 25-29. U. O. Bronse, pres.; Jno. Mitchell, treas.; J. S. Conlogue, sec.

Kingsman—Fountain Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. O. H. Batehr, pres.; A. E. Lindley, sec.

Kokomo—Racing Assn. Fair. July 25-30. H. E. Leach, sec.

Lafayette—Tippecanoe Co. Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 1. Jas. M. Oason, pres.; Adam Wallace, treas.; Henry A. Miller, sec.

Lawrenceburg—Lawrenceburg Fair. Aug. 8-12. Geo. M. Roberts, pres.; H. L. Nowlin, sec.; T. B. Matthews, treas., Petersburg, Ky.

Lebanon—Boone Co. Stock Fair. Aug. 15-18. Lon Vantz, pres.; Isaac N. Oaster, treas.; Elley Hanzer, sec.

Liberty—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Walter Alberathy, pres.; S. M. Lafuze, treas.; Milton Maxwell, sec.

Legasport—Driving Club Fair. Aug. 1-4. J. M. Elliott, pres.; J. T. Tomlinson, sec.

Marion—Driving Assn. July 18-21. E. H. Johnson, pres.; L. F. Eese, sec.

Middletown—Henry, Madison and Dearborn Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Dr. C. B. Fendleton, pres.; T. E. Mowry, treas.; F. A. Wischart, sec.

Mount Vernon—Mount Vernon Fair. Aug. 14-19. J. M. Hazlett, sec.

Montpelier—Montpelier Fair. July 11-14. Levi Huffman, pres.; J. P. Horton, treas.; Charles L. Smith, sec.

Muncie—Delaware Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. C. H. Anthony, pres.; M. B. Claypool, sec.

New Albany—City Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. W. E. McCulloch, pres.; Louis H. Meyers, treas.; H. W. Fawcett, sec.

New Castle—Henry Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. F. P. Modlin, pres.; W. L. Bink, sec.

New Harmony—Posey Co. Fair. Aug. 11-25. Henry Bailey, pres.; Ezra Stephens, treas.; Geo. C. Taylor, sec.

Newtown—Fountain Co. Fair. Aug. 24-28. Horace Gray, pres.; Chas. C. Palla, sec.

North Manchester—North Manchester Fair. Oct. 3-7. Jno. Jaenbarger, pres.; Charles Wright, sec.

Oakland City—Oakland City Fair. Aug. 21-26. J. W. Cockrum, pres.; Geo. R. Burbank, treas.; J. M. Vanderer, sec.

Osgood—Ripley Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Wm. Rosegarn, pres.; Robt. Creigumie, sec.

Portland—Jay Co. Fair. Sept. 4-9. J. G. Crowell, pres.; Walter M. Hayes, treas.; Jas. F. Givens, sec.

Princeton—Gibson Co. Fair. Sept. 4-9. Wm. F. Parrett, pres.; Stewart Fisher, treas.; Jno. E. McGinnis, sec.

Rochester—Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. Arch Stinson, pres.; J. Dawson, treas.; Frank Dillon, sec.

Rockport—Rockport Fair. Aug. 22-26. T. C. Bays, pres.; Jas. A. Payne, sec.

Rushville—Rush Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. R. T. Homan, pres.; W. L. King, sec.

Salem—Big Salem Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. C. Snyder, sec.

Shelbyville—Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. S. P. Stroup, pres.; Walter Elliott, sec.

Terre Haute—Terre Haute Trotting Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Wm. P. Jiams, pres.; Frank McKee, treas.; Chas. B. Duffin, sec.

Valparaiso—Porter Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. P. W. Clifford, pres.; H. M. Evans, treas.; C. S. Pence, sec.

Vincennes—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 15-23. M. M. McDowell, pres.; Jas. M. House, sec.

Warren—Warren Tri-Co. Fair. Aug. 22-26. Dr. W. D. Bonfield, pres.; J. L. Friddy, treas.; L. W. Pulley, sec.

IOWA.

Allison—Butler Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. L. J. Rogers, sec.

Algona—Kossuth Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. H. Wadsworth, sec.

Alta—Bnena Vista Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. C. E. Cameron, sec.

Anamosa—Anamosa Fair. Aug. 14-18. H. E. Beam, pres.; C. L. Niles, treas.; A. C. Walters, sec.

Atlantic—Cass Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. F. C. Schahn, pres.; J. A. McWald, treas.; C. S. Brown, sec.

Audobon—Audobon Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. C. E. Breniman, sec.

Avoca—Pottawattomie Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Wm. Thies, sec.

Bedford—Taylor Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. C. Dowling, sec.

Bloomfield—Davis Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. O. W. Wisdom, pres.; E. K. Herr, treas.; J. C. Bronhard, sec.

Britt—Hancock Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Jake Rohrbach, sec.

Buffalo Centre—Dist. Fair. Sept. 12-14. O. W. Cadd, pres.; J. J. Guyer, treas.; Geo. B. Johnston, sec.

Burlington—Burlington Fair. Aug. 8-11. C. O. E. Fowler, sec.

Central City—Wapaisa Valley Fair. Sept. 12-15. E. E. Henderson, sec.

Charles City—Floyd Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. E. Waller, pres.; A. H. Brackett, treas.; C. M. Carr, sec.

Clarinda—Clarinda Fair. Sept. 4-7.

Clarion—Wright Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. S. L. Low, pres.; E. A. Alexander, treas.; O. F. Morton, sec.

Clinton—Clinton Dist. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. B. Aherns, sec., Lyons.

Columbus Junction—Columbus Junction Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. J. Stapp, sec.

Corning—Corning Agrl. Fair. Aug. 28-31. J. M. DeVore, sec.

Creston—Creston Agrl. Fair. Sept. 11-14. C. D. Davenport, sec.

Decorah—Winnebick Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. L. Coffeen, sec.

Des Moines—Iowa State Fair. Aug. 25-Sept. 1. W. W. Morrow, pres.; Alton, Ia.; G. D. Elyson, treas.; J. C. Simpson, sec.

DeWitt—Clinton Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. Armentrout, pres.; A. M. Pric, treas.; P. Butternuss, sec.

Donnellson—Lee Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. Haflner, pres.; Geo. Mattem, treas.; Ohria Haflner, sec.

Dubuque—Dubuque Tri-State Fair. Aug. 21-27. T. J. Mulgrew, pres.; W. B. Baumgardner, treas.; J. W. Patterson, sec.

Eldon—Big Four Dist. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Ed. J. Moore, sec.

Eldora—Hardin Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. R. B. Lynn, pres.; W. M. Murray, treas.; H. S. Martin, sec.

Elkader—Elkader Fair. Aug. 22-25. Joe Lamb, pres.; A. J. Carpenter, treas.; J. A. Kramer, sec.

Fairfax—Fairfax Valley Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. Heaton, sec.

Fairfield—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. P. Manstrey, pres.; H. V. Down, treas.; R. C. Sayers, sec.

Fonda—Big Four Dist. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Jas. Mercer, pres.; C. F. Linnan, treas.; B. M. Harrison, sec.

Forest City—Winnebago Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. J. A. Paters, sec.

Greenfield—Adair Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. E. M. Bonney, pres.; H. E. Smith, treas.; J. S. Caviness, sec.

Grinnell—Poweshiek Central Fair. Sept. 5-7. I. S. Bailey, sec.

Grundy Centre—Grundy Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. G. Ensminger, sec.

Guthrie Centre—Guthrie Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. J. G. Thomas, pres.; E. W. Rogers, treas.; A. H. Grissell, sec.

Hampton—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. W. Cummings, sec.

Harlan—Shelby Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. L. E. Pickard, sec.

Humboldt—Humboldt Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. John Cunningham, sec.

Independence—Buchanan Co. Fair. Sept. 11-13. Chas. L. Klag, sec.

Indianola—Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. O. Reynolds, pres.; Wm. Suxton, jr., treas.; Lee Talbott, sec.

Iowa City—Johnson Co. Fair. Sept. 23-25. Ed. Hummer, pres.; Ed. Switzer, treas.; J. H. Mahoney, sec.

LaPorte City—LaPorte City Dist. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jos. Husman, pres.; B. L. Maxwell, sec.

Lyons—Clinton Dist. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. L. Wilson, pres.; Almont; Fred Rixon, treas.; Clinton; J. B. Aherns, sec.

Malcom—Poweshiek Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. Geo. W. Boyce, pres.; W. J. Johnson, treas.; Jas. Nowak, sec.

Maivers—Bills Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. W. R. Johnson, pres.; O. A. Strahan, treas.; I. J. Swain, sec.

Mauchester—Delaware Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Ben Sheldon, pres.; Lefe Matthews, treas.; Jno. Featony, sec.

Maquoketa—Calhoun Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. T. Griffin, pres.; B. E. Sebes, treas.; C. G. Kasey, sec.

Marengo—Iowa Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. C. C. Clements, sec.

Marion—Inter-State Fair. Aug. 21-25. E. M. Parsons, sec.

Massena—Massena Fair. Sept

Clay Center—Clay Co. Fair. Sept. 15-18. D. H. Myers, pres.; E. E. Vincent, treas.; E. E. Hoopes, sec.

Eldorado—Butler Co. Fair. Oct. 2-7. E. B. Dillenback, sec.

Eureka—Eureka Fair. Aug. 15-18. J. W. Robbins, pres.; Wm. Johnston, treas.; C. H. Welser, sec.

Frederia—Frederia Fair. Aug. 22-25. T. J. Cooper, sec.

Great Bend—Barton Co. Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 2. Ira D. Brogner, pres.; Louis Zlatavm, treas.; W. P. Feder, sec.

Hawatha—Hawatha Fair. Sept. 5-8. Elliott Irwin, sec.

Hutchinson—Central Kansas Fair. Sept. 18-24. H. S. Thompson, pres.; A. W. Eagar, treas.; A. L. Spooner, sec.

Iola—Allan Co. Fair. Aug. 14-19. T. J. Anderson, pres.; Gas. N. H. Jones, treas.; J. T. Fredway, sec.

McPherson—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 11-16. G. L. Conn, sec.

Mankato—Jewell Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Joe. H. Wooden, pres.; LeRoy Hulce, treas.; Henry R. Honey, sec.

Marysville—Marshall Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. E. Powell, pres.; S. C. Schmidt, treas.; E. L. Miller, sec.

Newton—Harvey Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. D. W. Wilcox, pres.; C. F. Glasen, treas.; J. T. Artell, sec.

Norton—Norton Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. Mealon, pres.; Wm. F. Garrity, sec.

Oakholms—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. P. Ricndon, pres.; McLouth; W. F. Luch, treas.; Geo. A. Patterson, sec.

Ottawa—Ottawa Fair. Sept. 5-9. C. M. Pottes, sec.

Paola—Miami Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Bradburn, sec.

Riley—Riley Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Jno. W. Coxe, sec.

Salina—Central Kansas Fair. Sept. 18-22. H. E. Wallace, sec.

Seneca—Nemaha Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. V. B. Fisher, pres.; C. G. Scoville, treas.; W. H. Fitzwater, sec.

Sterling—Rice Co. Fair. Sept. 4-9.

St. John—Stafford Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. H. R. Ross, pres.; O. E. Shepherd, treas.; Geo. E. Moore, sec.

Smith Centre—Smith Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. F. H. Burrow, pres.; Hy Williams, treas.; S. C. Rice, sec.

Topeka—Kansas State Fair. Sept. 12-15.

Winfield—Cowley Co. Fair. Oct. 2-8. T. H. Harrod, pres.; Jas. Lorton, treas.; W. J. Wilson, sec.

KENTUCKY.

Barbourville—Knox Co. Fair. Jno. C. Matthews, pres.; F. R. Barner, treas.; W. W. Tinsley, sec.

Bardonia—Nelson Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Ben Johnston, pres.; E. C. Cherry, sec.

Broadhead—Rockcastle Co. Fair. Aug. 14-18. Granville Owens, sec.

Crab Orchard—Crab Orchard Fair. July 19-21. R. H. Broadnath, pres.

Danville—Great Danville Fair. Aug. 2-4. H. O. Bright, sec.

Elizabethtown—Hardin Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7.

Falmouth—Falmouth Fair. Sept. 27-30.

Fern Creek—Jefferson Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18.

Bryan Williams, pres.; E. F. D. No. 11. Baechel, Ky.; Dr. H. P. Stivers, sec.; R. F. D. No. 11, Baechel, Ky.

Florence—Northern Ky. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1.

Georgetown—Elk's Fair. July 24-29. E. H. Anderson, pres.; S. C. Bell, treas.; J. S. Pullman, sec.

Glasgow—Southern Ky. Fair. Sept. 6-9.

Guthrie—Guthrie Fair. Aug. 17-19.

Harrodsburg—Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. W. L. Allia, sec.

Henderson—Tri-Co. Fair and Races. Sept. 26-30. Jacob Zimbro, sec.

Lawrenceburg—Lawrenceburg Fair. Aug. 15-18. D. L. Moore, pres.; J. M. B. Birdwhistell, treas.; Geo. C. Huffman, sec.

Lexington—Kentucky State Fair. Sept. 18-23.

Lexington—Colored A. and M. Fair. Sept. 12-18. J. Andrew Scott, pres.; A. L. Harden, sec.

London—Laurel Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. J. T. Williams, pres.; E. A. Chilton, sec.

Madisonville—Hopkins Co. Fair. Aug. 1-5.

Nicholasville—K. of P. Fair. Aug. 29-31. David Bell, pres.; W. R. Smith, treas.; E. H. Webb, sec.

Owensboro—Owensboro and Daviess Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14.

Shelbysville—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 22-25.

Shepardsville—Ballit Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. S. Shepard, pres.; R. F. Hayes, treas.; O. W. Pearl, sec.

Springfield—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 23-26.

Uniontown—Union Co. Fair. Aug. 8-12. Sam P. Sturgis, pres.; Dekoven, Ky.; W. O. Bland, sec.

Vanceburg—Lewis Co. Fair. Aug. 16-19. T. M. Bowman, pres.; O. P. Pollitt, sec.

LOUISIANA.

Alden Bridge—Boeazie Parish Fair. Oct. 27-28.

Arcadia—Evangeline Fair. Oct. 10-13.

Calhoun—North Louisiana Fair. Sept. 13-15.

Clinton—East Feliciana Fair. Oct. 19-21. L. D. Wall, pres.

Farmerville—Union Parish Fair. Sept. 19-21.

Homer—Claiborne Parish Fair. Oct. 19-21.

Ida—Caddo Parish Fair. Oct. 31-Nov. 2.

Minden—Webster Parish Fair. Oct. 23-25.

Monroe—Ouachita Parish Fair. Nov. 7-10.

Boston—Lincoln Parish Fair. Oct. 2-7.

Winnfield—Winn Parish Fair. Sept. 26-28.

MAINE.

Acton—Shapleigh and Acton Fair. Dates not set. Z. G. Horn, pres.; Horn's Mills, N. H.; Elizaeh Bray, treas.; Ross Corner; Fred K. Bodwell, sec.

Amherst—Northern Hancock Fair. Dates not set. A. N. Jewett, sec.

Andover—Northern Oxford Fair. Dates not set. Jno. F. Talbot, sec.

Bangor—Eastern Maine Fair. Aug. 10-22. E. L. Sterna, sec.

Belfast—Waldo Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. H. B. Ellis, sec.

Bethel—Kennebec Park Fair. Dates not set. L. A. Hall, sec.

Bingham—Bingham Fair. Dates not set. B. L. Bader, sec.

Bushell—Hancock Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. C. E. Snowman, sec.

Bridgton—Bridgton Farmers' Club Fair. Sept. 12-14. W. R. Crosby, sec.

Bristol Mills—Bristol Fair. Dates not set. Geo. A. Huston, sec., Damariscotta.

Camden—Camden Fair. Aug. 22-24. R. L. Bean, sec.

Canton—Androscoggin Valley Fair. Sept. 26-28. O. M. Richardson, sec.

Cherryfield Park—West Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. J. E. White, pres.; Columbia; W. H. Allen, treas.; E. F. Allen, sec., Columbia Falls.

Cornish—Oaspee Valley Fair. Dates not set. J. C. Ayer, sec.

Damariscotta—Lincoln Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. B. A. Woodbridge, sec., North Newcastle.

East Eddington—East Eddington Farmers' Club Fair. Dates not set. E. B. Comins, sec., East Holden, R. F. D. 1.

East Pittston—Pittston Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. A. E. Marson, sec.

East Sebago—Lake View Park Fair. Dates not set. L. Brackett, sec.

Eden—Eden Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. Ephraim Alley, sec.

Ellsworth—Hancock Co. Fair. Dates not set. H. F. Whitcomb, sec.

Exeter—West Penobscot Fair. Sept. 26-28. E. E. Colbath, sec.

Farmington—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. B. S. Sampson, sec.

Foxcraft—Piscataquis Fair. Dates not set. W. E. Parsons, pres.; C. C. Dunham, treas.; F. W. Leland, sec., East Sangerville.

Freeport—Freeport Poultry Ann. Dec. 27-29. Geo. F. Coffin, sec.

Fryeburg—West Oxford Fair. Dates not set. B. Walker McKean, sec.

Gorham—Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. Jos. L. Robinson, pres.; So. Windham; F. D. Seaman, treas.; C. H. Leighton, sec., Cumberland Hills.

Hartland—East Somerset Fair. Oct. 5-7. E. A. Webber, sec.

Lee—Lee Union Fair. Dates not set. Geo. B. Lowell, sec.

Lewiston—Maine State Fair. Sept. 12-15. B. J. Libby, pres.; N. J. Eveleth, treas.; J. L. Lowell, sec., Auburn.

Livermore Falls—Androscoggin Co. Fair. Aug. 29-31. J. W. Maxwell, sec., Sabattus.

Madawaska—Madawaska Fair. Oct. 21. Bemal A. Daigle, sec., St. David.

Madison—Somerset Co. Fair. Dates not set. J. F. Withee, sec.

Monroe—Waldo and Penobscot Fair. Sept. 12-14. C. M. Moore, sec., Winterport.

North Berwick—North Berwick Fair. Dates not set. Chas. M. Boyle, sec.

Orrington—Orrington Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. N. A. Nickerson, sec.

Pembroke—Washington Co. Fair. Dates not set. S. A. Wilder, sec., W. Pembroke.

Phillips—North Franklin Fair. Dates not set. M. Sewall Kelley, sec.

Presque Isle—North Aronscook Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. T. McGinghlin, sec.

Princeton—North Washington Fair. Dates not set. Albert L. Jones, sec.

Readfield—Kennebec Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Jno. H. Swift, pres.; Oakland; C. H. Stevens, treas.; L. O. Tebbetts, sec.

Richmond—Richmond Farmers' Club Fair. Dates not set. Dan Brown, sec. Gardiner, R. 13.

Sherman Mills—Southern Aronscook Fair. Dates not set. Isaac Cushman, sec.

South Harrison—Northern Cumberland Fair. Dates not set. R. W. Fogg, sec., Harrison.

South Paris—Oxford Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. W. O. Frothingham, sec.

South Windsoe—South Kennebec Fair. Sept. 5-7. Arthur N. Douglas, sec. Gardiner, R. F. D. 9.

Topsham—Sagadahoc Co. Fair. Oct. 10-12. G. E. Tedford, sec.

Union—North Knox Fair. Sept. 26-28. E. E. Thurston, pres.; H. L. Grinnell, treas.; Geo. C. Hawes, sec.

Unity—Unity Park Fair. Oct. 4. E. P. Reynolds, sec.

Upper Gloucester—New Gloucester and Danville Fair. Sept. 26-28. O. H. Campbell, pres.; Sabbathday Lake; Geo. W. Haskell, treas.; J. P. Witham, sec., New Gloucester, R. F. D. No. 1.

Waterville—Central Maine Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. E. Smith, sec., Winslow.

West Cumberland—Cumberland Farmers' Club Fair. Sept. 26-27. A. M. Crocker, sec., Cumberland Center.

MICHIGAN.

Adrian—Lenawee Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. H. Fairbanks, sec.

Allagan—Allagan Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. H. Foster, pres.; Roy Wilcox, treas.; W. H. Warner, sec.

Bad Axe—Huron Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. M. D. Dobb, pres.; Chas. E. Thompson, treas.; Finley D. McGregor, sec.

Capac—Capac Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Geo. Chapman, pres.; H. B. Hitchings, treas.; Alvin Balden, sec.

Croswell—Croswell Fair. Sept. 27-29. A. A. Sutherland, pres.; J. B. Nufferman, treas.; A. R. Martin, sec.

Detroit—Michigan State Fair. Sept. 11-16. Eugene Field, pres.; Bay City; C. W. Young, treas.; Paw Paw; I. H. Butterfield, sec.

East Jordan—Chaleroix Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29. Jacob Groff, pres.; Chas. Hipp, treas.; Roy Sherman, sec.

Ionia—Ionia Dist. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. L. Keiser, pres.; E. A. Murphy, treas.; W. Walter Smith, sec.

Ironwood—Geogable Co. Fair. Dates not set. C. E. Honk, sec.

Lake Odessa—Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29.

Marquette—Marquette Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. E. Palmer, pres.; M. E. Andie, sec. & treas.

Marshall—Calhoun Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. H. Gardline, pres.; T. J. Shipp, treas.; W. H. Arthur, sec.

Midland—Midland Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. H. L. Fairchild, sec.

Pontiac—Eastern Mich. Fair. Sept. 4-9. Ephraim Howland, pres.; A. F. Newberry, treas.; F. B. Giddings, sec.

Reed City—Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. A. C. Goehrend, pres.; L. K. Parkhurst, treas.; T. E. Welsh, sec.

Sebewaing—Sebewaing Fair. Sept. 26-29. C. F. Bach, pres.; J. W. Liken, treas.; L. W. Voepel, sec.

MINNESOTA.

Albert Lea—Freeborn Co. Fair. Sept. 18-20. D. K. Stacy, pres.; C. H. Freeman, treas.; Robt. J. Tweedy, sec.

Austin—Mower Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. J. J. Furlong, pres.; Geo. Robertson, treas.; J. E. Davidson, sec.

Canby—Yellow Med. Co. Fair. Sept. 13-15. John Rowe, pres.; S. J. Forbes, treas.; F. E. Millard, sec.

Bird Island—Benville Co. Fair. Sept. 13-15. A. J. Richardson, pres.; J. B. Keltgen, treas.; Joe Haggatt, sec.

Blue Earth—Fairbault Co. Fair. Sept. 14-16. Frank Sellen, pres.; J. M. Malmn, treas.; Frank E. Etlickson, sec.

Howard—Lake Wright Co. Fair. Sept. 18-15. W. M. Curtis, pres.; G. G. Luhman, treas.; L. W. Terry, sec.

Jackson—Jackson Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. B. Paddock, pres.; H. G. Anderson, treas.; W. H. Miller, sec.

Kasson—Dodge Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. M. G. Smith, pres.; Abner A. Johnson, treas.; Aug. E. Anderson, sec.

Mason—Le Sueur Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. Jas. A. Little, sec.

Marshall—Lyon Co. Fair. Oct. 4-6.

Mora—Kanabec Co. Fair. Sept. 11-13. C. C. Rogers, pres.; Geo. H. Newbert, treas.; Willis Fairbanks, sec.

Morris—Stevens Co. Fair. Dates not set. T. H. McGuire, pres.; Samuel Larson, treas.; D. T. Wheaton, sec.

Preston—Fillmore Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Frank J. Bach, sec.

Red Falls—Redwood Co. Fair. Sept. 27-30.

St. Paul—Minn. State Fair. Sept. 4-9.

St. Peter—Nicollet Co. Agrl. Fair. Sept. 14-16. C. W. Carpenter, pres.; H. J. Esaler, treas.; E. E. Miller, sec.

Winona—Winona Fair. Sept. 18-15.

MISSISSIPPI.

McComb City—McComb City Fair. Oct. 17-21. W. T. Denman, pres.; T. W. James, treas.; D. O. Lenair, sec.

MISSOURI.

Albany—Gentry Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. - S. W. Clark, sec.

Belton—Belton Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. A. Hill, sec.

Bowling Green—Pike Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Jas. B. McPhee, pres.; Ed. Briggs, treas.; E. M. Strother, sec.

Brookfield—Brookfield Fair. Aug. 15-19. Gus Cannon, sec.

Buaceton—Bunston Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. P. E. Williams, pres.; Ben Hamed, treas.; W. B. Kerns, sec.

California—Montana Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. B. Hardy, sec.

Cape Girardeau—Cape Girardeau Co. Fair. Oct. 10-14. D. A. Glenn, pres.; M. A. Astolm, treas.; E. H. Engleman, sec.

Hingham—Hingham Fair. Sept. 26-27. Wm. H. J. Field, sec.

Holyoke—Puniryemen's Fair. Nov. 22-25.

Lowell—Middlesex North Fair. Sept. 16-17. F. H. Appleton, sec.

Marshfield—Marshfield Fair. Aug. 28-30. Col. H. A. Oakman, pres.; North Marshfield; M. Herman Kent, treas.; Israel Hatch, sec., North Marshfield.

Marshfield—Highland Fair. Sept. 6-7. J. Bryon, sec.

Nantucket—Nantucket Fair. Aug. 23-24. J. F. Murphy, sec.

North Adams—Hoosac Valley Fair. Sept. 22-23. Jos. P. Reed, sec.

Northampton—Hampshire, Franklin and Hampshire Fair. Oct. 4-6. C. A. Montgomery, sec.

Oxford—Oxford Fair. Sept. 7-8. J. E. Darling, sec.

Palmer—Eastern Hampden Fair. Oct. 5-7. L. E. Chandler, sec.

Peabody—Essex Fair. Sept. 19-21. M. J. Danforth, sec.

South Weymouth—Weymouth Fair. Sept. 1-4. T. L. Tirrell, sec.

Spencer—Spencer Fair. Sept. 21-22. H. H. Capen, sec.

Sturbridge—Worcester South Fair. Sept. 14-15. C. V. Corey, sec.

Taunton—Bristol Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Jas. P. Dunn, sec.

Uxbridge—Blackstone Valley Fair. Sept. 22-23. Dr. M. R. Sharpe, sec.

West Tisbury—Martha Vineyard Fair. Sept. 19-20. F. A. Look, sec.

Worcester—New England Fair. Sept. 4-6. B. W. Futter, pres.; L. F. Herrick, treas.; M. M. Ritch, sec.

Carthage—Kneil Fair. Sept. 5-8. Miss Emma Kneil, sec.

Caruthersville—Pemiscott Co. Fair. Oct. 24-28. Creve Coeur Lake—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 7-10. Geo. B. Bowles, sec.

Chillicothe—Northern Missouri Fair. Sept. 12-15. S. D. Roher, sec.

Columbia—Boone Co. Fair. July 23-28. B. E. Hatton, sec.

Cuba—Crawford Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. D. C. Garver, pres.; Newton Jones, treas.; John Harris, sec.

Dexter—Stoddard Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30.

Edina—Knox Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. P. E. Gibbons, sec.

Harris—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. O. Johnson, sec.

Harrisonville—Cass Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. H. V. Horst, pres.; J. B. Vanderveuter, treas.; Duncan Russell, sec.

Herman—Gascade Co. Fair. Sept. 1-2. Aug. Begman, sec.

Hermitage—Hickory Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. M. Bentley, pres.; W. H. Morton, treas.; E. D. Blair, sec.

Higginsville—Lafayette Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. L. L. Lake, pres.; A. E. Asbury, jr., treas.; C. A. Keith, sec.

Holden—Johnson Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Wm. Steele, pres.; C. E. Starkey, treas.; E. K. Steele, sec.

Jacksonville—Randolph Co. Fair. Sept. 12-13. C. M. King, sec.

Joplin—Agrl. Fair. July 4-8. E. M. Robison, sec.

Kahuka—Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. E. Stewart, sec.

Keenett—Dunklin Co. Fair. Oct. 18-21.

LaPlata—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8-12. H. L. Libby, sec.

Lees Summit—Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. E. Lampkin, sec.

Memphis—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. O. Kinney, sec.

Milan—Merchants' Fair. Dates not set. C. A. Schoene, pres.; J. H. B. Smith, treas.; R. B. Ash, sec.

Nevada—Park Driving Club. June 27-30. S. A. Wright, pres.; H. M. Duck, treas.; W. E. Clark, sec.

Oran—Scott Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. B. Stubbfield, pres.; Elwood Allen, sec.; F. F. Marshall, treas.

Palmyra—Marion Co. Fair. Sept. 13-16. C. B. Thompson, sec.

Paris—Monroe Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. M. Alexandria, pres.; J. R. Phillip, sec.

Platte City—Platte Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Will Forman, sec.

Rich Hill—Rich Hill Fair. July 11-14. Jno. Klump, pres.; Henry Christman, treas.; W. F. Tygard, sec.

Rockport—Rockport Fair. Sept. 10-15. J. W. Young, sec.

Sedalia—Missouri State Fair. Aug. 21-26. J. A. Putts, pres.; J. E. Bippy, sec.

Shelbina—Shelbina Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. W. Worlan, pres.; N. H. Parsons, sec.

Springfield—Springfield Dist. Fair. Sept. 11-16. Ivan Ltnk, pres.; Herman J. Meyer, treas.; W. T. Bigbee, sec.

Trenton—Grundy Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. E. M. Harber, pres.; H. C. Campbell, treas.; W. E. Ward, sec.

Warrensburg—Warrensburg Fair. Aug. 23-Sept. 1. J. So. Shralihill, pres.; Frank Mayes, treas.; S. Sanders, sec.

Washington—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 7-9. Joa. F. Kahmana, sec.

MONTANA.

Boseman—Inter-State Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. F. L. Heupee, pres.; H. L. Casey, treas.; J. M. Smith, sec.

NEBRASKA.

Albion—Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Neal, pres.; Jos. Greene, treas.; H. I. Brooks, sec.

Auburn—Nemaha Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. E. Long, pres.; W. H. Bamsfield, treas.; C. C. Snow, sec.

Aurora—Hamilton Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. A. Isaman, pres.; T. E. Williams, treas.; Dan L. Machamer, sec.

Battle Creek—Race Meeting. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. George W. Loney, pres.; Thos. M. Morris, sec.

Broken Bow—Custer Co. Fair. Dates not set. E. R. Purcell, sec.

Crelighton—Knox Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. W. C. Caley, pres.; T. J. Buckmaster, sec.

Lincoln—Nebraska State Fair. Sept. 1-8. W. R. Mellor, pres.; Long City, Neb.; Ed. McIntyre, treas.; Seward, Neb.; Robt. W. Farnas, sec., Brownville, Neb.

Hubbell—Driving Park Assn. Sept. 19-22.

Nelson—Nookolls Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29.

Stanton—Stanton Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. Spence, pres.; Jno. Schindler, treas.; W. H. Hyland, sec.

Seward—Seward Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Jno. Zimmerman, pres.; H. D. Landis, sec.; M. A. Craft, treas.

York—York Co. Fair. Aug. 5-8. M. B. Atkins, pres.; C. N. Beaver, treas.; T. E. Bennett, sec.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Claremont—Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. Jno. M. Howe, pres.; Edw. J. Bossart, treas.; Jno. D. Ayer, sec.

Concord—State Fair. Sept. 12-15.

Nashua—Nashua Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. J. Doyle, pres.; M. O. Mullen, sec.; J. Tollis, treas.

Rochester—Rochester Fair. Sept. 28-29. Geo. E. Wallace, pres.; Chas. M. Bailey, sec. and treas.; W. G. Bradley, gen. mgr.

NEW JERSEY.

Trenton—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-29. M. E. Margueron, sec.

Mt. Holly—Great Mt. Holly Fair. Oct. 8-6.

NEW MEXICO.

Albuquerque—Albuquerque Racing Fair. May 28-31. C. E. Newcomer, pres.; P. F. McCanna, sec.

Albuquerque—New Mexico Territorial Fair. Sept. 18-23. W. H. Greer, pres.; J. E. Harnden, treas.; D. E. B. Sellers, sec.

Roswell—Roswell Fair. Dates not set. Lucius Mills, sec.

NEW YORK.

Albion—Orleans Co. Fair. Sept. 15-17. L. H. Beach, sec.

Atton—Atton Driving Fair. Sept. 26-29. Fred. Church, pres.; F. S. Krum, treas.; L. W. Seely, sec.

Altamont—Albany Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Bobt. Gornval Buttons, St. Louis Button Co.

J. McCauley, pres., Albany; Edw. G. Cran- nell, treas.; E. I. Weaver, sec.; Angelica. Allegany-Allegany Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. E. S. Bartlett, Belfast; Henry C. Morgan, treas.; Geo. H. Swift, sec., Cuba. Ballston, Spa-Saratoga Co. Fair. Aug. 29- Sept. 1. Eugene Wiswall, pres.; W. L. Cavert, treas.; N. V. Witbeck, sec. Batavia-Genesee Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. Lons, pres.; H. H. Bostwick, treas.; Al- bert E. Brown, sec. Bath-Stenben Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. J. McCarrick, pres., Cato; James Faucett, Jr., treas.; Chas. A. Shultz, sec. Binghamton-Binghamton Fair. Sept. 26-29. G. T. Rogers, pres.; Henry S. Martin, sec.; J. P. E. Clark, mgr. Boonville-Boonville Fair. Sept. 5-8. Henry Mc- Clasky, pres.; E. B. Palmer, treas.; H. J. Vollmar, sec. Brockport-Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 27-30. Chas. J. White, pres.; Warren B. Conklin, treas.; Geo. B. Harmon, sec. Brookfield-Brookfield-Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. H. L. Spooner, pres.; E. G. Stillman, treas.; N. A. Crumb, sec. Cairo-Greene Co. Fair. Sept. 22-24. Francis G. Walters, pres.; Harvey S. Olmstead, treas.; Frank D. Cole, sec. Cambridge-Cambridge Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jerome B. Rice, pres.; Henry A. Qua, treas.; E. B. Norton, sec. Canadigua-Ontario Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Jno. M. Ladd, pres., Victor; Jas. S. Hickox, treas.; Milton A. Smith, sec., Victor. Canton-St. Lawrence Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Albert T. Martyn, pres.; J. Fred Hammond, treas.; Jas. E. Johnson, sec. Cape Vincent-Cape Vincent Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. T. Steel, pres.; F. S. Judd, treas.; Frank Denzengremel, sec. Carmel-Putnam Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. Weeks, pres.; C. O. Townsend, treas.; J. N. Walker, sec. Chatham-Columbia Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. McClellan, pres.; W. R. Starke, treas.; W. A. Dardess, sec. Cobleskill-Cobleskill Agrl. Fair. Sept. 25-28. D. C. Dow, pres.; Leland Hodge, treas.; S. H. VanNoss, sec. Cooperstown-Otsego Co. Fair. Sept. 25-27. C. M. Allison, pres.; L. E. Walrath, treas.; Eugene D. Stocker, sec. Cortland-Cortland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. W. J. Greenman, sec. Cuba-Cuba Fair. Sept. 18-19. E. G. Wasson, pres.; H. C. Morgan, treas.; Geo. H. Swift, sec. Delhi-Delaware Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. J. Nicoll, pres.; J. E. W. Thompson, treas.; F. W. Youmans, sec. Deposit-Deposit Fair. Aug. 22-25. C. P. Knapp, pres.; O. E. Martin, treas.; Delos Ax- tell, sec. Downsville-Downsville Fair. Aug. 22-25. M. Meinhold, sec. Dryden-Dryden Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. Cole, pres.; D. T. Wheeler, treas.; J. B. Wilson, sec. Dundee-Dundee Fair. Oct. 2-5. S. E. Har- pending, pres.; Chas. J. Watson, treas.; How- ard L. Woodruff, sec. Ellenville-Ulster Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. B. T. Cookingham, pres.; W. Kelly Shook, treas.; W. E. Doyle, sec. Elmira-Chemung Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Frank J. Canada, pres.; E. J. Young, treas.; Geo. McCann, sec. Funds-Montgomery Co. Fair. Aug. 28-31. Wm. B. Charles, pres.; Edw. L. Edwards, treas.; J. B. Martin, sec. Ft. Edward-Washington Co. Fair. Aug. 29- Sept. 1. A. DeForest, pres.; Geo. W. L. Smith, treas.; Smith's Basin; Rodney Van Warner, sec. Franklinton-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. W. N. Sill, sec. Fredonia-Chautauque Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. H. M. Clarke, sec. Fulton-Owego Co. Fair. J. W. Bigley, pres.; Edw. Quirk, treas.; H. L. Platt, sec. Gouverneur-Gouverneur Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. S. F. Hartley, pres.; F. T. Whitney, treas.; Edw. W. Duffie, sec. Greene-Riverside Fair. Sept. 12-15. L. E. St. John, pres.; E. S. Walker, treas.; C. Winston, sec. Hamburg-Erie Co. Fair. Sept. 18-19. Jno. A. Kloepper, pres.; W. H. Abbott, treas.; J. C. Newton, sec. Haverstraw-Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. T. F. Springsteen, pres.; Tallmans; D. T. In- gla, treas.; Elbert Talman, sec. Spring Valley. Hemlock-Hemlock Union Fair. Sept. 4-6. E. H. Westhook, pres.; W. B. Thurston, treas.; F. A. Thurston, sec. Heckman-Heckman Co. Fair. Aug. 28-31. H. Edick, Jr., pres.; B. Manion, treas.; I. F. Baskoch, sec. Hornellville-Hornellville Fair. Aug. 26- Sept. 1. L. D. Whiting, pres.; Charles Adair, treas.; Clyde E. Shultz, sec. Hudson-Columbia Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Jac- ob P. Meade, pres.; Fred S. Hallenbeck, treas.; Noah H. Browning, sec. Ithaca-Tomkins Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Fred E. Bates, pres.; W. B. Georgia, treas.; A. G. Geming, sec. Jobstown-Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. L. Getman, pres.; Gloversville; C. P. Willard, treas.; Elmer J. Dorn, sec. Little Valley-Chattaraugus Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. C. R. Roades, pres.; E. L. Campbell, treas.; J. H. Wilson, sec. Lockport-Niagara Co. Fair. Sept. 7-10. R. N. Roberts, sec. Lowville-Lewis Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. John L. Smith, pres., Constableville; Ira Sharp, treas.; W. S. Windecker, sec. Lyons-Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. Wm. T. Jordon, pres., Lock Berlin; Charles Smart, treas.; E. D. Kilpapel, sec. Malone-Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Edw. W. Lawrence, pres.; Thomas Adams, treas.; Walter J. Mallon, sec. Margaretville-Cattkill Mountain Fair. Aug. 22-25. H. M. Coulter, pres.; Wm. Mungie, treas.; Thos. Winter, sec. Middletown-Orange Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Aug. Denniston, pres., Washingtonville; Henry M. Howell, treas.; David A. Morrison, sec., Newburgh. Minerva-Nassau Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. Geo. W. Smith, pres., Hempstead; Thos. G. Bacon, treas., Oyster Bay; Lott Van de Walter, Jr., sec., Hempstead. Monticello-Sullivan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25.

Juo. L. Pelton, pres.; Fred M. Crain, treas.; Leon P. Stratton, sec. Moravia-Cayuga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Geo. W. Fitta, pres., Dresserville; Henry A. Wheat, treas.; Willis Kilborne, sec. Morris-Morris Fair. Oct. 3-5. T. O. Dureo, pres., New Lisbon; J. W. Shaw, Jr., treas.; D. C. Wintou, sec. Naples-Naples Union Fair. Sept. 19-22. F. P. Hyington, pres.; D. J. Doughty, treas.; C. L. Lewis, sec. Nassau-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 4-7. W. D. Barnes, pres., Brainard; C. E. Husted, treas.; Delmar Lynd, sec., East Shodack. Newark-Newark Fair. Sept. 21-23. J. Dulpha Reeves, pres.; P. E. Sleight, treas.; W. H. Hyde, sec. Newark Valley-Northern Tioga Fair. Aug. 29- 31. Chas. H. Barnes, pres.; E. F. Beidon, treas.; G. E. Purdie, sec. New City-Rockland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Chas. M. Stafford, pres., Spring Valley; Jno. C. Schmersahl, treas.; A. A. Vanderblit, sec. Norwich-Chenango Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. H. White, pres.; Chas. H. Hale, treas.; L. D. Smith, sec. Ogdensburg-Oswegatchie Fair. Dates not set. Wm. H. Daniels, pres.; Wm. M. Stephens, treas.; C. B. Herriman, sec. Oneida-Oneida Fair. Sept. 20-23. A. L. Nix- dirf, pres.; G. L. Schulte, treas.; C. C. Tuwer, sec. Oneonta-Oneonta Union Fair. Sept. 18-21. Walter L. Brown, pres.; Henry M. Bard, treas.; S. L. Huntington, sec. Orangeburg-Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. Spruigsteen, pres., Talman; D. T. Ingalls, treas., Spring Valley; Elbert Talman, sec., Spring Valley. Owego-Tioga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Lewis S. Leonard, pres.; A. W. Parmelee, treas.; L. W. Kingman, sec. Palmyra-Palmyra Union Fair. Sept. 28-30. Chas. D. Johnson, pres.; H. G. Chapman, treas.; E. S. Averill, sec. Perry-Silver Lake Fair. Sept. 26-28. S. W. Hart, sec. Penn Yan-Yates Co. Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. J. Huson, pres.; Geo. H. Bremer, treas.; Jno. E. Watkins, sec. Phoenix-Onondago Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Brien, pres.; N. A. Hughes, treas.; C. K. Williams, sec. Plattsburgh-Clinton Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. H. A. Wood, pres.; W. L. Pattison, treas.; W. T. Burleigh, sec. Port Richmond-Richmond Co. Fair. Dates not set. Edw. F. Doyle, sec. Potsdam-Backett Valley & St. Regis Valley Fair. Sept. 6-9. A. D. Heath, pres.; Geo. W. Fuller, sec.; R. H. Bryna, sec. Poughkeepsie-Dutchess Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. M. Booth, sec. Prattburg-Prattburg Union Fair. Sept. 12- 15. Henry G. Skinner, pres.; Wm. B. Pratt, treas.; Leverne Thomas, sec. Reed Corners-Gorham Fair. Dates not set. G. W. Ellwell, pres.; G. W. Powell, treas.; T. Benton Pierce, sec. Richfield Springs-Richfield Springs Fair. Sept. 11-13. M. O. Towne, pres.; O. A. Chamber- lain, sec.; Jno. Gyer, treas. Riverhead-Suffolk Agrl. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Edw. Thompson, pres., Northport; Harry How- ell, treas.; Harry Lee, sec. Rome-Oneida Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Henry Bar- nard, Jr., pres.; L. Mittenmaier, Jr., treas.; J. B. Cushman, sec. Sandy Creek-Sandy Creek Fair. Aug. 22-25. Ward W. Stevens, pres.; G. T. Smith, treas.; H. Louis Wallace, sec. Sandy Hill-Fair. Aug. 8-11. Scheuevus Valley-Fair. Aug. 16-18. H. Ber- nard, pres.; E. J. Goddard, treas.; W. A. Pier, sec. Schoharie-Schoharie Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Geo. A. Vroman, pres., Middleburg; Arthur Sholtes, treas.; Clyde H. Propper, sec. Syracuse-New York State Fair. Sept. 11-16. M. Linn Bruce, New York City; C. A. Wiet- ling, vice-pres., Cobleskill. Troupsburg-Southern Steuben Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. Simpson, pres.; H. L. Peirce, treas.; E. H. Austin, sec. Trumansburg-Union Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. William T. Biggs, pres.; Horace A. Mosher, treas.; Guy O. Hinman, sec. Vernon-Vernon Fair. Sept. 26-28. F. A. Cody, pres.; D. W. Hart, treas.; O. G. Simmonds, sec. Walton-Delaware Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. F. Reynolds, pres.; W. A. Shepherd, treas.; F. S. McNee, sec. Warsaw-Wyoming Co. Fair. Sept. 21-22. W. H. Hooper, sec.; Irving G. Botsford, treas.; Wm. E. Webster, sec. Warrenburg-Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Henry Griffing, pres.; Louis E. Reoux, treas.; Fred J. Hayes, sec. Waterloo-Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. W. Hagg, pres.; H. B. Becker, treas.; Edward Nugent, sec. Watertown-Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. K. Cole, pres., Evans' Mills; E. C. Maxson, treas., Adams Center; W. B. Skeels, sec. Watkins-Schuyler Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. Frank Waugh, pres.; W. S. Waugh, treas.; Arthur N. Goltry, sec. Wellsville-Wellsville Fair. Aug. 22-25. Oak Duke, pres.; Jno. B. Jones, treas.; F. D. Rice, sec. Westport-Essex Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jas M. Graeff, pres.; C. E. Stevens, sec.; A. J. Daniels, treas. West Sand Lake-Rensselaer Co. Fair. Aug. 23-26. Henry J. Best, pres.; Fayette Thomas, treas.; Oscar J. Lewis, sec., Castleton. Whitney's Point-Broome Co. Fair. Aug. 29- Sept. 1. Robt. E. Parsons, Binghamton; F. H. Landers, treas.; Fred E. Allen, sec. White Plains-Westchester Co. Fair. Sept. 25- 30. Moses .. Gaylor, pres.; Jos. B. Lee, treas.; Edw. B. Long, sec. NORTH CAROLINA. Burlington-Alamance Fair. Oct. 26-28. J. A. Long, pres., Graham; R. A. Freeman, treas.; J. A. Turrentine, sec. Charlotte-Mecklinburg Fair. Oct. 24-27. E. J. Bressard, pres.; W. Chambers, treas.; W. S. Orr, sec. Fayetteville-Fayetteville Fair. Dates not set. G. W. Lawrence, pres., Weldon; G. E. Ranson, sec. Greensboro-Central Carolina Fair. Oct. 10-13. Dr. J. T. J. Battle, pres.; Nell Ellington, treas.; Jao. W. Cook, sec.

Raleigh-North Carolina State Fair. Oct. 16-21. Ahley Horne, pres., Clayton; C. B. Deason, treas.; J. E. Pogue, sec. Winston-Salem-Forsyth Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. G. A. Hanser, pres.; G. E. Webb, sec. NORTH DAKOTA. Crystal-Tri-County Fair. July 3-5. W. J. Greenwood, pres.; Jno. F. Appleton, treas.; Fred W. Staford, sec. Grand Forks-N. D. State Fair. Dates not set. D. V. Moore, sec. OHIO. Akron-Summitt Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. Jno. F. Moore, pres., Copley, R. F. D. No. 89; G. W. Brewster, treas.; O. J. Swinehart, sec. Athens-Athens Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. A. Murphy, pres.; E. R. Walker, treas.; H. H. Hanning, sec. Attica-Attica Union Fair. Sept. 26-29. H. M. Kaufman, pres.; J. Nelson Starr, treas.; Dr. D. V. Hoke, sec. Bentam-Clermont Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Bellefontaine-Logan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. A. Horner, pres.; Jno. F. Alken, sec. Berea-West Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. O. R. Stone, sec. Blanchester-Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. J. R. Ross, pres.; E. Goodwin, treas.; Minet Swan, sec. Boston-Clermont Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. M. Boudesh, pres., Newtonville; J. O. Rapp, treas.; John Rowan, sec., 2118 Monroe ave., Norwood. Bowling Green-Bowling Green Fair. July 4-7. R. S. Sweet, sec. Bucyrus-Crawford Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. Bucyrus-Crawford Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. J. W. Stuckman, pres.; W. A. Blicka, treas.; D. W. Hurr, sec. Burton-Geauga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. S. Ford, sec. Cadis-Harrison Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. E. R. Kirby, sec. Causal Dover-Tuscarawas Co. Fair. Oct. 17-20. Carrollton-Carroll Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. M. O. Cooper, pres., Magnolia; T. J. Saltzman, treas.; C. A. Tupe, sec. Canfield-Mahoning Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. B. L. Manchester, Salem. Celina-Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. C. F. Kruger, pres.; W. H. Romer, treas., St. Henry; Fred Helby, Ft. Recovery. Chagrin Falls-Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Chardonville-Muskingum Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. E. Browning, pres.; A. F. Vest, treas.; R. Y. White, sec. Chillicothe-Scioto Valley Fair. Aug. 23-26. F. M. DeWeese, pres.; F. Earl DeWeese, sec. Cincinnati-Hamilton Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. D. L. Sampson, sec. Clarksville-Clinton and Warren Co. Fair. Aug. 8-10. Warren A. Brady, pres.; F. L. Miller, treas.; Mrs. V. A. Gorham, sec. Columbus-Ohio State Fair. Sept. 4-8. W. W. Miller, sec. Coshocton-Coshocton Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. W. Simms, pres.; W. B. Miller, treas.; Robt. Boyd, sec. Croton-Hartford Central Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. E. Hatfield, pres., Centerburg; C. L. Mc- Cracken, treas.; W. H. Siegfried, sec. Dayton-Montgomery Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Eaton-Prehle Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. Noah Sil- ler, pres., West Manchester; C. F. Brooke, Jr., treas.; G. W. Daugherty, sec. Elyria-Lorain Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. E. Melvin, pres.; L. D. Hamlin, treas.; Anthony Findlay, Hancock Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Wm. Demand, sec. Gallipolis-Gallia Co. Fair. Aug. 16-18. W. M. Duffy, pres., Point Pleasant. W. Va.; F. G. Musgrove, sec and treas., Point Pleas- ant, W. Va. Greenville-Great Dark Co. Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. J. M. Brown, pres., Arcanum; Ed. Ammon, treas., Gordon; J. M. Hall, sec. Jefferson-Ashland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. W. H. Dodge, pres., Dodgeville; C. C. Babcock, treas.; J. M. Roberts, sec. Kenton-Hardin Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. M. Thompson, sec. Kinsman-Kinsman Fair. Aug. 29-31. H. J. Wald, pres.; J. A. Hamilton, treas.; H. J. Fobes, sec. Lancaster-Fairfield Co. Fair. Oct. 11-14. W. T. McGlenaghan, sec. Lebanon-Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. A. D. Smith, pres.; Geo. W. Carey, sec. Lisbon-Columbiana Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. F. Moore, sec. Lima-Allen Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. A. States, pres., West Cairo; G. B. Fetter, treas.; T. E. Bowersock, sec. Lima-Lima Fair. June 27-30. F. E. Baxter, sec. London-Madison Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. McConellsville-Morgan Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Benj. F. Reed, pres.; Harry M. Finley, treas.; Geo. H. Black, sec. Mansfield-Richland Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. W. H. Shylock, pres.; Jno. Hale, treas.; Jno. H. Coss, sec. Marietta-Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Hiram True, pres., Lower Salem; C. W. Zim- mer, treas., Stanleyville; Jas. F. Hovey, sec. Marion-Marion Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. A. Knapp, sec. Marysville-Union Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. O. Johnson, pres.; Homer Southard, treas.; W. F. Broderick, sec. Mason-Mason Fair. Dates not set. J. A. Rebold, pres.; J. W. Bueh, treas.; W. H. Williamson, sec. Medina-Medina Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. O. O. Van Densen, sec. Ottoker-Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 19-23. D. W. Williams, sec. Middletown-Buster Co. Fair. Oct. 2-6. Montpelier-Williams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. C. Lattanner, sec. Mount Joy-Scioto Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. F. Blackburn, pres., Barden; W. A. Mc- George, sec. Napoleon-Napoleon Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Hanna, pres.; E. B. Heller, treas.; J. L. Halter, sec. Newark-Licking Co. Fair. Oct. 2-7. W. H. Kusenmand, pres., Greenville; E. M. Sigler, treas., Humer; J. M. Farmer, sec. New Bremen-New Bremen Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Theo. H. Tangeman, sec. New Lexington-New Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 26- 29. Chas. C. Chappellear. Ottawa-Putnam Co. Fair. Oct. 2-7. W. J. Varner, pres.; Sam Cartwright, treas.; A. P. Sandles, sec. Paulding-Paulding Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Allen Bybee, pres.; Jno. A. Jenkins, sec.

Richmond-Richmond Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19-23. J. L. Horn, pres.; L. P. Albright, treas.; H. C. Duke, sec. Richwood-Richwood Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19- 22. J. L. Horn. Ripley-Ripley Fair. Aug. 8-11. L. H. Wil- liams, sec. Rome-Rome Fair. Sept. 28-29. Jno. Gregg, sec., Sunbury. Russellville-Russellville Fair. Oct. 12. J. D. Selp, pres.; T. M. Salisbury, treas.; J. O. Miller, sec. St. Clairsville-Belmont Co. Fair. Aug. 29- Sept. 1. D. S. Creamer, pres.; W. T. Jud- kins, treas.; J. H. Taylor, sec. Sandusky-Erie Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. H. Zerbo, sec. Sardinia-Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Farmer Kennedy, sec. Sidney-Sheby Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. J. Cargill, pres.; Jno. Duncan, treas.; J. E. Kusell, sec. Smithfield-Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29. Alonso Hayne, pres., Adena; Chas. McKinney, treas.; J. O. Hayne, sec. Somerset-Northern Perry Co. Fair. Oct. 13-30. J. H. Yarnell, sec. Springfield-Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 22-26. S. Van Bird, sec. Summerfield-Summerfield Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. W. McClintock, sec. Sycamore-Sycamore Fair. Oct. 17-20. J. L. Curlls, pres.; Geo. A. Klahr, treas.; M. Vance, sec. Tiffin-Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. H. Knapp, pres., Republic; E. T. Winsted, treas.; Morgan E. Ink., sec., Republic. Upper Sandusky-Wyandot Co. Fair. Oct. 2-6. H. E. Hedges, pres.; Peter Frank, Jr., treas.; A. F. Schoenberg, sec. Urbana-Champaign Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Van Wert-Van Wert Fair. Sept. 12-15. B. F. Lealle, pres., Conroy; E. B. Gilliland, treas.; E. V. Walborn, sec. Wapakoneta-Auglaise Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Chas. Fraxier, pres., Unioipolis; T. E. Bowaber, treas.; A. E. Schaffer, sec. Warren-Trumbull Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. M. A. McClain, sec. Washington-Guernsey Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. F. St. Clair, sec. Washington C. H.-Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 13- 15. Bell G. Allen, sec. West Union-Adams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. W. Ellison, sec. Willington-Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Wellington-Wellington Fair. Aug. 22-25. Woodsfield-Mourne Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. C. Mooney, pres., Geo. P. Dorr, sec. Wooster-Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Jno. O. McClaren, pres.; W. A. Wilson, treas.; G. J. Elbright, sec., Shreve. Xenia-Greene Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Zanesville-Mark Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. K. Browning, pres.; R. Y. White, sec., Chand- lersville; A. F. Vest, treas. OKLAHOMA. Blackwell-Blackwell Inter-State Fair. Oct. 16- 22. Wm. Buckholz, pres.; W. H. Thompson, treas.; B. P. Blake, sec. Deer Creek-Grant Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. A. T. Dungan, pres.; T. J. Hartman, treas.; C. F. Eberle, sec. Newkirk-Kay Co. Fair. Oct. 9-12. S. Spore, pres.; Harry Thompson, sec. Oklahoma City-Oklahoma Co. Fair. Oct. 23-28. Shawnee-Pottawatomie Co. Fair. Nov 6-11. PENNSYLVANIA. Allentown-Lehigh Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Hon. Jeremiah, pres.; Milton J. Kern, treas.; H. E. Schall, sec. Bedford-Bedford Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Jno. Line, pres.; Wm. I. Eicholtz, sec. Bethlehem-Pennsylvania State Fair. Sept. 5- 8. J. Walter Lovatt, pres.; W. M. Apple- gate, treas.; H. A. Gorman, sec. Bloomsburg-Columbia Co. Fair. Dates not set. E. P. Hagenbuch, pres.; A. N. Yost, sec. Brookville-Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. B. Henderson, sec. Burgettstown-Union Fair. Oct. 2-5. D. J. Dowden, mgr.; W. A. Coryson, treas.; E. F. Stevenson, sec. Butler-Driving Park and Fair. Aug. 23-25. Geo. A. Schaffner, pres.; E. W. Bingham, treas.; I. J. McBride, sec. Cambridge Springs-Cambridge Fair. Aug. 22- 25. E. E. Humes, pres.; J. O. Suerred, treas.; Albert S. Faber, sec. Carlisle-Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. R. M. Mullin, pres.; W. H. McCrea, sec. Clarion-Clarion Co. Fair. Sept. 5-11. Conneaut Lake-Conneaut Lake Fair. Aug. 26- Sept. 1. Chas. T. Byers, sec. Corry-Corry Fair. Sept. 11-14. S. D. Dera, sec. Dayton-Dayton Fair. Sept. 26-29. Wm. Gal- lagher, pres.; O. H. Good, treas.; W. O. Marshall, sec. Edinboro-Edinboro Fair. Aug. 15-17. C. W. Billings, sec. Forkville-Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Fred. Newell, pres.; A. G. Little, treas.; Ulysses Bird, sec. Hanover-Hanover Fair. Sept. 12-15. E. M. Wirt, pres.; T. J. Little, treas.; M. O. Smith, sec. Honesdale-Wayne Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. L. Ferguson, pres., Seelyville; J. V. Starnes, treas., Bethany; E. W. Gammell, sec. Huntington-Huntington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. L. R. Leister, pres.; H. D. Reiners, treas.; Hugo Mayer, sec. Indiana-Indiana Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. M. F. Jamison, pres.; A. W. Mabou, treas.; David Blair, sec. Johnstown-Inter-State Fair. Sept. 12-15. Chas. Young, pres.; Geo. C. Jordan, treas.; Dr. M. C. Koeler, sec. Kittanning-Armstrong Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. E. J. McGIVEN, pres.; C. J. Jemop, treas.; W. E. Noble, sec. Lehighite-Carbon Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. E. Brinkman, pres.; W. H. Overt, treas.; A. F. Greenwalt, sec. Lewisburg-Union Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Geo. B. Frederick, pres.; Reuben Kline, treas.; Bucknell; C. Dale Wolfe, sec., Bucknell. Madisonville-Lackawanna Grange Fair. Sept. 23-29. J. A. Yeager, pres.; E. J. Mansfield, treas.; Lionel Winslow, sec., Moscow. Mansfield-Mansfield Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. M. Clark, pres.; W. D. Husted, treas.; H. E. Hoard, sec. Milton-Great Milton Fair. Oct. 2-6. Wm. H. Hackenburr, pres.; Edwin Paul, sec. Montrose-Susquehanna Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. F. I. Lott, pres.; E. B. Beebe, treas.; F. A. Davies, sec.

Nazareth-Northampton Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. S. Messenger, pres., Latamp; J. B. Reinheimer, sec.

NEWPORT-PERRY CO. FAIR. Sept. 19-22. D. H. Sheldy, pres.; T. H. Butturf, treas.; J. C. F. Stephens, sec.

OXFORD-ORFORD FAIR. Sept. 27-29. S. E. Nivlin, pres., Landenburg; F. G. Andrews, treas.; H. C. Thomas, sec.

PULASKI-PULASKI FAIR. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Pansutawney-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Ben Record, sec.

READING-GREAT READING FAIR. Oct. 2-6. Jaa. McGowan, pres.; Gieger's Mills; Milford N. Riter, treas.; H. Seidel Throm, sec.

STONEBORO-STONEBORO FAIR. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Vernon, pres.; Robt. F. Cann, treas.; Geo. H. Fowler, sec.

STROUDSBURG-MONROE CO. FAIR. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. S. Williams, pres.; O. P. Phillips, treas.; F. B. Overfield, sec., East Stroudsburg.

TOWANDA-BRADFORD CO. FAIR. Sept. 26-29. William J. McCabe, pres.; M. B. Horton, treas.; Chas. Culvert, sec.

TROY-TROY FAIR. Sept. 12-15. Liston Hliss, pres.; L. H. Oliver, treas.; D. F. Pomeroy, sec.

WILLIAMS GROVE-GRANGE INTER-STATE FAIR. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. R. A. Thomas, pres., Mechanicsburg.

YOUNGWOOD-WESTMORELAND FAIR. Sept. 19-15. F. D. Barnhart, pres., Mt. Pleasant; D. B. Fisher, treas.; F. M. Waughman, sec., Harrison City.

SOUTH CAROLINA

CHARLESTON-S. C. STATE FAIR. Oct. 2-7. Columbia-States Fair. Oct. 23-27. G. A. Gungnard, pres.; A. Gamewell LaMotta, treas.; A. W. Love, sec.

SOUTH DAKOTA

BELLE FOURCHE-BELLE FOURCHE FAIR. Dates not set. Frank R. Cook, pres.; A. H. Maxwell, sec.

TENNESSEE

ALEXANDRIA-DEKALB CO. FAIR. Sept. 7-9. D. D. Overall, pres.; J. W. Wood, treas.; Bob Roy, sec.

CHATTANOOGA-MERCHANTS FAIR. Sept. 29-30. Clarksville-Montgomery Fair. Dates not set. Jno. F. Shelton, pres.; W. R. Shelton, treas.; W. K. Beach, sec.

CLEVELAND-FARMERS FAIR. Dates not set. M. V. Jones, pres.; Jno. W. Cate, sec.

COLUMBIA-MAURY CO. FAIR. Sept. 12-15. Gallatin-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 9-12. Murfreesboro-Butherford Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2.

NEWPORT-APPALACHIAN FAIR. Oct. 10-12. James E. Stokely, pres.; J. M. Jones, treas.; B. W. Hooper, sec.

TRENTON-GIBSON CO. FAIR. Oct. 11-14. T. J. Happell, pres.; W. F. McEae, treas.; Chas. L. Wade, sec.

UNION CITY-WEST TENNESSEE FAIR. Sept. 25-30. W. C. Farris, pres.; H. Dietson, treas.; J. W. Woolley, sec.

TEXAS

BRADY-TRANS-COLORADO EXPOSITION. July 8-8. H. H. Rose, sec.

BRYAN-CENTRAL TEXAS FAIR. Oct. 17-20. W. S. Howell, pres.; H. A. Burger, treas.; Tom A. Searcy, sec.

DALLAS-TEXAS STATE FAIR. Sept. 30-Oct. 15. C. A. Keating, pres.; J. B. Adcox, treas.; Sydney Smith, sec.

GREENVILLE-HUNT CO. FAIR. Sept. 29-30. J. O. Hayter, pres.; Jaa. Ormsted, treas.; H. L. Carpenter, sec.

CORDOBA-C. T. N. FAIR. Aug. 9-12. G. Phipps, sec., box 484.

KERRVILLE-WEST TEXAS FAIR. Sept. 7-9. Charles Beal, sec.

LIANO-LIANO CO. FAIR. Sept. 28-30. S. D. Baumtre, pres.; C. L. Boynton, sec.

SAN ANTONIO-SAN ANTONIO FAIR. Oct. 21-Nov. 1. Jno. W. Kokernot, pres.; S. B. Welder, treas.; J. M. Vance, sec.

TAYLOR-TAYLOR FAIR. July 4-6. John F. Black, sec.

UTAH

SALT LAKE CITY-DESERT AGRIC. AND MFG. FAIR. Oct. 8-7. J. G. McDonald, pres.; Wm. Esterman, sec.

VERMONT

MANCHESTER-BATTENKILL VALLEY FAIR. Sept. 12-14. E. B. Smith, pres.; D. H. Dyea, treas.; Dr. J. P. Page, sec.

MIDDLEBURY-ADAMS COUNTY FAIR. Sept. 5-8. Frank C. Dyer, pres., W. Salisbury; C. M. Pinner, treas.; Fred L. Hamilton, sec., West Salisbury.

MORRISVILLE-LAMVILLE VALLEY FAIR. Aug. 29-31. G. M. Powers, pres.; O. M. Waterman, sec.

SPRINGFIELD-SPRINGFIELD FAIR. Sept. 12-13. E. C. Crosby, pres.; Geo. F. Leland, treas.; Fred C. Davis, sec.

WATERBURY-WINDSOCK VALLEY FAIR. Sept. 12-14. G. E. Moody, pres.; W. B. Elliott, treas.; Chas. Keene, sec.

WOODSTOCK-WINDSOR CO. FAIR. Sept. 26-28. A. E. Fuller, pres.; C. H. English, treas.; C. J. Paul, sec.

VIRGINIA

LYNCHBURG-INTER-STATE FAIR. Oct. 2-6. Carter Glass, pres.; S. T. Withers, treas.; Frank Lovelock, sec.

NORFOLK-NORFOLK FAIR. Oct. 16-21. G. O. Wrenna, pres., P. O. box 296.

TAYLOR-PENINSULA FAIR. Aug. 8-11. Tappanhook-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8-11. J. W. Blackstone, pres.; Wm. Hopkins, sec.

WASHINGTON

EVERETT-SNOHOMISH CO. FAIR. Sept. 18-23. T. F. Oliver, pres.; Jos. A. Swallow, treas.; Dan Currie, sec.

NORTH YAKIMA-WASHINGTON STATE FAIR. Oct. 2-7. Puyallup-Valley Fair. Oct. 8-8. W. J. Bowman, pres.; W. D. Cotter, treas.; J. P. Nevins, sec.

SPOKANE-SPOKANE INTER-STATE FAIR. Oct. 9-15. Howell W. Peel, pres.; E. J. Dyer, treas.; Robt. H. Coagrove, sec.

WEST VIRGINIA

MARTINSBURG-INWOOD CO. FAIR. Aug. 23-28. J. T. Thompson, pres.; F. H. Wilson, treas.; G. W. Boyer, sec.

MIDDLEBURY-TYLER CO. FAIR. Aug. 23-28. O. S. Standley, pres.; W. B. Kirchner, treas.; C. B. Riggle, sec.

NEW MARTINSVILLE-WETHEL CO. FAIR. Aug. 14-17. Justus Eakin, pres.; J. A. Pyles, treas.; J. E. Thorn, sec.

PENNSBORO-PENNSBORO FAIR. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. B. Wells, pres.; Wm. A. Strickler, sec.

SHEPHERDSTOWN-MORGAN'S GROVE FAIR. Sept. 5-8.

C. D. Wepong, pres.; John P. Kearfoot, treas.; E. T. Licklider, sec.

WESTON-LEWIS CO. FAIR. Sept. 11-14. Wheeling-Exposition and State Fair. Sept. 11-15. A. Heymans, pres.; Geo. Hook, sec.

WISCONSIN

AMHERST-PORTAGE CO. FAIR. Sept. 12-15. W. J. Niven, pres., Sheridan; L. A. Pomeroy, treas.; A. J. Smith, sec.

ANTIGO-LANGLE CO. FAIR. Sept. 10-12. Appleton-Appleton Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Jaa. Koffend, Jr., sec.

ASHLAND-ASHLAND CO. FAIR. Aug. 22-24. W. G. Nohl, sec.

ANGUSTA-EAN CLAIRE CO. FAIR. Dates not set. Geo. Bills, pres.; A. E. Brandford, treas.; Bert Fredericks, sec.

BARABO-SANK CO. FAIR. Sept. 19-22. Chas. Wild, pres.; Frank Sblita, treas.; S. A. Pelton, sec.

BEAVERDAM-DODGE CO. FAIR. Sept. 25-28. A. L. Wallace, pres.; H. B. Drake, treas.; G. W. Harvey, sec.

BELOIT-INTER-STATE FAIR. Aug. 15-18. Geo. G. Cram, pres.; D. H. Tanock, treas.; T. D. Corcoran, sec.

BERLIN-BERLIN AGRIC. FAIR. Aug. 22-25. H. W. Temme, pres.; E. Grant Bunce, treas.; W. J. Clement, sec.

BLACK RIVER FALLS-JACKSON CO. FAIR. Sept. 19-22. Jno. Bolger, pres.; O. F. Olson, treas.; E. L. Ormsby, sec.

BOSCOBEL-BOSCOBEL FAIR. Oct. 4-8. Jacob Scott, pres.; Joe B. Nanert, treas.; Louis B. Nuka, sec.

CEDARBURG-CEDARBURG FAIR. Sept. 21-23. Jacob Dietrich, sec.

CHITON-CALUMET CO. FAIR. Aug. 31-Sept. 2. Fred Herman, pres., New Holstein; Winfield S. Lloyd, treas.; Gregory Dorschel, sec.

CHIPPEWA-FALLS-NORTHERN WISCONSIA STATE FAIR. Aug. 28-31. Robt. B. Clark, sec.

CUMBERLAND-CUMBERLAND FAIR. Sept. 6-8. A. H. Larson, sec.

DARLINGTON-LAFAYETTE CO. FAIR. Aug. 23-25. Geo. Ward, sec.

DODGEVILLE-IOWA CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. Jno. 1. Hahn, sec.

EIKHORN-WALWORTH CO. FAIR. Sept. 18-23. H. C. Norris, sec.

ELROY-ELROY FAIR. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. P. A. Cleary, sec.

EVANSVILLE-ROCK CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. W. W. Gillies, sec.

FOND DU LAC-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Watson, sec.

GALESVILLE-GALESVILLE FAIR. Aug. 29-31. S. C. French, sec.

GAY'S MILLS-CENTRAL AGRIC. FAIR. Dates not set. Atley Peterson, pres., Soldiers' Grove; N. Jurgeson, treas.; E. G. Briggs, sec.

HILLSBORO-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 12-15. A. N. Jones, sec.

HORTONVILLE-OUTAGAMIE CO. FAIR. Sept. 21-23. A. L. Murphy, sec.

IRON RIVER-BAYFIELD CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-7. Geo. W. Ripley, sec.

JEFFERSON-JEFFERSON CO. and ROCK RIVER VALLEY FAIR. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Carlin, pres.; O. F. Boessler, sec.

KILBOURN CITY-LUTER CO. FAIR. Oct. 2-5. Nat. Wetzel, pres.; D. Wintermote, treas.; Geo. H. Campbell, sec.

LA CROIX-INTER-STATE FAIR. Sept. 25-30. T. H. Spence, pres.; E. M. Wing, treas.; C. S. VanAuker, sec.

LANCASTER-GRANT CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. Geo. A. Moore, sec.

LODI-LODI UNION FAIR. Sept. 12-14. A. H. Hinds, sec.

MADISON-DANE CO. FAIR. Sept. 19-22. M. W. Terwilliger, sec.

MANITOWOC-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. Chas. G. Hacker, sec.

MARSHFIELD-CENTRAL WIS. STATE FAIR. Sept. 18-21. Geo. W. Welton, sec.

MEDFORD-TAYLOR CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. F. M. Shaw, pres.; L. A. Malar, treas.; W. G. Toone, sec.

MERRILL-LINCOLN CO. FAIR. Sept. 12-15. H. E. Fehland, pres.; Wm. F. Peterman, treas.; J. W. Bruce, sec.

MEMORINEE-DUMM CO. FAIR. Sept. 19-22. J. B. Chickering, pres.; F. A. Vassay, treas.; Geo. Gallaway, sec.

MILWAUKEE-WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE. Sept. 1-15. Geo. McKerrrow, pres.; J. J. Kempf, treas.; Jno. M. True, sec.

MERAL POINT-SOUTHERN WIS. FAIR. Aug. 15-18. R. M. Priestley, sec.

MONDOVI-BUFFALO CO. FAIR. Sept. 20-22. O. E. Otis, pres.; N. A. Pesto, treas.; M. O. Fisher, sec.

MONROE-GREEN CO. FAIR. Sept. 13-16. W. Ludlow, pres.; L. A. Honger, treas.; Willart T. Saucerman, sec.

NEILLSVILLE-CLARK CO. FAIR. Sept. 12-15. J. W. Hommel, pres.; G. L. Redmond, treas.; H. C. Clark, sec.

NEW RICHMOND-NEW RICHMOND FAIR. Sept. 19-22. O. J. Williams, pres.; F. E. Winter, treas.; L. A. Baker, sec.

OCONTO-OCONTO FAIR. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Chas, sec.

NEW LONDON-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 26-29. Phillips-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-29. F. K. Randall, sec.

PLATTERVILLE-BIG BADGER FAIR. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. H. Gribble, sec.

FLYMOUTH-SHEBOYGAN CO. FAIR. Sept. 4-7. Otto Gaffron, sec.

PORTAGE-COLUMBIA CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. J. H. Wells, pres.; E. N. McConchie, treas.; J. E. Jones, sec.

REEDSBURG-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. W. A. Shotts, sec.

RICHLAND CENTRE-RICHLAND CO. FAIR. Sept. 26-29. J. W. Martin, pres., Gotham, Wis.; E. C. Lybrand, treas.; W. F. Fogo, sec.

ROME-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 14-16. Seymour-Seymour Fair. Sept. 28-30. Peter Tobbs, pres.; H. J. VanVuren, sec.

SHELBYVILLE-AGRI. FAIR. Sept. 6-9. Spring Green-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 20-22. E. M. Davis, sec.

VHOCUA-YERDON CO. FAIR. Sept. 12-15. F. M. Minshall, pres.; J. M. McLeese, sec.

WAUSAU-MARATHON CO. FAIR. Sept. 5-8. Wautoma-Agrl. Fair. Sept. 27-29. F. F. Wehmer, sec.

WEST BEND-WASHINGTON CO. FAIR. Sept. 18-20. W. P. Rix, sec.

WESTFIELD-MARQUETTE CO. FAIR. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. W. P. Fuller, Jr., sec.

WEYAUWEGA-WAUPECA CO. FAIR. Sept. 19-22. E. M. Hill, sec.

WYOMING

CHRYSENE-FRONTIER PARK FAIR. Sept. 4-8. Edw. Hoffman, pres.; J. L. Murray, treas.; O. B. Richardson, sec.

CANADA

ALEXANDER-COUNTY FAIR. Sept. 21. G. F. Macdonald, sec.

ALVINGTON-FAIR. Oct. 8-1. Alymer-Canada's Great Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. D. H. Price, sec.

BOWMANVILLE-WEST DURHAM FAIR. Sept. 29. M. A. James, sec.

BRANDON, MAN.-WESTERN MAN. FAIR. Aug. 1-4. F. J. Clerk, mgr.

BRIDGEN-FAIR. Oct. 3. Brockville-Co. Fair. Sept. 21. R. H. Field, sec.

CAKARY, N. W. TER.-INTER-WESTERN PACIFIC EX. JULY 19-20. Chas. W. Peterson, sec.

CAMPBELLFORD-CAMPBELLFORD FAIR. Sept. 29. G. A. Hay, sec.

CARBERRY, MAN.-NORFOLK FAIR. July 19-20. C. H. Brooks, sec.

CARMAN, MAN.-DUFFERIN AGRIC. FAIR. July 6-7. T. Kernighan, sec.

CARTWRIGHT, MAN.-CARTWRIGHT FAIR. July 18-19. A. W. Bagwell, sec.

CLATHAM-WEST KENT DIST. FAIR. Sept. 24-28. A. J. Dolan, pres.; B. G. Fleming, treas.; Henry Robinson, sec.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.-GREAT NORTHERN EXHIBITION. Sept. 26-29. W. A. Hogg, pres.; Jas. Gullislar, treas.; J. W. Archer, sec.

CRANBROOK-BLAINVILLE FAIR. Sept. 26-27. T. E. Telfer, sec.

CRYSTAL CITY, MAN.-MOUNTAIN AGRIC. FAIR. July 13-14. W. G. Duff, sec.

CYPRUS RIVER, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 21. Jas. McNeil, sec.

DELFIA, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. Aug. 8. T. Whitmer, sec.

DELORAIN, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 20-21. P. C. Sheppard, sec.

DUNVILLE-DUNVILLE FAIR. Sept. 26-27. Edmonton, N. W. TER.-INDUSTRIAL EX. JUNE 20-JULY 1. F. Fraser Tims, sec.

EIKHORN, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 17-18. W. M. Cushing, sec.

FOREST-FAIR. Oct. 5-6. Gladstone, Man.-Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Bridge, sec.

GIENCO-FAIR. Sept. 26-27. Hamiota, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 11. A. D. McConnell, sec.

HARTNEY, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 18-19. T. B. Woodhull, sec.

KEMPTVILLE-ORFORD FAIR. Sept. 24-26. E. H. Guest, sec.

KILLARNEY, MAN.-SOUTHERN MAN. FAIR. Aug. 8-10. J. Schnair, sec.

KINGSTON, ONT.-KINGSTON DIST. FAIR. Dates not set. Mayor H. McFarland, pres.; C. W. Wright, treas.; J. Morgan Shaw, sec.

LONDON-WESTERN FAIR. Sept. 8-16. Capt. W. J. Reid, pres.; D. Mackenzie, treas.; J. A. Nelles, sec.

MILTON-MILTON FAIR. Oct. 13. Wm. Hurbottle, sec.

MORDA, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 20-21. M. C. Rumball, sec.

MORRIS, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 10-11. L. J. Elliot, sec.

NELSON, B. C.-NELSON FAIR. Sept. 27-29. Jas. J. Johnstone, pres.; J. J. Malone, treas.; J. E. Annable, sec.

OAK LAKE, MAN.-LANSDOWNE AGRIC. FAIR. Aug. 10. W. J. Hellwell, sec.

ORILLIA-ORILLIA FAIR. Sept. 14-16. A. B. Thompson, sec.

OTTAWA, ONT.-EXHIBITION. Sept. 8-16. E. McMahon, sec.

OWEN SOUND-NORTH GREY FAIR. Dates not set. A. G. Mackey, sec.

PALSLEY-PALSLEY FAIR. Sept. 29-27. J. E. Sheppard, sec.

PARIS-NORTH GRANT EXPOSITION. Sept. 23-29. H. C. O'Neil, sec.

PETERBOROUGH-INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION. Sept. 26-27. D. Hughes, pres.; F. J. A. Hall, sec.

PETROLIA-FAIR. Sept. 21-25. Portage La Prairie, Man.-Portage & Lakeside Fair. July 19-19. W. Sheppard, sec.

RENFREW-RENFREW AGRIC. FAIR. Sept. 26-28. W. S. Smallfield, sec.

RICHMOND-RICHMOND FAIR. Sept. 26-27. W. McKelroy, sec.

SARNIA-FAIR. Sept. 25-27. Sault Ste. Marie-East Algoma Fair. Oct. 2-4. Joo. Dawson, pres.; Wm. Brown, treas. and sec.

SHERBROOKE, ONT.-CANADA'S EASTERN EXHIBITION. Sept. 2-9. O. A. French, pres.; Wm. Tomlinson, sec.

SHOAL LAKE, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. Aug. 8. Frank Dobbs, sec.

STRATHCLAIR, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. Aug. 8. A. R. Sutherland, sec.

STRATHROY-WEST MIDDLESEX FAIR. Sept. 18-20. Swan River, Man.-Agrl. Fair. Aug. 19. E. J. Darsch, sec.

TORONTO-CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION. Aug. 26-Sept. 12. J. O. Orr, sec.

WATFORD-FAIR. Sept. 23-29. West London-Fair. Sept. 8-16. Vanice Hill, Ont.-Prescott Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Alex. A. LeRoy, pres.; Fred W. Thistlewaite, sec.

WESTBORNE, MAN.-AGRI. FAIR. July 21. D. Budget, sec.

WINCHESTER, ONT.-WINCHESTER FAIR. Sept. 6-7. Col. F. Ault, pres.; W. Lafamme, sec. and treas.

FAIRBURY, ILL.-STREET FAIR. June 19-24. Monarch Carn. Co., attr.

FARBPAULT, MINN.-STREET FAIR. June 19-24. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.

FORD CITY, PA.-FIFTH ANNUAL STREET FAIR. Auspices Hose Co. No. 1. Aug. 14-19. Chas. T. Keller, sec.

GALENE, IAN.-STREET FAIR. June 19-24. Great Alamo Shows, attr.

GILMAN, ILL.-STREET FAIR. June 12-17. Monarch Carn. Co., attr.

GREAT J. FRANK HATCH SHOWS, attr. Henderson, Ky.-Street Fair. Auspices Woodmen. June 12-17. Seaman-Mullican Mardi Gras Co., attr.

JOPLIN, MO.-JOPLIN JUNE JUBILEE. June 19-24. Great Parker Am. Co., attr.

KANKEKEE, ILL.-MID-SUMMER FESTIVAL. Auspices Union Bank E. of P. June 26-July 1. Fattison & Brainerd Carn. Co., attr.

LOGAN, KAN.-STREET FAIR. July 4-6. Kirk Brothers' Carn. Co., attr.

LOWVILLE, N. Y.-STREET FAIR. June 12-17. Pierce Am. Co., attr.

MENSHFIELD, O.-STREET FAIR. June 12-17. Hoas & Naumann Shows, attr.

MARSHALL, ILL.-STREET FAIR.

O. O. F. Temple Assn. July 17-22. O. F. Hummel, Dr. O. H. Harvey and B. H. Brown, L. G. Sternett, committee on arrangements, Great Mundy Shows, attr.

Quincy, Ill.—Street Fair. June 12-17. Ferari Bros.' United Shows, attr.

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 Culver—Military Academy, Summer Naval School for Boys, June 5-Aug. 30. D. E. Ghisballist.
 Elkhart—Aug. 23-Sept. 2. Chas. L. Wagner, Chicago, Ill.
 Jewkeson—Aug. 6-15. Prof. C. A. Frouser, New Albany.
 LaPorte—July 23-Aug. 2. Rev. Geo. C. Moore.
 Lafayette—June 12-22. Fred Mayer, Lafayette; J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Madison—Aug. 10-20. J. V. Craven.
 Remington—Aug. 12-27. Robert Parker.
 Richmond—Aug. 23-Sept. 4. J. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Rome City—Island Park Chautauque, July 20-Aug. 12. Rev. J. F. Snyder, sec. La Grange; Dr. W. L. Davidson, Supt., Washington, D. C.
 Vincennes—July 28-Aug. 12. H. R. Carr.
 Warsaw—July 5-Sept. 1. S. C. Dickey, 115 Monument Place, Indianapolis.
 Xenia—Aug. 5-23. J. O. Hurst.
IOWA
 Ames—Aug. 9-13. J. A. Campbell.
 Atlantic—Aug. 5-13. Ben W. Wood.
 Albia—Early July. W. J. Hestis.
 Anthon—Aug. 16-23. Rev. J. A. Shannon.
 Bloomfield—July 17-24. Davis County Chautauque.
 Clarinda—Aug. 5-19. William Orr.
 Centerville—Aug. 4-13. J. M. Beck.
 Clear Lake—July 24-Aug. 1. Dr. W. W. Carlton, Mason City.
 Columbus Junction—Aug. 2-10. Marshall C. Crouch.
 Chariton—Aug. 15-25. F. R. Crocker.
 Creston—June 25-July 4. Prof. W. Bell.
 Galva—July 20-Aug. 10. Chas. J. English, Harlan.
 Fort Dodge—July 23-31. Dr. Phil Baird, pres.; J. F. Monk, sec.
 Fallston—Aug. 6-16. E. B. King, St. Edward, Neb.
 Fairbault—Aug. 16-25. J. A. Hagin, sec.
 Glenwood—July 19-Aug. 7. L. H. Maus.
 Indianola—July 29-Aug. 7. S. M. Holliday.
 Iowa Falls—July 9-17. C. J. Craven.
 Marshalltown—July 1-10. Elijah Brown Jones.
 Marshalltown—Aug. 13-21. T. T. Fish.
 Maquoket—July 2-10. H. I. Beattie, pres.; H. J. Baird, supt.
 Okmowca—July 11-20.
 Ottumwa—(The Heights Park.) June 28-July 4.
 Pella—July 12-24. C. E. Staples, Grinnell.
 Rockwell—July 1-5. Rev. Wm. Murchie.
 Sidney—July 23-31. E. S. Randall.
 Sigourney—July 15-24. M. M. Moulton.
 Storm Lake—July 2-10. C. H. Fleming.
 Tabor—July 1-10. John A. Hobbes.
 Washington—Aug. 15-25. A. R. Miller.
 Waterloo—July 11-22. Rev. Frank L. Loveland.
KANSAS
 Elkhart—July 18-25. Rev. T. H. J. Taggart, Olathe.
 Chanute—Aug. 2-12. E. L. Hartwell.
 Clay Center—Aug. 2-12. Rev. A. R. Whitmer.
 Emporia—June 25-July 7. Dr. P. R. Cromer.
 Frankfort—July 6-17. Rev. C. B. Bushman, Chariton, Mo.
 Wathena—Aug. 5-13. A. W. Thompson.
 Winfield—June 29-July 8. M. R. Light.
KENTUCKY
 Ashland—June 25-July 8. Rev. John McCarthy, Huntington, Va.
 Cadiz—Aug. 2-12. H. M. Taylor.
 Lexington—June 23-July 8. Dr. W. L. Davidson, 1711 Grant st., N. W. Washington, D. C.
 Owensboro—Aug. 6-20. W. G. Archer.
LOUISIANA
 Ruston—June 3-July 4. O. B. Staples.
MAINE
 Ocean Park—June 23-Aug. 31. Rev. W. J. Truart, 12 Reservoir at, Lawrence, Mass.
MARYLAND
 Cumberland—July 28-Aug. 10. W. L. Kadische, Cr. Y. M. C. A.
 Mountain Lake Park—Aug. 2-29. Dr. W. L. Davidson, 1711 Grant st., N. W. Washington, D. C.
 Washington Grove—July 4-Sept. 1. W. H. E. Smith, 363 Navy Dept., Washington, D. C.
MASSACHUSETTS
 Mendon—July 17-23. Geo. H. Clark, Somerville, Mass.
 Northampton—July 11-21. Dr. W. B. Davidson, 1711 Grant st., N. W. Washington, D. C.
MICHIGAN
 Bay View—July 25-Aug. 19. F. Gilman Cromer, 1214 N. Main st., Dayton, O.
 Ludington—July 23-Aug. 2. Edwin Swarthout, 608 Mich. Trust Co. Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Lake Orion—Aug. 11-21. Rev. D. L. Martin, Ionia, Mich.
 South Haven—Aug. 2-19. A. D. Prattice.
MINNESOTA
 Albert Lea—July 16-22. Claud H. Southwick, Commercial Club.
MISSOURI
 Clinton—Aug. 23-Sept. 4. Uel W. Lamka.
 Carthage—July 4-13. H. G. Frouser.
 Mayville—Aug. 11-23. A. J. Hill.
 Nevada—July 19-23. John Brown.
 Rock Port—Aug. 4-12. Jas. F. Gore.
 Seneca—June 15-23. M. L. Stewart.
 Waverly—(Pettie Springs), Aug. 18-19. A. C. Stewart, 461 N. 4th st., St. Louis, Mo.
MISSOURI
 Crystal Springs—July 19-30. H. F. Todd.
NEBRASKA
 Abilene—June 27-July 8. O. M. Lowe, 1264 Main st., Lawrence, Kan.
 Aurora—Aug. 18-31. J. H. Dundas.
 Beatrice—July 6-19. O. L. Reed.
 Berkeley City—July 21-30.
 Broken Bow—Aug. 5-15. E. E. P. O'Connell.
 Geneva—June 24-30. O. M. Lowe, Lawrence, Kan.
 Lincoln—Aug. 2-19. L. O. Jones.
 Selma—Aug. 1-8. W. P. Babbuck.

Tecumseh—July 18-25. J. H. Dundas, Lincoln, Neb.
NEW JERSEY
 Atlantic City—Jewish Chautauque, July 8-20. Isaac Hessler, box 255, Philadelphia, Pa.
NEW YORK
 Binghamton—Carmel Grove Summer Chautauque, July 29-Aug. 13. Arthur J. Dibble.
 Chautauque—Thirty-second Annual Assembly, June 29-Aug. 27. Geo. E. Vincent, U. of C., Chicago, Ill.
 Cliff Haven—Catholic Summer School of America, July 2-Sept. 5. Warren E. Mosher, 39 E. 42nd st., New York City.
NORTH DAKOTA
 Devils Lake—June 2-24. Edgar LaRue.
OHIO
 Bethesda—Aug. 2-16. Rev. M. J. Slatz, Barnesville, O.
 Coshocton, O.—Aug. 7-12.
 Delaware—July 23-Aug. 1. Rev. Milton W. Brown, 1305 Murdoch ave., Westwood, Cincinnati, O.
 Defiance—July 30-Aug. 10. A. P. Murphy.
 Franklin—Miami Valley Chautauque, July 21-Aug. 7. F. Gilman Cromer, 1314 N. Main st., Dayton.
 Hiawatha Lake—July 24-Aug. 4. Rev. C. J. Rose, Granville, O.
 Lancaster—Aug. 12-20. Rev. L. C. Sparks, Newark, O.
 Mt. Vernon—Ohio Baptist Chautauque Assembly, Aug. 2-17. W. G. Archer, supt.
 Piqua (Midway Park, bet. Piqua and Troy)—First and second week of September. Wm. Schumacher, care Columbus Zoo, Columbus, Ohio.
 Smithville—Aug. 5-20. J. B. Eberley.
OKLAHOMA
 Kingfisher—Kingfisher Chautauque Assembly, June 1-11. J. E. Burns.
OREGON
 Ashland—July 12-24. G. F. Billings.
 Willamette Valley—July 11-23. H. E. Cross, Oregon City.
PENNSYLVANIA
 Eagles Mere—July 12-Sept. 6. E. E. Klem, Hughesville, Pa.
 Mt. Gretna—July 1-Aug. 7. Dr. N. O. Shaeffer, Harrisburg, Pa.
 Naomi Pines—July 27-Aug. 15. Dr. M. G. Brumbaugh, U. of Pa., Philadelphia, Pa.
 Pocomo Pines, July 27-Aug. 10. Rev. Rufus W. Miller, 1308 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa.
SOUTH DAKOTA
 Big Stone Lake—June 25-July 7. E. B. Gold, Big Stone City, S. D.
 Canton—June 29-July 9. Dr. N. A. Swickard.
 Madison—June 20-July 5. H. P. Smith.
TENNESSEE
 Monteagle—July 3-Aug. 25. Capt. M. B. Pilcher, Nashville, Tenn.
VIRGINIA
 Parcellville—Aug. 2-7. O. C. Garver, Hillsboro, Va.
 Shenandoah Valley—July 20-Aug. 4. A. P. Funkhouser, Harrisonburg, Va.
TEXAS
 Waxahachie—July 18-23. Rev. C. O. McConnell, Whitesboro, Tex.
WEST VIRGINIA
 Wheeling (Moundsville) Aug. 11-18. Rev. O. R. Graham.
WISCONSIN
 Chetek—July 14-24. J. W. Bell.
 Delavan—Aug. 2-13. W. A. Cochrane.
 Janesville—July 23-Aug. 6. H. M. Holbrook, Oak Park, Ill.
 Marinette—Aug. 4-18. Geo. W. Hanley.
 Madison—Monon's Lake, July 20-Aug. 2. Jas. E. Moeley, Madison.
 Racine—July 15-24. Jas. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
 Wausau—Camp Cleghorn Assembly, Aug. 8-25. H. A. Larson.
EXPOSITIONS
 Baltimore, Md.—Greater Baltimore Exposition and Carnival, June 12-July 1. B. R. Johnson, Piper bldg.
 Boston, Mass.—International Electrical Exhibition. Auspices Natl. Association of Electrical Contractors and Electrical Contractors' Assn. of Mass. July 15-22. Chester I. Campbell, mgr., 5 Park sq.
 East St. Louis, Ill.—Red Men's Mid-summer Exposition, July 2-9; Edgemont Park. Phil H. Traband.
 Milan, Italy—Exposition. April-Nov., 1905. Signor L. Sabbatini, sec. Mt. Sunapee, N. H.
 Mitchell, S. D.—Seventh Annual Corn Palace Exposition and Free Street Attractions. Sept. 25-30. L. O. Gale.
 Norfolk, Va.—Jamestown Tercentenary Exposition, May 1 to Dec. 1, 1907. C. Brooks Johnson, chairman executive committee pro tem.
 Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition, June 1-Oct. 15. H. W. Goode, pres.; Henry E. Reed, sec.
 Toronto, Can.—Industrial Exhibition, Aug. 28-Sept. 11.
 Washington, D. C.—Central American Exposition, Sept. 11.
HORSE SHOWS
 Berryville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 22-24.
 Brockton, Mass.—Brockton Fair Horse Show, Oct. 3-6.
 Charlottesville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 3-4.
 Culpeper, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 4-5.
 Fredericksburg, Va.—Fredericksburg Horse Show, July 12-13. Clarence R. Howard, sec.
 Front Royal, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 21-22.
 Georgetown, Ky.—Elks' Fair and Horse Show, July 25-29. S. J. Pulliam.
 Harrisonburg, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 15-17.
 Logansport, Ind.—Horse Show, July 4.
 Long Branch, N. Y.—Horse Show, July 26-29.
 Lynchburg, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Oct. 3-6.
 Macon, Ga.—Macon Fair Assn. Horse Show, Oct. 25-27. Winship Cabanis.

Manassas, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 20-27.
 Norfolk, Va.—Va. Horse Show Association, Oct. 16-21. C. O. Wrenn, pres.; C. W. Smith, mgr., box 247.
 Orange, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 31-Aug. 1.
 Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Exposition, Horse Show, Aug. 28-Sept. 8.
 Richmond, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Oct. 10-15.
 Upperville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 15-16.
 Warrentown, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 30-31.
LIVE STOCK SHOWS
 Buffalo, N. Y.—National Live Stock Assn. June 29-July 1. C. W. Baker, 153 Exchange bldg., Chicago.
 Portland, Ore.—Lewis & Clark Exposition Stock Show, Sept. 19-29.
FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENTS
 Armour, S. D.—State Firemen's Assn. Tournament, June 20-23. C. W. Glilis, Mitchell, S. D.
 Binghamton, N. Y.—Aug. 24.
 Blackduck Minn.—Northern Minn. Firemen's Tournament, June 20-23. L. G. Townsend, sec.
 Eveleth, Minn.—Aug. —
 Rice Lake, Wis.—State Firemen's Tournament, June 21-23. Harry L. Bone.
 Wausau, O.—Northern Ohio Firemen's Tournament, June 19-24. Smith Greater Am. Co. Webb City, Mo.—June 19-24.
BENCH SHOWS
 Dumont, N. Y.—Bench Show, Oct. 8-7. W. S. Shedman.
MISCELLANEOUS CELEBRATIONS
 Baltimore, Md.—Rebuilding Celebration, Sept. 10-16. J. Harry Tregoe, pres.
 Baltimore, Md.—Greater Baltimore Exposition, June 12-July 4. E. Brown.
 Boham, Tex.—Annual W. O. W. Log Rolling, Aug. 16-19. Cameron & Tarply.
 Denver, Col.—Celebration, June 21-July 1. Great Gaskill Shows. H. H. Daniels, loc. mgr.
 Downs, Kan.—Celebration Twenty-sixth Anniversary, July 27. L. E. Fugh, sec.
 Galveston, Tex.—Confederate Veterans' Annual Reunion, July 18-21. W. H. Johnson.
 Gouverneur, N. Y.—Old Home Week and Centennial Celebration, Aug. 24-30. H. C. Rogers, chrm.
 Indianapolis, Ind.—North American Gymnastic Union National Festival, June 21-28. Rudolph Zimmerman, 344 Sixteenth st., Milwaukee, Wis.
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 Mankato, Minn.—Midsummer Festival, July 3-5. John Donahue.
 Mt. Vernon, O.—Centennial Celebration, July 16, indef. H. H. Greer.
 Osceola, Ia.—M. W. A. Log Rolling, Aug. 17-19. Ray Wilson, lock box 131.
 Portland, Ore.—N. W. Sportsmen's Assn. Tournament, June 22-24. A. J. Winters, sec.
 St. Anthony, Minn.—Semi-Centennial of Organization of City Government, July 1. Territorial Pioneers' Assn. Native Sons of Minnesota, Junior Pioneers and the Masonic Lodge.
 Sliam Springs, Ark.—Twenty-fifth Annual Celebration, June 23-24. Dr. J. W. Webster.
 Wyoming, Ia.—Fiftieth Anniversary of Founding of the Town, Aug. 6-8. Civic Assn.
PICNICS
 Bonner Springs, Kan.—Picnic, July 3-5. H. M. Wise, mgr.
 Cleveland, O.—Third Annual Picnic of Knights of the Golden Eagle of Niles, June 24; Luna Park. Wm. Lethbridge, capt.
 Chester, W. Va.—Tenth Annual Picnic of K. G. E. of Niles, O. July 6; Rock Springs Park.
 Clinton, Ia.—Mystic Workers of the World Natl. Picnic, July 22. J. R. Adams, sec., Plano, Ill.
 Latoula, Ky.—C. N. & C. Mutual Aid Assn. June 24. Woost's Garden.
 Louisville, Ky.—Shepherds of Bethlehem, Woodland Grove, June 22. Mrs. Carrie Robinson, 614 E. Kentucky st.
 Oak Ridge, Pa.—13th Annual Harvest Home Picnic, Acola, Grove, Aug. 23-26. Bank Imp. Co., New Bethlehem.
 Osceola, Neb.—Polk County Fraternal Picnic Assn. Aug. 23. W. H. Weeden.
 Oysterburg, Pa.—Twentieth Annual Grangers' Encampment and Picnic, Aug. 16-18. Oster's Grove, Geo. W. Oster.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Odd Fellows' Orphans, June 21-22. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Sixteenth Ward Public Schools, June 29. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Augustine's Church and School, June 27. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Homewood Schools, June 29. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Brushwood Schools, June 30. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Michael's Church, July 12. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Herron Avenue Presbyterian Church, July 14. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Knights of The Mystic Chain, July 27. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Forty-sixth Street Baptist Church, Aug. 3. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Letter Carriers, Aug. 19. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Joseph's Orphan Home, Aug. 8. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Observatory Hill Christian Church Sunday School, July 18. Luna Park.
 Pittsburg, Pa.—Church of the Immaculate Heart, June 20. Luna Park.
 Walnut, Ia.—M. W. A. Picnic, Aug. 17. W. O. Githman.
 York City, Pa.—Modern Woodmen, June 17. Brookside Park.
 York City, Pa.—The O. H. Beneficial Society, July 4. Brookside Park.
 York City, Pa.—Luthera Sunday School of Dover, July 8. Brookside Park.
 York City, Pa.—Reformed Sunday School of Dover, July 15. Brookside Park.
 York City, Pa.—Mystic Chain Reunion, July 23. Brookside Park.

York City, Pa.—St. Mark's Lutheran Sunday School, East York, July 29. Brookside Park.
 York City, Pa.—Memorial Reformed Sunday School, June 24. Cold Spring Park.
 York City, Pa.—Ridge Avenue Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, July 1. Cold Spring Park.
 York City, Pa.—Haymakers' Assn., July 4. Cold Spring Park.
 York City, Pa.—Fifth United Brethren Sunday School, July 8. Cold Spring Park.
 York City, Pa.—Emigsville Sunday School, July 22. Cold Springs Park.
 York City, Pa.—Young People's Christian Union and the Fifth United Brethren Church of North York, Sept. 4. Cold Spring Park.
 York, Neb.—Fraternal Societies of York County Picnic, Aug. 24. A. G. Fruit.
 Youngstown, O.—Massillon F. H. O. July 26; Avon Park.
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FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS
 Agency, Ia.—Milo Reno.
 Alameda, Cal.—Alameda Advancement Assn., O. S. Neal.
 Alliance, Neb.—
 Altona, Ill.—F. C. Krabs, chrm.
 Appleton, Wis.—
 Aurora, Ind.—Auspices Firemen, I. W. McMullan.
 Bessemer, Col.—Pioneer Club.
 Brazil, Ind.—Arthur Davis.
 Brockton, Mass.—John A. Billings.
 Canal Dover, O.—Modern Woodmen of America.
 Carlisle, Ill.—Auspices Old Soldiers and Sailors.
 Carothersville, Mo.—Celebration and Free Street Fair, C. W. Dashman.
 Charleston, W. Va.—F. O. E., A. O. Potts.
 Chicago, Pa.—
 Corydon, Ind.—M. W. of A., W. H. Roose.
 Covington, Ind.—
 Danville, Pa.—Auspices City Firemen.
 Dayton, O.—
 Defiance, O.—Dedication New Library Building.
 Delaware, O.—Ancient Order of Hibernians.
 Dixon, Ill.—Wm. Kennedy, sec.
 Eldora, Ia.—W. E. Rathbone.
 Eminence, Ky.—Lodge No. 140, I. O. O. F.
 Enslin, Ala.—J. O. U. A. M.
 Evansville, Ind.—M. W. A.
 Fairmont, W. Va.—Retail Merchants' Assn.
 Findlay, O.—B. F. O. E.
 Fort Fairfield, Me.—J. P. Manning.
 Frankfort, Ind.—Rural Mail Carriers' Assn.
 Frankfort, Ky.—George B. Harper.
 Franklin, Neb.—C. Hildreth.
 Gallipolis, O.—M. J. Kaufman.
 Gillette, Wyo.—
 Greencastle, Ind.—Dedication of Court House.
 Hampton, Ia.—T. B. J. Robinson, pres. Business Men's Assn.
 Haywards, Cal.—
 Henderson, Ky.—B. P. O. E., B. E. Cook, sec.
 Hoxie, Ark.—Robert Allen.
 Jackson, Mich.—
 Jackson, O.—Business Men's Assn., F. T. Baldrige.
 Johnston, Pa.—Chas. Young.
 Knoxville, Tenn.—G. A. B., W. B. C., and S. of V.
 Lafayette, Ind.—Russell K. Bedgood.
 Lancaster, O.—W. E. Gray.
 Laporte City, Ia.—E. L. Maxwell.
 Lebanon, Ind.—C. D. Daily.
 Leesburg, Fla.—Board of Trade.
 Lewiston, Me.—
 Logansport, Ind.—Joe Reitemeier, Logansport Commercial Club.
 Los Angeles, Cal.—
 McArthur, O.—Business Men's Assn.
 Manchester, O.—Manchester Progressive Assn., Frank S. Carroll, sec.
 Mankato, Minn.—John Donahue.
 Mapleton, Minn.—Auspices Fire Department and Business Men's League.
 Marysville, Kan.—Geo. Mohrbacher.
 Mechanicsburg, Ill.—
 Menominee, Mich.—
 Merrillan, Wis.—O. M. Rickard.
 Middletown, O.—Richard Dowling.
 Mitchell, Ind.—Jos. A. Abel.
 Mt. Vernon, Ill.—
 Montgomery, W. Va.—Business Men's Assn. Francis Wilson.
 Moochie, Ga.—
 Munger, Mich.—Auspices Maccabees.
 Nebraska City, Neb.—F. O. E., M. H. Collins.
 Needham, Mass.—William F. Casey.
 Nevada, Ia.—Storey Co. Celebration.
 North Baltimore, O.—S. E. Nicer.
 Paducah, Ky.—Dr. Phil Stewart.
 Pana, Ill.—Auspices of Red Men.
 Papillion, Neb.—
 Pine Bluff, Ark.—Capt. J. B. Johnson, Board of Trade.
 Piqua, O.—
 Port Huron, Mich.—Trades and Labor Council.
 Portsmouth, O.—W. O. W. Camp No. 20.
 Princeton, Ind.—A. E. Burton.
 Rhinelander, Wis.—Max Zimmerman.
 Rockwell City, Ia.—O. L. Hedlund.
 St. Mary, O.—Auspices Eagles.
 San Jval, Ill.—Business Men's Assn., Ed. B. P. neil.
 Skowhegan, Me.—R. T. Patten.
 Spencer, Ind.—
 Sweetwater, Tenn.—
 Tecumseh, Neb.—
 Tipton, Ind.—Auspices The Orienta.
 Uniontown, Pa.—James Hadden.
 Urbana, O.—Judge Middleton, chrm.
 Utica, N. Y.—Henry Scheel, 156 Genesee st.
 Vandalia, Ill.—Chas. S. Scott.
 Warsaw, Ind.—O. W. Stott.
 West Baden Springs, Ind.—Baill B. Decker Post, G. A. B.

Wilmington, O.—N. M. Linton, sec. Matluee Club. Xenia, O.—Xenia Driving Club.

CONVENTIONS.

The following dates have been contributed since the publication of last issue.

COLORADO.

Colorado Springs—State Bar Assn. Con. June 29-30.

GEORGIA.

Cordle—Georgia Weekly Press Assn. Con. June 20-21. W. A. Shackelford, care "Echo," Lexington, Ky. Savannah—State Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. June 21-23. E. L. Almond, Social Circle, Ga.

INDIANA.

Indianapolis—State Dental Assn. Con. June 27-29. Dr. Karl Lucas.

KANSAS.

Fort Scott—M. W. of A. State Con. June —. Topeka—State Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. June 27-29. L. M. Pennell.

KENTUCKY.

Mammoth Cave—State Educational Assn. Con. June 21-23. M. O. Wintrev, pres., Middleborough, Ky.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Gloucester—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 20-22. J. F. Gnerin, Worcester, Mass.

MICHIGAN.

Detroit—Western Paper Box Mfrs.' Assn. Con. June 20. W. P. Holiday. Ironwood—Honor and Temperance Gr. Temple Con. June 23-24. Andrew Nicholls, 8 Maple St., Calumet, Mich. Petoskey—State Medical Assn. Con. June 28-30. Dr. John Beycroft.

MINNESOTA.

Mloneapolis—American Camera Club Exchange Con. Aug. 7-11. L. T. Brodstone, Superior, Neb. Minneapolis—Stamp Collectors' Protective Assn. of America Con. Aug. 7-11. L. T. Brodstone, Superior, Neb.

MISSOURI.

Kansas City—Southwestern Amateur Press Assn. July —. G. R. Cutts, 1131 Emerson Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. Sedalia—B. P. Y. U. State Con. June 20. Milford Biggs, Lexington, Mo.

NEBRASKA.

Lincoln—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 3-4. F. H. Cunningham, South Omaha, Neb.

NEW JERSEY.

Asbury Park—State Medical Assn. Con. June (last week). W. B. Chaodler, S. Orange, N. J. Asbury Park—State Sunday-School Assn. Con. July 8-15. Rev. E. M. Ferguson, 835 Board st., Newark, N. J. Cape May—State Editorial Assn. Con. June 23-25. J. D. Carpenter, Woodbury, N. J. Trenton—G. A. R. State Encampment. June 22-23. J. R. Durrell.

NEW YORK.

Lake Placid—County Superintendents of the Poor State Con. June 20-23. I. W. Ives, Iowa Village, L. I. Saratoga Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June (last week). Syracuse—G. A. R. Department Encampment. June 21-22. Wm. Sears, care City Hall, Syracuse—Ladies of the G. A. R. State Con. June 26-27. Mrs. Adelaide L. Titus, Penn Yan, N. Y.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Asheville—Virginia Press Assn. Con. July 4-8. J. L. Hart, Farmville, Va.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Grand Forks—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June 27. J. F. Thompson. Grand Forks—Royal Arch Masons Gr. Chapter Con. June 29. F. J. Thompson.

OHIO.

Marion—Y. P. A. State Con. June 27-29. Rev. L. B. Myers, 210 S. High st. Put-in-Bay—State Teachers' Assn. Con. June (last week.) Springfield—A. and S. R. Masons' Supreme Council Con. Aug. 14-16. A. J. George, 49 Sherman ave. Urbana—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 27-29. W. M. Tudor, 543 E. Ward at.

OREGON.

Oregon City—G. A. R. State Encampment. June 20-23. G. E. Gankin, Portland, Ore. Portland—State Press Assn. Con. June 26-27. Albert Tosier.

RHODE ISLAND.

North Scituate—State Sunday-School Teachers' Summer School Con. July 15-21. Willard B. Wilson, 17 Ouston st., Providence. E. I.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Aberdeen—Knights Templar Gr. Commandery Con. June 16. George A. Fettigraw, Flandreau, S. D. Aberdeen—Sons of Veterans State Con. June 20-22.

TENNESSEE.

Memphis—Order Eastern Star Gr. Chapter Con. June 20-23. W. S. Thompson, 1806 Demonbreau st., Nashville, Tenn.

TEXAS.

Galveston—State Cotton Seed Crushers' Assn. Con. June 20-22. E. H. Young.

VIRGINIA.

Norfolk—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 10. W. H. Washington, Manchester, Va.

WASHINGTON.

Bellingham—Knights Templar Gr. Commandery Con. June 21. Vancey C. Bialock, Walla Walla, Wash. Long Beach—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 18-20. W. P. Bonney, Tacoma, Wash.

WEST VIRGINIA.

White Sulphur Springs—State Educational Assn. Con. June 27-29. A. J. Wilkinson, Grafton, W. Va.

WISCONSIN. Eau Claire—State Postoffice Clerks' Assn. Con. July 4. Oscar Doppler, Baraboo, Wis. Madison—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 9-11. Henry Rollman, Clinton, Wis. Milwaukee—Master Sheet Metal Workers' Assn. Con. Aug. 9-11. W. H. Barnard, Norfolk, Va.

CANADA.

Montreal—Illinois State Billposters' Assn. Con. July 11-13.

CONVENTIONS

Reunions, Conclaves, Assemblies

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ALABAMA.

Gadsden—Epworth League State Con. June —. Montgomery—Gr. Lodge of the G. U. O. of O. F. Con. Aug. 1. W. T. Breeding.

ARKANSAS.

Hot Springs—State Local Fire Insurance Agents' Con. June —. J. R. Hampton. Hot Springs—State Press Assn. Con. June 18-19. J. B. Jobe, Little Rock, Ark. Pine Bluff—State Sunday School Con. June 18-19. W. Fred. Long, 809 W. 5th st., Little Rock, Ark. Texarkana—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 11. W. L. Purifry, Forest City, Ark.

CALIFORNIA.

Delmonte—Commercial Law League of America Con. July —. Los Angeles—W. C. T. U. Con. July —. San Francisco—International Freshmen's Assn. Con. June 19. J. H. Borburg, 2482 1/2 Market st. San Francisco—American Surgical Assn. Con. July 5-7. D. T. Allen, Cleveland, O. San Francisco—American Christian Missionary Society Con. Aug. 17-24. Benjamin L. Smith, Y. M. C. A. bldg., Cincinnati, O. San Francisco—Natl. Butter Makers' Assn. Con. Oct. 1. Santa Barbara—State Stationary Engineers' Assn. Con. June 23-25. W. T. Curl, 820 S. Grifina ave., Los Angeles.

COLORADO.

Boulder—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 4. Harry E. Niven, Berthoud, Col. Colorado Springs—State Dental Assn. Con. June —. Dr. Harry W. Bates, 237 Majestic bldg., Denver, Col. Denver—Natl. Railroad Agents' Assn. Con. July —. N. A. Cottrell, Blismark, Mo. Denver—Ladies of the G. A. R. Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Mrs. Mary T. Huger, pres., St. Louis, Mo. Deover—Women's Relief Corps Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Helen M. Ayler, Concord, N. H. Deover—Train Dispatchers' Assn. of America Con. June 20. J. P. Mackie, 7042 Stewart ave., Chicago, Ill. Denver—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Con. June —. W. E. Lawlor, Trinidad, Col. Deover—Fraternal Order of Eagles Gr. Aerle Con. Aug. 16. A. E. Partridge, Kansas City, Mo. Denver—American Osteopathic State Con. Aug. 15-20. Dr. H. L. Childs, Auburn, N. Y. Denver—G. A. R. Con. Sept. 4-7. J. E. Gilmao, Boston, Mass. Deover—Natl. Wool Growers' Con. June —. Deover—Epworth League Con. July 5-9. E. M. Randall, 37 Washington st., Chicago, Ill. Trinidad—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 8. W. S. O'Brien, 210 Continental bldg., Deover, Col.

CONNECTICUT.

Bridgeport—Sons of St. George Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 9. W. A. Cente, 83 Bishop st., New Haven, Conn. Bridgeport—Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-18. Miss J. B. Strobbler, 68 Suburban ave., Stamford, Conn. Hartford—Natl. Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-19. Miss Emma Barnett, Rich Valley, Ind. Hartford—Natl. Y. P. C. U. Con. July 12-19. Meriden—22nd Annual Con. of the Ct. State Firemen's Assn. June 14-15. J. S. Jones. Stamford—Jr. O. U. of M. State Council Con. Sept. 23. H. N. Marvin, 83 Gibbs st., New Haven, Conn.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington—State Medical Society Con. June 11-15. John Palmer, M. D.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa. Washington—Natl. Electionists' Assn. Con. June 28. Robert I. Fulton, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, O. Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa. Washington—Sons of Veterans' Inter-State Encampment. June 20-21. F. E. Cross.

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville—Turpentina Operators' Natl. Con. Sept. 13-14. J. A. Hollomon. Tampa—State Board of Pharmacy Con. June 15. E. Berger, room 14, First Natl. Bank bldg.

GEORGIA.

Atlanta—Old Time Telegraphers' Assn. Con. Sept. 20-22. Jno. Brant, 195 Broadway, New York City. Atlanta—Teachers of Colored Youth's Natl. Assn. Con. June 29-30. F. G. Smith. Blakely—Epworth League State Conf. June 15-18. Rev. W. H. Bodd. Fitzgerald—Retail Grocers' Assn. of Georgia Con. July 11-12. John Bratton, 1428 Empire bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Forest Park—Veterans' Assn. of 30th Georgia Regimental Annual Reunion. July 23. A. P. Jamson. Macon—Annual State Horticultural Society Con. Aug. 1. Chas. T. Smith, Concord, Ga. Macon—League of Ga. Municipalities Con. Aug. (2nd wk.) Bridge Smith. Moultrie—B. Y. P. U. State Con. June 20-23. A. M. Bennett. Savannah—J. O. O. C. Sup. Lodge Con. July 11-13. W. D. Armstrong, 419 Bolton st.

Savannah—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 13. F. M. Cohen. IDAHO.

Boise—Gr. Lodge of Idaho A. F. & A. M. Annual Con. Sept. 12. Theo. W. Randall. Coeur D'Alene City—Grand Army Encampment. June 21. J. J. Whittier. Coeur D'Alene—Women's Relief Corps Department Con. June 21. Mary O. Dalven, pres. Saopoint—Lumbermen's Con. June 15-17. J. Asheln.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago—Advertising Novelty Mfrs.' Assn. Con. Sept. 5-7. Ben E. Strooe, Coshocton, O. Chicago—American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers Con. July 7-8. Secretary, Box 1818, New York City. Chicago—Natl. Baptist Con. Sept. 18. W. L. Casulin, Nashville, Tenn. Chicago—State Homopathic Assn. Con. June —. Burton Hazelton, 482 N. Clark st. Chicago—Reunion Army of the Philippines Natl. Society. Aug. —. T. E. Duncan, Kansas City, Mo. Chicago—Natl. Archery Assn. Con. Aug. 15-17. Ed. B. Weston, M. D., pres. Chicago—American Institute of Homeopathy. June 26/July 1. Chas. Getchell, M. D., 100 State st. Chicago—Natl. German American Teachers' Assn. Con. July —. Alexis Mueller, Lockport, N. Y. Chicago—Inland Daily Press Assn. Con. June 20. Will V. TuFord, sec and treas., Mason City, Ia. Chicago—Natl. Jesuit Alumni. July —. J. B. Denver, Equitable bldg., St. Louis, Mo. Chicago—American Whist League Congress Con. July 10. Chicago—American Swedish Singers Union Con. July 20-23. Herman Nordberg, 1514 Belmont ave. Chicago—Natl. Telephone Con. June 20-21. J. B. Hoge, Electric bldg., Cleveland, O. Chicago—Shirt, Waist and Laundry Workers' International Union Con. Aug. 8. John J. Manning, box 11, Sta. 1, Troy, N. Y. Chicago—Maltsters' Assn. of U. S. Con. Aug. 1. J. J. Pank, 263 LaSalle st. Chicago—Daughters of Liberty Natl. Council Con. Aug. 15. Mrs. Jennie Knapp, Whitling, Ind. Chicago—Wholesale Saddlery Assn. of the U. S. Con. June 12-16. W. R. Stone, Rochester, N. Y. Chicago—International Hahnemannian Assn. Con. June 22-24. J. B. E. King, 6718 Westworth ave. Chicago—Woman's Prohibition Club of America Gen. Council Con. June 21-22. Miss Emma B. Walker, Decatur, Ill. Chicago—Labor Con. June 27. Eugene V. Debs. Chicago—Amalgamated St. Railway Employees. Oct. —. W. D. Labon, 221 Mitchell ave., Detroit, Mich. Chicago—International Glove Workers of America Con. Aug. 1. A. H. Cosselman, 43 First ave., Gloversville, N. Y. Chicago—Stereotypers and Electrotypers' Assn. Con. Aug. 8. George W. Williams, 534 Warren st., Boston, Mass. Chicago—College Editors' Natl. Con. June —. H. M. Pratt, Iowa City, Ia. Joliet—Krieger Societies' Natl. Con. Aug. 25-26. Wm. Grohne. Joliet—Gr. Observatory North Star Benefit Assn. Con. July 18-19. G. L. Peterson, Moline, Ill. Joliet—German Army and Navy Assn. of N. A. Con. Aug. —. Mills Shoals—Reunion. Aug. 8-12. Dr. Merich, pres. Peoria—28th Annual Con. of State Retail Liquor Dealers' Assn. September —. M. J. McCarthy, 109 Randolph at., Chicago, Ill. Quincy—International Mill Workers' Con. June 18. W. E. Kellington, Minneapolis, Minn. Rock Island—Natl. Fraternal Tribunes Con. July 11. Robert Bezdale. Springfield—State Undertakers' Assn. Con. June 13-16. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill. Springfield—Y. P. S. E. State Con. July 7-12. H. H. Marcusson, 1221 Assn. Bldg., Chicago, Ill. Springfield—Y. P. S. O. E. State Con. July 7-12. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill.

INDIANA.

Anderson—U. A. O. D. Gr. Grove Con. June —. Stephen I. Wright, 1622 Lee st., Indianapolis, Ind. French Lick Springs—State Editorial Assn. Con. July —. W. S. Chambers, care Democrat, New Castle, Ind. Fort Wayne—State Federation of Labor Con. Sept. 20-29. J. W. Peters, 807 LaSalle st., South Bend, Ind. Indianapolis—Ancient O. Accepted Scottish Rite Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of U. S. Con. Sept. 19-21. James H. Golding, 123 Stewart bldg., New York City. Indianapolis—P. O. S. of A. State Camp Con. Aug. 2. Sam D. Symmes, Crawfordsville, Ind. Indianapolis—Knights & Ladies of Honor Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 18. Geo. D. Tait. Indianapolis—Natl. Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. Sept. —. W. F. Tumber, Lockport, N. Y. Indianapolis—Natl. Turn. Teachers' Con. June —. Dr. Arthur Knoeb, Cincinnati, O. Madison—Women's Relief Corps and Ladies of G. A. R. Con. June 13-16. Madison—G. A. R. State Encampment. June 13-15. C. W. Scott, Warsaw, Ind. New Albany—Knights of Fidelity Gr. Grove Con. Aug. —. J. C. Becker. Richmond—International Friends Educational Con. July 31-Aug. 3. Robt. L. Kelly, Earlham College. Rising Sun—Remon Masonic Assn. June —. Robert C. Nelson. South Bend—Knights of Equity Natl. Con. June 26-27. Wm. T. Dooley, 1006 The Majestic, Detroit, Mich. Seymour—Indiana Jurisdiction of Council Young Men's Institute. Aug. 22. W. M. Fogarty. Seymour—Woodmen's Encampment. Sept. 4-9. Terre Haute—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 7-9. H. S. Foulker. Terre Haute—Glass Bottle Blowers' Union of U. S. and Canada Con. July 10. Wm. Lauer, 961 Witherspoon bldg., Philadelphia, Pa. West Baden—Natl. Water Works' Assn. Con. June 14-15. George C. Seager, Rochester, N. Y. West Baden—American Nurserymen's Assn. Con. June 14-16. Winchester—Gr. Castle & Gr. Temple K. G. B. & L. Golden Eagle Con. Sept. 5. E. M.

Harlan, Gr. Master of Records, Union City, Ind. Winslow—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 9-12. Address Geo. P. Burch, adjt., P. O. box 349, IOWA.

Arbor Hill—Old Settlers and Soldiers' Reunion. Sept. (2nd wk.) C. O. Stewart, sec. Burlington—League of Ia. Municipalities Con. Sept. 13. F. G. Pierce, Marshalltown, Ia. Cedar Falls—United Danish Lutheran Church of America Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. P. Jensen. Cedar Rapids—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Council Con. June 9-10. Chas. E. Gimstead, Sioux City, Ia. Clinton—State German American Editorial Assn. Con. Sept. —. Henry Heinz. Davenport—Carlow Alumni Assn. of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. 28. Rev. John Phelps, Marcus, Ia. Davenport—Central Shooting Societies of N. A. Con. June 15-18. Frank Berg. Des Moines—Lutheran Augustana Synod of N. A. Con. June —. Des Moines—Iowa Christian Con. June 22-25. Rev. J. Nichols, Winton, Ia. Iowa City—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. Sept. 28. Alfred Wingate, Des Moines, Ia. Iowa City—State Health Assn. Con. June 12-14. Dr. C. T. Lensen, Mt. Airy, Ia. Stanton—Swedish Lutheran of the U. S. and Canada Con. June 9-16. John G. Dahlberg, 970 35th st., Rock Island, Ill. Waterloo—United Danish Lutheran Church of America Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. P. Jensen.

KANSAS.

Louisville—Reunion Southern War Veterans. June 14-17. B. H. Young. Topeka—Royal Neighbors of America Sup. Camp Con. June —. Mrs. Minnie Fielder, Peoria, Ill.

KENTUCKY.

Ashland—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. July 25-28. D. Owen Robinson, care W. A. Gaines & Co., Frankfort, Ky. Beattyville—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 12. M. G. Bae, state sec., Vanceburg, Ky. Greenvp—Knights of the Golden Eagle Gr. Castle Con. Aug. —. F. M. Griffin. Louisville—United Confederate Veterans' State Reunion. June 14-16. N. R. Tiald, Rank, Tex. Richmond—Rebekah State Assembly. Sept. 27-28. Mrs. Corinne C. Graham, 1006 Sixth ave., Louisville, Ky.

LOUISIANA.

Portland—State Homeopathic Medical Society Con. June —. Cora Johnson, M. D., Shawhegan, Me. Shreveport—State Con. of Y. P. S. O. E. June —. Miss Ann M. Watson, Bunkie, La.

MAINE.

Orono—Epworth League State Con. June 29-30. Horace B. Haskell. Portland—Knights of Templars' Sup. Camp Con. Oct. 18. Chas. A. Maxwell, 3 Cedar st.

MARYLAND.

Baltimore—Natl. Amateur Oarman Assn. Con. Aug. 11-12. Frank Fitzmeyer, box 746, New York City. Baltimore—Christian Endeavor Workers' Natl. Con. July 5-10. W. M. Robinson, 321 W. Carrollton ave. Baltimore—Y. T. S. E. International Con. July 5-10. VanOrden, Tremont Temple, Western Mass. Hagerstown—State Bar Assn. Con. June 28-30. Secretary, 102 E. Lexington st., Baltimore, Md. Westminster—P. O. S. of A. State Con. Aug. 8. P. B. Eaglar, Taneytown, Md.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston—State Electrical Contractors' Assn. Con. July 19. W. H. Morton, 44 Waterhouse st., Utica, N. Y. Boston—Home Circle Sup. Council Con. June 21. Jules M. Swada, 129 Tremont st. Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. —. Theo. H. Cannon, 1227 Stock Exchange, Chicago, Ill. Boston—Northwestern Federation of Women's Clubs Con. Aug. —. Mrs. G. C. Esobian, Compton pl. Boston—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 19. Martin M. Wood, 118 Sixth st., Leominster, Mass. Boston—Natl. Loomfixers' Assn. Con. Sept. 12. John J. Purcell, 191 Davis st., New Bedford, Mass. Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters' International Con. Aug. 1. Theo. F. McManis, 1231 Stock Exchange bldg., Chicago, Ill. Boston—Photographers' Assn. of American States Con. Aug. 8-11. J. M. Bandel, Milwaukee, Wis. Boston—International Steel, Copper and Plate Printers' Con. June 21. T. L. Mahan, 619 S st., northwest, Washington, D. C. Worcester—Dames of Malta Sovereigns Grand Body Con. June 12. Fred W. Bacon, Knappton, Mass.

MICHIGAN.

Benton Harbor—Order of Patrician Sup. Court Con. July 25. F. H. Platt, Tawas, Mich. Benton Harbor, Mich. Detroit—International Assn. of Factory Inspectors' Con. Aug. —. A. C. Bushan, Milwaukee, Wis. Detroit—International League of Peace Clubs July 1. Henry Star Richardson, ex. Sec'y News, Philadelphia, Pa. Detroit—Dramatic Order of Knights of Klor Assn. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. —. E. W. Bekling, 407 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo. Detroit—Eastern Star Benevolent Fund of America Con. Aug. 22. Miss M. E. Crowe. Detroit—Order of the Star of Bechammas Sup. Gr. Commandery of N. A. Con. June 28. T. J. Coover. Detroit—State Dental Assn. Con. June —. L. LeGro, Three River, Mich. Detroit—State Gas Assn. Con. Sept. 29. E. W., Douglas, Ann Arbor, Mich. Detroit—Universal Craftsmen's Council of Engineers' Con. Aug. 14-16. Robt. G. Bingham, Whitner bldg., Cleveland, O. Detroit—D. O. K. E. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. 15-18. H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway st., St. Louis, Mo. Grand Rapids—Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers' Assn. Con. July 25-27. Grand Rapids—Master Butchers of America Con. Aug. 1. C. Christofferson, Onasha, Minn.

Jackson—Rathbone Sisters Gr. Temple Con. Sept. 18. Mrs. Ethel A. Henbrick, Middleville, Mich.

MINNESOTA.

Duluth—Fraternal Order of Eagles, State Con. June 15-18. W. E. Brown, 417 W. Superior st.

MISSISSIPPI.

Meridian—A. O. U. W. International Con. Aug. 16. Jos. March, any, Ga.

MISSOURI.

Grand City—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 15-18. F. P. Houser.

MONTANA.

Anacosta—B. P. O. E. State Con. June — Harry O'Gorman.

NEBRASKA.

Cambridge—Annual Southwest G. A. R. Reunion. Aug. 25-31. Chas. Munsel.

NEVADA.

Carson City—I. O. O. F. Gr. Lodge Con. June 20. Wm. Sutherland, Virginia City, Nev.

Portsmouth—Y. P. S. E. State Con. Sept. 27-28. Herbert Kendall, Nashua, N. H.

NEW JERSEY.

Asbury Park—Sons of Temperance Natl. Division Con. July 12-13. Rose Black, 1-3 Rose st., Trenton, N. J.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Portsmouth—A. & I. Order Knights of Malters Grand Commandery Con. June 15. Thomas D. Sale, 45 Exchange st., Portland, Me.

NEW YORK.

Albany—State Independent Telephone Assn. Con. June 21-22. T. S. Lane.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Asheville—Kappa Alpha Fraternity Con. June 27-29. E. C. Smith, Esling, N. C.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Fargo—N. D. Assn. Con. R. P. Y. U. July 16. E. P. Johnson, Bolla, N. D.

OHIO.

Blanchester—Y. P. O. U. State Con. June — Rev. S. G. Ayres, 620 June st., Cincinnati, O.

New York City—Assn. of American Railway Accounting Officers' Con. June 23.

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OREGON.

Portland—Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo Con. Sept. 8-12. J. H. Baird, Nashville, Tenn.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Allentown—Dames of Malta Sup. Con. Sept. 18. Hattie F. Randolph, 828 Saratoga st., E. Boston, Mass.

Cleveland—American Society of Civil Engineers' Con. June 28-29. Charles Warren Hunt, 229 W. 57th st., New York City.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Allentown—Dames of Malta Sup. Con. Sept. 18. Hattie F. Randolph, 828 Saratoga st., E. Boston, Mass.

Johnston—A. O. K. of M. C. Select Castle Con. Sept. 12. J. J. Davis, box 256, Pittsburg, Pa. Milton—S. of V. State Enc. June 12-16. W. B. Godcharles. Milton—S. of V. State Con. June —. H. Fawney, N. E. Cor. Broad and Arch sts., Philadelphia, Pa. Osterberg—20th Annual Grangers' Encampment. Aug. 15-18. Geo. W. Oster, gen. mgr. Philadelphia—United Order of Red Men Natl. Con. Sept. —. George Beaser, N. Y. C. Philadelphia—I. O. O. F. Sovereign Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 16. Frank Grant, Baltimore, Md. Philadelphia—I. O. O. F. Sovereign Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 18-23. J. H. Mackay, Odd Fellows' Temple. Philadelphia—Natl. Zionists' Con. June 16. Philadelphia—Internat'l Brotherhood of Teamsters' Con. Aug. 7. E. L. Turley, 147 Market st., Indianapolis, Ind. Philadelphia—State Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. June 14-15. F. A. Hookey, 1926 N. 6th st. Philadelphia—Women's Single Tax League Natl. Con. June 15-17. Dr. Charlotte M. Dickens. Philadelphia—Knights of the Red Branch Sup. Commandery. Aug. 27-29. P. B. Braser, Troy, Pa. Pittsburg—Natl. Gymnastic Clubs' Con. June —. Pittsburg—Lutheran Church Genl. Synod Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. K. Fenner, 23 W. Pearl st., Cincinnati, O. Ridgeway—I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge Con. July 18-21. A. A. Anderson, McKeesport, Pa. Siltstington—Firemen's Con. June 17. Wilkesbarre—Natl. Assn. Nevadaleers, Booksellers and Stationers of the U. S. Con. Aug. 29-30. M. E. Golde, 1017 Sixth ave., New York City. Wilkesbarre—Catholic Total Abstinence Union Con. Aug. 9-11. J. Washington Logna, 1500 Girard bldg., Philadelphia, Pa. Williamsport—G. W. O. of Odd Fellows Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 12-13. J. M. Stafford, 89 Market st., Marietta, Pa. York—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. Aug. 2-3. W. G. Woods, R. F. D. No. 3.

RHODE ISLAND.

Hartford—V. P. Union of Universalists Society Con. July 12-19. Harry Adams Hersey, Providence, R. I. Narragansett Pier—American Bar Assn. Con. Aug. 23-25. John Hinkey, 215 No. Charles st., Baltimore, Md. Narragansett Pier—American Bar Assn. Con. Aug. 23-25. John Hinkey, 215 Charles st., Baltimore, Md. Narragansett Pier—American Railway Accounting Officers' Con. Aug. 30. C. G. Phillips, 79 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill. Nat'l Con. Aug. 18. J. B. Davis, 5512 Woodland ave., Philadelphia, Pa. Westerley—R. I. S. of Labor Con. Sept. 18. Walter A. Clarke.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Aberdeen—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June —. George Pettigrew, Sioux Falls, S. D. Aberdeen—Royal Arch Masons Grand Chapter Con. June 15. Aberdeen—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 21-23. J. H. Hauser. Aberdeen—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. Aug. —. E. C. Bent, Dell Rapids. Bristol—I. O. G. T. Lodge Con. June 22-23. Eva B. Williams, Watertown, S. D. Deadwood—Natl. Railroad Commissioners' Assn. Aug. 16. Edward A. Moosely, Washington, D. C. Grand Forks—Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter Con. June 26-30. Mrs. Florence M. Hoskins, Bismark, N. D. Sioux Falls—State Sheriff's Assn. Con. July 18. Howard H. Cole, Aberdeen, S. D. Watertown—State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 14-15. H. L. Sheldon.

TENNESSEE.

Bon Aqua Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July —. E. F. Trolinger, Bell Buckle, Tenn. Chattanooga—Order of Select Knights Natl. Con. Aug. —. Geo. A. Staples, 825 Elliott sq., Buffalo, N. Y. Lebanon—Epworth League State Conf. June —. Paul B. Kern, 1915 Broad st., Nashville, Tenn. Lookout Mountain—State Bar Assn. Con. July 15-17. Robt. Lusk, Nashville, Tenn. Memphis—F. & A. M. Grand Lodge Con. June 19-23. W. S. Thompson, 1315 Demonbreau st., Nashville, Tenn. Memphis—Order Eastern Star Grand Chapter Con. June 20-23. W. S. Thompson, 1305 Demonbreau st., Nashville, Tenn. Memphis—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. June 19-20. W. S. Thompson, 1305 Demonbreau st., Nashville, Tenn. Memphis—Mosaic Templars of America Natl. Gr. Temple Con. July 18. J. E. Bush, Little Rock, Ark. Memphis—Natl. Credit Men's Assn. Con. June 14-16. Chas. E. Meek, 29 Liberty st. Memphis Natl. Congregational Workers' Con. Sept. —. Rev. O. Feduma, Troy, N. C. Nashville—I. O. E. M. Grt. Council of U. S. S. Con. Sept. 11. Wilson Brooks, 234 LaSalle st., Chicago, Ill. Nashville—I. O. E. M. Grt. Chief of Records Natl. Con. Sept. —. Nashville—U. R. Jr. O. U. A. M. Supreme Commandery Con. June 19. O. D. Hauptreaver, 1110 E. 4th st., Canton, O.

TEXAS.

Austin—State Postmasters' Assn. Con. June —. T. L. Wren. Austin—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 18-19. L. M. Mitchell. Bonham—Ninth Annual Reunion Confederate Veterans. July 18-23. A. J. Stevenson. Calvert—Knights of Honor of the World Gr. Lodge Con. June 27-30. J. H. Foster. College Station—Texas Farmers' Congress Con. June 13-15. R. H. Walker, Gonzalez, Tex. Harford—Alumni of the American College in Denton—North Texas Medical Assn. Con. June 20-21. H. L. Moore, Von Alstree, Tex. Galveston—International Retail Clerks' Protective Assn. Con. July 11. Max Morris, box 158, Denver, Col. Gatesville—Confederate Veterans' 7th Annual Reunion. July 18-21. W. H. Johnson.

VERMONT.

Burlington—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June 14-15. Olin W. Daley, White River Junction, Vt.

Middleburg—Knights of Honor Gr. Lodge Con. July 12. O. S. Piper, Brattleboro, Vt. Richford—Sons of Veterans' State Encampment. June 13-15. F. W. Spear, Bennington, Vt. Richford—Sons of Veterans' Auxiliary State Con. June 13-15. Lucy Huntley, Lyndonville, Vt. Rutland—Marble Workers of the U. S. and Canada Con. July 6. Henry Roberts, 278 Porter, st., Detroit, Mich.

VIRGINIA.

Bristol—Baptist State Sunday School Con. Aug. —. Nelson Williams, Richmond, Va. Richmond—State Local Fire Insurance Assn. Con. July —. H. P. Trice.

WASHINGTON.

Bellingham—Order Eastern Star Gr. Chapter Con. June 15-16. Mrs. Mary E. Cede. Bellingham—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. June 19. W. C. Willcox. Seattle—League of American Sportsmen' Con. June —. Vancouver—Rebekah State Assembly. June 5. Nellie M. Knoff, Seattle, Wash. Vancouver—Sons of Veterans' Inter-State Encampment. June 20. Col. M. Johnson, Astoria, Wash. Vancouver—Women's Relief Corps Con. of Wash. & Alaska. June —. E. M. Day, Bellingham, Wash.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Elkins—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 20. Brent Shriver, New Martinsville, W. Va. Fairmont—State Bankers' Assn. Con. June —. C. T. Hitebaw, Parkersburg, W. Va. Parkersburg—Knights of the Golden Eagle Gr. Castle Con. Sept. 8. L. S. Wigal, Guyandotte, W. Va. Webster Springs—State Editorial Assn. Con. June —. Orman Randall, Burnsville, W. Va. White Sulphur Springs—American Fisheries Society Con. July 23-27. John D. Whish, Albany, N. Y.

WISCONSIN.

Blanchardville—Y. P. C. U. of the U. B. Church State Con. June 22-25. Rev. G. E. Chapman, pres., Ontario, Wis. Green Bay—Fraternal Order of Eagles' Third Annual State Con. June 13-16. L. C. Saavely. La Crosse—State Medical Society Con. June —. C. S. Sheldon, Madison, Wis. Madison—State Stationary Engineers' Assn. Con. June 16-18. Peter Ganer, care Water Works, Racine, Wis. Merrill—Sons of Hermann State Con. Aug. 18. Fred Renter, 509 3rd st. Milwaukee—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June 13-15. W. W. Perry, 466 Jefferson st. Milwaukee—Brass Band Con. June 18. Major Harwig, Mayville, Wis. Milwaukee—State Millers' Assn. Con. July —. E. J. Lachmama, Neenah, Wis. Milwaukee—State Grain Shippers. Assn. Con. July 20. M. E. Potter, 49 Mitchell Bldg. Milwaukee—Natl. Harness Mfrs. and Dealers' Protective Assn. Con. Aug. 14-16. G. M. Scherer, Cincinnati, O. Milwaukee—Natl. Wholesale Grocers' Assn. Con. June 23-29. Wm. Jodson, Grand Rapids, Mich. Milwaukee—U. O. of Foresters Supreme Court. July 17. E. W. Dennison, Hathaway bldg. Milwaukee—Modern Woodmen of America Natl. Con. June 23-24. O. W. Hawkes, Rock Island, Ill. Milwaukee—German War Veterans' Society of U. S. Con. July 2-4. Max Hottel, 107 Wisconsin st. Milwaukee—Natl. Woodmen of America Con. June —. Wk. 19. Milwaukee—Royal Neighbors of American Con. June 20-24. Anna P. Lister, Peoria, Ill. Milwaukee—American Press Humorists' Con. Wm. F. Kirk. Milwaukee—Natl. Waltham League Con. July 16-20. F. P. Strage, 1533 Chestnut st. Milwaukee—Northwestern Mutual Life Underwriters' Con. July 18-20. D. E. Murphy, cr. Murphy & Surba. Milwaukee—United Spanish War Veterans' Con. Sept. 7-9. Wm. E. English, 102 Monument pl., Indianapolis, Ind. Milwaukee—American Gas Light Assn. Con. Oct. 18-20. George G. Randall, 530 Broadway, New York City. Milwaukee—Lutheran Genl. Council. Oct. 12. Rev. S. E. Oneford, Allentown, Pa. Milwaukee—Local Clerks, Modern Woodmen of America Con. June 17-19. W. T. Copeland, Lima, O. Milwaukee—Improved Order of Heptasophia Sup. Conclve. June 13-17. S. H. Tattersall, Baltimore, Md. Oshkosh—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Council Con. June —. Fred Vandewater, Janesville, Wis. Oshkosh—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. June 20-21. E. W. Weisbrod. Racine—State League of Municipalities Con. Aug. 23. M. W. Sackett, Meadville, Pa. Rice Lake—State Firemen's Assn. Con. June 3rd wk. F. H. Henry, Jefferson, Wis.

WYOMING.

Cheyenne—K. of P. Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 2. W. W. Paterson, Gr. Chancellor.

CANADA.

Belleville, Ont.—Belleville Old Boys' Reunion. July 24-25. Arthur McGlania. Halifax, N. S.—I. O. O. F. Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 9. J. C. Frasse. Joliette, Quebec—I. O. F. High Court of Quebec Con. Sept. —. John W. Stocks, box 664 Sherbrooke, Quebec. London, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion. Aug. 7-12. H. C. McCann. Montreal—American Society of Municipal Improvements Con. Sept. —. Geo. W. Tilson, Municipal bldg., Brooklyn, N. Y. Montreal—Canadian Electrical Assn. Con. June —. C. H. Mortimer, Toronto, Can. Montreal, Que.—Associated Billposters and Dist. of U. S. and Canada Con. July 11-14. Charles Bernard, 1515 Tribune bldg., Chicago, Ill. Mneka, Ont.—International Accident Underwriters' Assn. Con. July 18-21. Paris, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion. Aug. 14-19. G. B. Stewart Jones, gen. sec. Perth, Ont.—Old Boys' Reunion. June 30. July 3. Address Chas. F. Stone. Toronto, Ont.—American Directory Publishers' Con. Sept. —. W. H. Bates, 89 3rd ave., New York City.

Toronto, Ont.—Loyal True Blue Assn. Con. Aug. 29. Nicholas Ingram, Fort Ferry, Ont., box 147. Toronto, Ont.—International Union Journeymen Horsebores of the U. S. & Can. Con. Sept. 11. R. A. McKee, gen'l. sec. Toronto, Ont.—International Typographical Union Con. Aug. 14-19. J. W. Bramwood, Newton Claypool bldg., Indianapolis, Ind. Toronto, Ont.—Sunday School Field Workers' Conf. June 20-23. E. A. Fox, Louisville, Ky. Toronto—Natl. Delta Chi Fraternity Con. June 22-24. J. D. McNarrich, 108 Bay st. Toronto, Ont.—Associated Billposters and Distributors' Con. July —. Toronto, Ont.—International Sunday School Con. June 23-27. Toronto, Ont.—Assn. of Transportation and Car Accounting Officers' Con. June 20. Toronto, Ont.—Plumbers, Gasfitters and Helpers' Con. Aug. —. L. W. Tilden, Temple of Music, Chicago, Ill. Toronto, Ont.—Transportation and Car Accounting Officers' Assn. Con. June 20. G. R. Conrad, 24 Park Place, New York City. Toronto, Ont.—Women's Auxiliary to the International Typographical Union Con. Aug. 1. Mrs. Ed. D. Donnell, 908 W. 3th st., Cincinnati, O.

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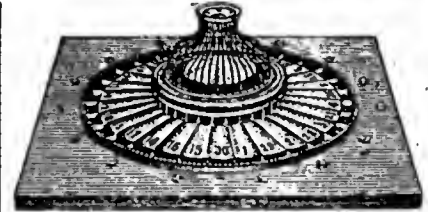
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ARIZONA

Phoenix—East Lake Park, Charles F. Berger. Tucson—Elyan Grove, E. Drachman.

ARKANSAS

Batesville—Crescent Summer Garden, Combs & Holt. Eureka Springs—Auditorium Park, G. V. Halliday, care The Billboard. Ft. Smith—McCloud's Park; Lemert Park, E. L. Hirschberg. Hot Springs—Whittington Park, H. O. Price. Little Rock—Forest Park, C. T. Taylor, box 152; Braddock Park, Harry Belknap, mgr. Pine Bluff—Bell Park, C. Senyard.

CALIFORNIA

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COLORADO

Cameron—Pinnacle Park. Denver—Union Park, J. E. Crabb; Rocky Mountain Lake Park; Elitch Gardens, Frederick Band; Manhattan Beach Park; Denver Recreation Park. Pueblo—Minnequa Park, Jos. D. Glass.

CONNECTICUT

Bridgport—Pine Rock Park, J. R. Sewell; Sheepchase Island, C. M. Fleming. Bristol—Lake Compounce Park and Summer Theatre, Perce & Norton. Danbury—Kenosia Park, F. A. Shear, box 42. Danielson—Wildwood Park, People's Tramway Co. East Haven—Momaquin Park, J. A. Blake. Hartford—Warder's Park; Charter Oak Park, E. M. Salker, care Farris-Tipton Co., Madison Square Garden, New York; Capital Park, E. J. McDonald, care Nelson Theatre, Springfield, Mass. Killingly—Wildwood Park, Samuel Anderson, Danville, mgr.; J. A. Blake, New Haven, booking agt. Manchester—Laurel Park. Meriden—Hanover Park, W. P. Bristol, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C. Middletown—Lake View Park, C. H. Chapman, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C. New Britain—White Oak Park, W. J. Plimmer. New Haven—Savin Oak Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C. Putnam—People's Tramway Park; Wildwood Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C. Rockville—Sunple Park. South Norwalk—Norwalk Park, George Clark; Delan's Point, John O. Sullivan; Noton Point, Smith & Kelley, Roton Pt., Imp. Co.; Columbia Grove; Railway Park, Conn. Lighting and Power Co. Waterbury—Lakewood Park, Z. Fearwell, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C.; Forest Park, Mac Morris. West Haven—Savin Rock Theatre. Westport—Highland Lake Park, Chas. D. Aldis, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C.

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Baize—Riverside Park, Mose Christensen.

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Atchison—Forest Park, H. N. Siegfried. Baxter Springs—Reunion Park, C. E. Collins, Chas. L. Smith, Am. mgr. Fort Scott—Fern Lake Park, Hafer & Love. Leavenworth—Electric Park, Sparks-Fiske Am. Co., Century bldg., Kansas City, Mo. Parsons—Glenwood Park, N. T. Anderson; Electric Park, Harry C. Moorehead. Topeka—Vinewood Park, F. G. Kelley, care Topeka, Ry. Co.; Garfield Park, H. E. Barnes. Wellington—Hunters' Park, C. E. Glaman.

KENTUCKY

Ashland—Clyffside Park, N. S. Smith. Bowling Green—Massey's Springs, J. Massey & Son; Chameleon Springs, Mr. Kinser; Chalybeate Springs. Dayton—Manhattan Bathing Beach, Jas Bradley, Columbia and Southgate sts., Newport, Ky. Louisville—Woodland Grove, Billy Robinson, 614 E. Kentucky st.; Fontaine Ferry Park, Col. John D. Hopkins; Jacob's Park, Summer Bros; Hammer's Park, Casper Hammer; Phoenix Mill Park, W. Zable; Riverview Park, Col. Lum Simmons; Ninaweb Park, Summers Bros., 1305 First st. Ludlow—Lagoon, J. J. Weaver, W. E. Clark, mgr. theatre. Maysville—Electric Park. Owensboro—Island Beach Park, Robert Wayne.

LOUISIANA

Monroe—Summer Garden, A. S. Kuhn. New Orleans—City Park, Jos. Bernard, supt.; West End Park, T. S. Winston; Athletic Park, Southern Am. Co., props., Charles E. Davis; mgr.; Scenic Railway and Midway, G. W. Preston; Audubon Park.

MAINE

Bangor—Riverside Park, J. J. Flynn, agt. Bar Harbor—Athletic Park, New England Popcorn Co., les. Brunswick—Merry Meeting Park, L. B. & E. Ry. Co. East Auburn—Lake George; Lake Auburn Park, Arthur Cleatham. Old Orchard—Seaside Park, Maine Investment Co., Ltd., props., W. G. Smith, treas. and mgr.; Old Orchard Beach Pier, Yates & Bunde, Biddeford. Portland—Underwood Springs Park, E. A. Newman; Gem Theatre (Peake's Isl.), C. W. T. Godding; Riverton Park, D. B. Smith, mgr.; J. W. Gorman, booking agt., 100 Boylston st., Boston, Mass. Skowhegan—Lakewood Grove Park, H. L. Sweet.

MARYLAND

Arlington—Electric Park, A. Fesceman. Baltimore—Hollywood Park, Schanberger & Irwin; Hotel Lexington Roof Garden; Pabst Gardens, K. E. Sternberg; Prospect Park, Grant Stockham; Electric Park, A. Fesceman, New York office, 619 St. James bldg.; Coeller's Black River Park, F. Emmett; Colchester Beach, Tolchester Co.; Riverview Park, M. J. Fitzsimmons, 516 Charles st.; Kirby's Park, J. E. Kirby; Kilnac's Park; Stoddard's Park; Herman's Park; Weber's Park; Gwynn Oak Park, United Ry. Co.; Lakeside Park, United Ry. Co.; Rehoboth Beach, near Baltimore, via Queen Ann's Bay; Ferry Bar, Geo. Kahn; Bohm's Summer Garden; Kiefer's Park, Middle River; Fairland, Frank McVie; Shady Side Park, Jos. Winkel, 632 Columbia ave. Chesapeake Beach—Chesapeake Park. Cumberland—Narrows Park Pavilion, Wm. McCray. Curtis Bay—Flood's Park, J. Flood; Flood's New Park Theatre, W. L. Fitzgerald. Frederick—Braddock Heights Park, Geo. Wm. Smith. Hagerstown—Pen Mar Park, J. L. Cron. Ocean City—Casino, W. F. Thomas, care Chase's Theatre, Washington, D. C.; Trimmer's New Windsor Theatre, D. Trimmer.

MASSACHUSETTS

Athol—Brookside Park, W. D. Smith. Attleboro—Talaquea Park, Jos. J. Flynn, agt. Auburndale—Norumbega Park, C. Alberte. Bellingham—Hoag Lake Park, H. M. Young, Woonsocket, R. I. Boston—Point of Pines, Joseph J. Raymond, 294 Washington street; Norumbega Park, Charles Alberte; Chas. River Park, Crescent Park, W. H. O'Neill; Lexington Park, South Boston Pavilion; Paragon Park, Geo. A. Dodge, 15 State st. Brockton—Highland Park, J. J. Flynn, agt. Bryantville—Mayflower Grove. Cambridge—Charles River Park, F. L. Howe. Dedham—Westwood Park, J. J. Flynn. Easthampton—Pleasant Park. Fitchburg—Whalon Park, W. W. Sargeant. Fall River—Mt. Hope Park; Lincoln Park, Isaac W. Phelps. Gloucester—Long Beach, J. J. Flynn, agt. Great Barrington—Fountain Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C. Haverhill—Pines Park, J. J. Flynn, agt. Holyoke—Mountain Park, Robert Kane; Springdale Park. Lawrence—Glen Forest, E. & N. St. Ry. Co., mgrs., J. J. Flynn, mgr. of theatre. Lexington—Lexington Park and Zoo, J. T. Benson. Lowell—Canobie Lake, Franklin Woodman; Lakeview Theatre, J. J. Flynn; Willowdale Park. Lynnfield—Suntag Park, R. G. Stowell. Marblehead—Seaside Theatre. Marlboro—Lake Chaucey, A. F. Wilton. Medford—Boulevard Theatre, J. W. Gorman; Combination Park, Hicks Brothers. Mendon—Laks Nippon, W. L. Adams, Milford. Nahant—Bath Point Relay House; Shay's Sun-Nahant—Bath Point Relay House; Rays Point Summer Theatre, Frank Cawley, Park Theatre, Boston, mgr., J. J. Coogan, booking agt., Boston. Nantasket Beach—Paragon Park, Geo. A. Dodge, Boston office, 15 State st.; New Galesy Theatre, Wallie Mack, Revere. Nantasket Point—Coey Island of the East, Jas. Jeffers. New Bedford—Pope Beach, Jas. Smith; Marine Park, J. I. Shannon, 179 Court st.; Lincoln Park, I. W. Phelps; Lakeside Park, Brockton. Middleboro & New Bedford St. Ry. Co. Newburyport—Plum Island, Chas. Fredericks, mgr., J. J. Coogan, booking agt., Boston. Salisbury Beach, Chas. Fredericks, mgr., J. J. Coogan, booking agt., Boston.

North Adams—Hoosac Valley Park, W. P. Meade.

Orange—Brookside Park, Orange St. Ry. Co. Palmer—Forest Lake Park, J. J. Flynn, agt. Pittsfield—Berkshire Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C.; Penttoeue Park, Pittsfield St. Ry. Co., J. J. Flynn, agt. Plymouth—Mayflower Grove Park, Alba H. Warren, Maurice Boom, New York, agt. Revere—Revere Beach, E. T. White; Crescent Gardens, W. H. O'Neill; Point of Pines, Jos. J. Raymond, 294 Washington st., Boston; New Galesy Theatre, Wallie Mack. Salem—Salem Willows, J. W. Gorman. South Boston—Pavilion, W. H. O'Neill, mgr.; Point of Pines. Southbridge—Fairview Park, J. A. Blake, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. sgt., N. Y. C. So. Framingham—Wauashakm Park, John T. McNamara, 363 Washington st., Boston. Spencer—Lashaway Park. Springfield—Snburban Park; Capitol Park, P. F. Shea, mgr.; Mr. McDonald, local mgr.; Hampden Park, P. F. Shea & Co. Taunton—Talaquea Park, J. J. Flynn; Nip-penticket Park, D. F. Lahan; Sabattia Park, J. J. Flynn, agt.; Lakeside Park, J. J. Flynn, agt.; Dighton Rock Park; Woodward's Springs. Wakefield—Quansopowitt Park; Wakefield Park. Webster—Beacon Park. West Brookfield—Lakeside Park, Hampshire & Worcester St. R. R. Westboro—Lake Chaucey, H. O. Garfield. Westfield—Warnoco Park. Woburn—Pineburt Park. Worcester—Lincoln Park, F. W. Lester, 107 Main st.; White City, F. H. Bigelow, 11 Foster st.

MICHIGAN

Battle Creek—Lake View Park; Gognac Lake, Gognac Resort Assn., Ltd., J. D. Wilson. Bay City—Wenona Beach Park, L. W. Richards; Detroit—Palmer's Park, Emil Imhoff; The Seaside Ry. Park, Frank L. Peddle; Beller's Riverside Park; Bennett Park; Electric Park, Tom Eck, 34 Mulberry bldg. Dowagiac—Silver Beach, Drake and Wallace, props., F. E. Howe, mgr. Flint—Threed Lake Park, Will J. Currier. Grand Lodge—The Seven Islands, J. S. Mndge. Grand Rapids—Ramona Park, Orin Stair; North Park; John Bull Park, Orin Stair; Reed's Lake and Godfrey Pavilion, C. G. Godfrey, Sta. F. Holland—Jennison Electric Park, Charles A. Floyd. Kalamazoo—Casino Park, Baird & Daken, 104 E. Mala st. Lansing—Leadley's Park; Haslett Park; Waverly Park, S. M. Stillson, care Lansing & Sub. Trac. Co. Marshall—St. Mary's Lake, Mr. Crosby. Monroe—Johnson's Island Park, G. J. Wahl. Muskegon—Lake Michigan Park, W. R. Reynolds. Saginaw—Riverside Park, L. W. Richards; Jeffers' Theatre, Bamford & Marks. St. Joseph—Silver Beach, L. D. Wallace. South Haven—Midway Park, Edw. Payne; Turbania Park, H. B. Parker.

MINNESOTA

Evaeth—Ely Lake; Miller's Pavilion. Fairmont—Hand's Silver Lake Park, 556 Temple Minneapolis—Interurban Park, 556 Temple Court; Lake Harriet, J. H. Eechman; Wonderland, H. A. Dorsey; Minnehaha Park, Jacob Barnett. St. Paul—Phalen Park, Jacob Barnett, 1018 Van Slyke ave.; Wildwood Park, E. M. Barnett, mgr.; Como Park, Jacob Barnett; Harriet Island (public baths), Dr. Obage. White Bear Lake—Wildwood Park, W. J. Held; Lake Shore Park; White Bear Beach.

MISSISSIPPI

Jackson—Livingston Park, J. T. Ralford. Natchez—Concord Park, Natches Am. Co., mgrs. Scranton—Anderson Park, B. J. Blethen. Vicksburg—Snburban Casino, Moles & Irwin.

MISSOURI

Grant City—Houser-Verbeck Park. Joplin—Grand Falls Park, Chas. E. Hodkins; Lyrie Park, Chas. E. Chas. E. Hodkins. Kansas City—Forest Park, C. A. Peterson, res. mgr., Geo. Sellinger, mgr., theat., Independence ave. and Hardy st.; Electric Park, Sam Benjamin; Fairmont Park, Ben Eosenthal. Nevada—Lake Park Springs, J. A. Tyler, care Moore's Theatre. Springfield—Doling Park and Family Theatre, Robert E. Doling. St. Joseph—Silver Beach, Drake & Wallace; Krug Park, J. E. VonBrant; Lake Contry Park, E. B. Chnrehill; Crystal Park, Fred Cosman, care Crystal Theatre; Lakeside Park, Palmer L. Clark. St. Louis—Hahagen's Park, Fred W. Hahagen, 23-25 S. Broadway, St. Louis; Bellevue Park; Forest Park Highlands, J. D. Hopkins; Lemp's Park, J. L. Wallrap; West End Heights, B. Williams; Grand Avenue Park, Hahagen Bros.; Urbig's Cave, McNear Bros.; Suburban Park, F. W. Innes, mgr., 308 Carlton Bldg.; Delmar Garden Park; Bellpe Park, Henry Green. Warrensburg—Pertle Springs, J. M. Christopher. Webb City—Lakeside Park, Southwestern Missouri R. R. Co., props., Al. R. Bascom; Delmar Garden, L. W. Wilson.

MONTANA

Butte—Columbia Gardens, G. Forsythe. Great Falls—Black Eagle Park, Great Falls St. Ry. Co. Helena—Central Park, O. G. Frederick.

NEBRASKA

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Fords—Old Homestead Park, Lester J. Underhill.
Gloucester—Empire Pavilion J. E. O'Brien.
Keyport—Pavilion Beach, F. J. Knapp.
Little Falls—Ryle Park, Edward Barlow, box 254.
Long Branch—Pleasure Bay Theatre, F. K. Albank.
Millville—Union Lake Park, G. H. Thomas.
Newark—Greater Electric Park, O. A. Dunlap; William Morris, booking agt.; Olympic Park, Hans Wevers, cr. Colosseum, Milton Aborn, booking agt.; N. Y. Zeno Park, Wm. Oregon Co., 16th ave. and 18th st.; Hillside Park, Harry S. Healey, am. dir.; Roseville Park, New Brunswick—Riverside Park, Brunswick Traction Co.
Orange—Highland Park, W. M. Miller.
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Phillipsburg—Cedar Park.
Pitman Grove—Alton Park, G. W. Carr.
Plainfield—Galvin's Park, A. C. Doerner, Knickerbocker Theatre bldg., N. Y. City.
Sea Lila City—Ocean Pier, M. Rudy Heller.
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Signac—Grotto Park, E. Roudede.
Trouton—Spring Lake Rock, M. Rudy Heller; Mercer Pleasure Park, W. H. McMahon.

NEW YORK

Albany—Lagoon Island, J. A. Weber; Electric Park, J. M. Wilson, cr. Albany & Hudson E. B. Co.; Frank Melville, booking agt.; Dreamland, Robert F. Walter.
Binghamton—Casino Park, J. P. B. Clark; Ross Park, J. P. E. Clark.
Brooklyn—Brighton Beach Music Hall, W. T. Grover; Anderson Music Hall, Osnay Island; Ulmer Park, William Textler; Steeplechase Park, G. C. Tilyou; Chutes Park, Lena Park, Thompson & Dundy; Dreamland, Samuel Gumpert; North Beach, Brewery Bay Building and Imp. Co.; Bergen Beach, Percy G. Williams.
Buffalo—Athletic Park, Robt. F. Walter; Hale's Park; Crystal Beach, on Canadian shore opposite Buffalo, J. E. Bostock, gen. mgr., 151 Franklin st.; Elmwood Park; Idlewild Park, B. M. Gardiner, 727 Ellcott sq.
Corland—Columbia Gardens, C. F. Sykes; Trust Park, M. S. Robinson.
Dunkirk—Central Park, Frank Melville, N. Y. C.
Elmira—Borick's Glen, W. W. Cole; Eldridge Park, E. M. Little; Queen City Gardens, M. L. Sullivan.
Elmwood—Elmwood Park.
Endicott—Casino Park, J. P. E. Clark, Binghamton, N. Y.
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Fredonia—Central Park, Frank Melville, N. Y. C.
Glens Falls—McGregor Park, J. Donahue.
Gloversville—Mountain Lake Park, Jas. G. Nellis; Sacandaga Park, C. H. Ball.
Irondequoit—Sea Breeze Park, Frank J. Koch.
Ithaca—Renwick Park, E. A. Post, Frank Melville, N. Y., booking agt.
Jamestown—Celeron Park, Jule Delmar.
Middletown—Midway Park, H. B. Boyes.
New Rochelle—Glen Island, J. M. Starris, prop., Myndert Starris, mgr., J. W. Price, am. mgr.; Dillen Park, D. Y. Wymore, gen. mgr.
New York—Lion Palace Roof Gardens; Terrace Garden, Succind & Benfotel, 145-158 E. 53rd st.; Bergen Beach, Bergen Beach Am. Co.; Cila Park, W. S. Wright, 109 E. 14th st.; North Beach, 14th of Queens, Louis von Bernuth, 109 E. 14th st.; Ante Park, Clark Ball, 129 Broadway.
Northampton—Sacandaga Park, C. H. Ball.
Olcott—Olcott Beach, International Traction Co., H. C. Ferrin.
Olson—Riverhurst Park, C. O. Morlan.
Ossida—Sylvan Beach, M. Cavana; Citizens' Park, J. P. Loughlin.
Oriskany—Summit Park, G. W. Bakat, Frank Melville, booking agt.
Painted Post—Bronson Park, Norman G. Sprague, Corning.
Peekskill—Shady Lake Park, E. B. Hirock; Electric Park, Jas. E. Lynch; Central Park, J. M. Donovan and J. P. Caples.
Poughkeepsie—Upton Lake Park.
Rochester—Ontario Beach Park, John F. Collins; Glen Haven, Robert F. Walter; Fairland, Frank Melville.
Rye—Rye Beach Park, J. J. Schulthoser, Mamaroneck, N. Y.; St. Ry. Park.
Salamanca—Island Park, J. J. Imman.
Saratoga Springs—Congress Spring Park; Gem Concert Garden, G. H. Haflerman; Kayderson Park.
Schenectady—Brandywine Park, F. W. DeVoe.
Seneca Falls—Cayuga Park, W. C. Gray.
Staten Island—Midland Beach Theatre, A. Heenan; South Beach, W. A. Stanley, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.
Sylvan Beach—Sylvan Beach Midway Park, Dr. M. Cavana.
Syracuse—Iron Pier Park, Tom McAvoy, mgr.; Doyle Bros., props.; Lake Side Park, J. A. Carolo, box 536; Elmwood Park, J. Dunfee; Lake Onondaga Park, M. S. Robinson; Electric Garden.
Troy—Lagoon Island, J. F. Weber, prop. and mgr., D. C. Davora, asst. mgr.
Utica—Summit Park, W. B. McCallum; Casino Park, Fritz Band.

NORTH CAROLINA

Ashville—Riverside Park, G. E. Clifton; Electric Park, C. W. Rex.
Charlotte—Latta Park, Will A. Peters.
Goldboro—Herman Park, city management.
Greensboro—Lindley Park, Greensboro Electric Co.
Hendersonville—Picken's Park.
Raleigh—Fallen Park.
Washington—Riverside Park.
Wilmington—Wrightsville Beach Casino, S. A. Schloss.
OHIO
Alliance—Lake Park, E. R. Merrill.
Akron—Lakeside Park, H. A. Hawn, Springfield Lake Park, John E. Hill; Germania Park, Charles Both; Silver Lake Park, Will Lodge.
Bucyrus—Sevocalm Park.
Cambridge—Summer Park, H. B. Marston; Electric Park, Hammond Bros., Colonial Theatre.
Canal Dover—Sunnyside Park, W. D. Lynch.
Canton—Lake Park, L. B. Cool; Ehret's Park, A. Ebrert.
Celina—Celina Park.
Ceylon—Kingsley Beach, C. S. Ruggles.
Cincinnati—Belchrath's Park, Frank Belchrath; Elkwood Park, Gus Rielag; Krollman's Garden, Chester Park, I. M. Martin; Zoological Garden, S. A. Stephan, mgr.; Cincinnati Zoological Co., props.; Queen City Bathing Beach, W. F. Kroger; Coney Island, Will S. Heck, 1008 First National Bank bldg.; Woodside Island Park, Frank Witte, 30 E. Eighth st.; Lagoon, J. J. Weaver, W. E. Clark, mgr.; theatre, Landlow, Ky.; Monarch Park, Frank Krippner; Holtgrewe Summer Garden, Westwood, Henry Holtgrewe, mgr.; Frank Young, am. mgr., Sta. L.
Cleveland—Luna Park, Frederick Ingersoll, 307 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; Ingersoll Hopkins Am. Co., St. James bldg., N. Y. C.; booking agts.: White City, E. Boyce; Euclid Garden Theatre, Max Faetkenheuer; Coliseum, Max F. Trostler; Euclid Beach Park, Humphrey Co.; Scenic Park, Wm. Ohlson; Forest City Park, Humphrey Co.; Puritas Springs; Mulberry Park, Jake Mintz; Chippewa Lake Park, John Kingsborough; Avon Beach Park, M. Kasserman; Chesterian Caves, J. Doyle; Punderson Lake, Eastern Ohio Traction Co.
Columbus—Schaefer's Garden Theatre, Frank Schaefer, Sta. C, box 121; Columbus Zoo Co., B. W. Junk, 1108-1105, 145 N. High st.; Collins' Garden, Phil Collins; Olenyanta Park and Zoo, J. W. Dusenbury; Indiana Park; A. B. Hatch, 263 N. Monroe ave.; Glenmary Park, A. L. Neeramer, cr. D. & M. Ry.
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Cuyahoga Falls—Silver Lake Park, William R. Lodge.
Dayton—Fairview Park, J. L. Breen; Lucas Grove Park; Lakeside Park, J. A. Kirk.
Deane—Island Park, John W. Wiane.
Denison—Island Park, Oliver Welch.
East Liverpool—Beck Springs Park, J. H. Maxwell, mgr., W. B. McCallum, mgr. theatre.
Fostoria—Reeves' Park, R. S. Fowler.
Galion—Sevocalm Park, Becker Bros.
Hamilton—Lindenwald Park, J. W. Foster; Woodside Island Park, Frank Witte.
Huron—Rye Beach Resort, W. Burns.
Ironton—Beechwood Park, A. Thuma; Clydeside Park, N. S. Smith.
Kent—Lake Brady Resort, W. H. Handley.
Kenton—Idlewild Park; Reeves' Park.
Lancaster—Maplewood Park, F. Mattox.
Lima—McBeth Park, J. Rns. Smith; McCullough's Park, B. M. McCullough.
Lorain—Century Park, Antl & Grant.
McArthur—Lake Alma Park, Geo. W. Shockey.
Mansfield—Luna Park, G. W. Bahl; Casino Park, E. R. Endley.
Mariotta—Buckeye Park, Capt. E. W. Webster.
Mt. Vernon—Lake Hiawatha Park, E. T. Selig, mgr.
Newark—Idlewild Park, Will D. Harris; Buckeye Lake Park, Will D. Harris; Cliff Dale Park, Chas. Summer Stubbs.
Niles—Avon Park, Jos. West.
Norwalk—Willow Brook Park, Norwalk Pleasure Resort Co., J. C. Cline.
Oak Harbor—Locust Point Groves, R. B. Soncrant.
Oakley—Monarch Park, Frank Krippner.
Perryburg—Eden Park.
Piqua—Fountain Park, Werner Brewing Co., Dayton, O.; Midway Park, Wm. Schumacher.
Plymouth—Seaton's Park, S. S. Seaton.
Put-in-Bay Island—Palm Beach, Mrs. L. C. Morris.
Richmond—Vernon Park, L. Miller.
St. Mary's—Sans Sonei Park, F. S. Schmidt; Rivers, New Park, John W. Bowman.
Sandusky—Cedar Point, G. A. Boeckling; Johnson's Island Pleasure Resort, C. L. Goodale, 730 Perry st.
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Springfield—Spring Grove Park, O. F. Powell & Son.
Stenbenville—Altmont Park, F. C. Workman; Stanton Park, F. C. Workman.
Tiffin—Meadowbrook Park, J. W. McCormick.
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Vermilion—Shaddock's Lake Park, O. F. Wald.
Wellston—Lake Alma Park, C. K. Davis.
Youngstown—Conneaut Lake, Tierney & Berry; Idora Park, E. Stanley; Avon Park, Jos. W. West, E. Stanley, am. mgr.
Zanesville—Gaut Park, M. S. Gaundat; The Farm, C. W. Morrison, prop., Harold Kelley.
OKLAHOMA TERRITORY
Oklahoma City—Riverside Park; Delmar Gardens, Jos. Maria and John Sloopoulo; Colcord Park, Col. C. F. Colcord; Putnam Park, Putnam & Jones.
OREGON
Portland—Fir Grove, Leander Bros.; Shield's Park, Edw. Shields; Hawthorne Springs Park.
PENNSYLVANIA
Allentown—Central Park, M. Rudy Heller; Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre bldg., Phila.; Dorney's Park, F. S. Kinley; Ellettsville Park; Manhattan Park; Willow Grove Park.

Altoona—Lakemont Park, American Street Ry. Co., owners, S. S. Craue, gen. mgr.
Ames P. O., Clearfield Co.—Avondale Park, Chas. Hagan.
Beaver Falls—Junction Park, Gaylord Thompson, mgr., Frank Melville, New York, booking agt.
Barwick—Fairchild's Park, O. A. Ebinard.
Berwindale—Mariposa Park, A. L. Pierce.
Bridford—Clarkdale Park, Beaver Valley Traction Co.
Brighton—Junction Park, Beaver Valley Traction Co.
Butler—Alameda Park, F. Melville, booking mgr., New York City, W. H. Pape, supt., T. Kershaw, res. mgr.
Cambridge Springs—Empire Theatre, Fred. Lavand, mgr.; W. J. Plimmer, book. agt., N. Y. C.
Carlisle—Cave Hill Park.
Chambersburg—Wolf Lake Park, Ang. Wolf.
Charleroi—Eldora Park, T. P. Sloan.
Center Square—Central Park, Will C. Sites, Suite 4, The Maples.
Chester—Twelfth Street Park.
Chestnut Hill—White Marsh Valley Park, Prof. Lingerman's Palace of Amusement*.
Clearfield—Clearfield Park, R. H. Shaw.
Conneaut Lake—Exposition Park, O. P. Kepler, 1416 Carnegie bldg., Pittsburgh.
Easton—Oakland Park, J. G. Honecker; Island Park, Eastern Transit Co.; Bunkhill Park, Northampton Traction Co., props., Geo. E. Sciple, mgr.
Erie—Grove House Park, Four-Mile Creek, H. T. Foster, box 225; Waldamer Park, Thos. Maloney, mgr., F. Melville, New York City, booking agt.; Frontier Park, Frontier Am. Co., State st.
Greensburg—Oakford Park, M. A. Coffey, Frank Melville, booking agt.
Harrisburg—Paxtang Park, F. M. Davis, box 394; Verno's Dreamland, Verno Churchill, Columbus Hotel.
Kittanning—Lenape Park, Kittanning & Lehigh Ry. Co., F. A. Moesta.
Johnstown—Valley Park, S. P. Zimmerman, Jordan bldg.; Luna Park, Phil Oulfield, Frank Melville, booking agt.
Lancaster—Rocky Spring Park, H. B. Griffiths, P. O. box 67, Edward Mosart, mgr. theatre; People's Park and Woolworth Roof Garden, John P. Peoples, mgr.
Lebanon—Pennyvania Park, A. M. Patch; Mt. Gretna Park, I. M. Butler.
Lima Bridge—Shawnee Park, J. E. Fowler, Bloomsburg, Pa.
Lock Haven—Agar's Park, A. L. Lichenwalmer.
McKeesport—Versailles Park; Olympia Park, J. F. Harris.
Mauch Chunk—Manila Grove, Tamaqua & Lansford Traction Co., props., A. O. Fritch.
Monongahela—Monongahela Valley Driving Park; Eldora Park.
Newcastle—Cascade Park, M. H. McKeaskey, F. Melville, New York City, booking agt.
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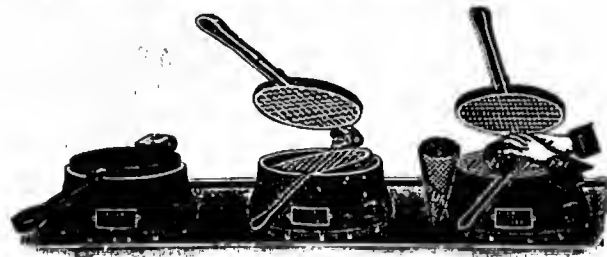
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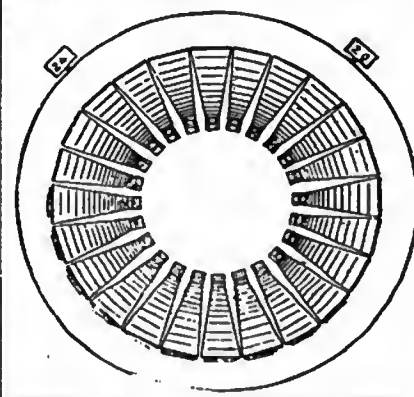
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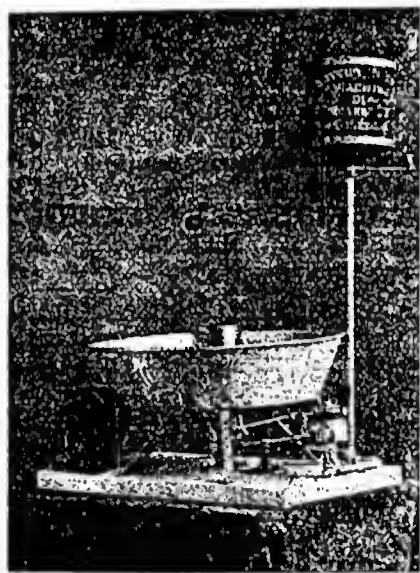
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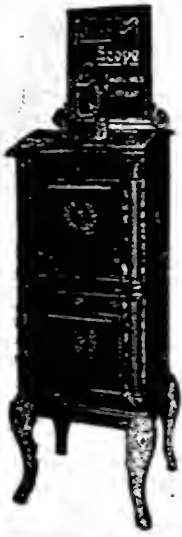
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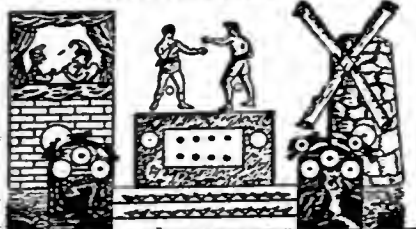


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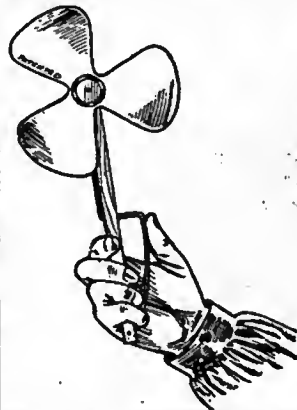


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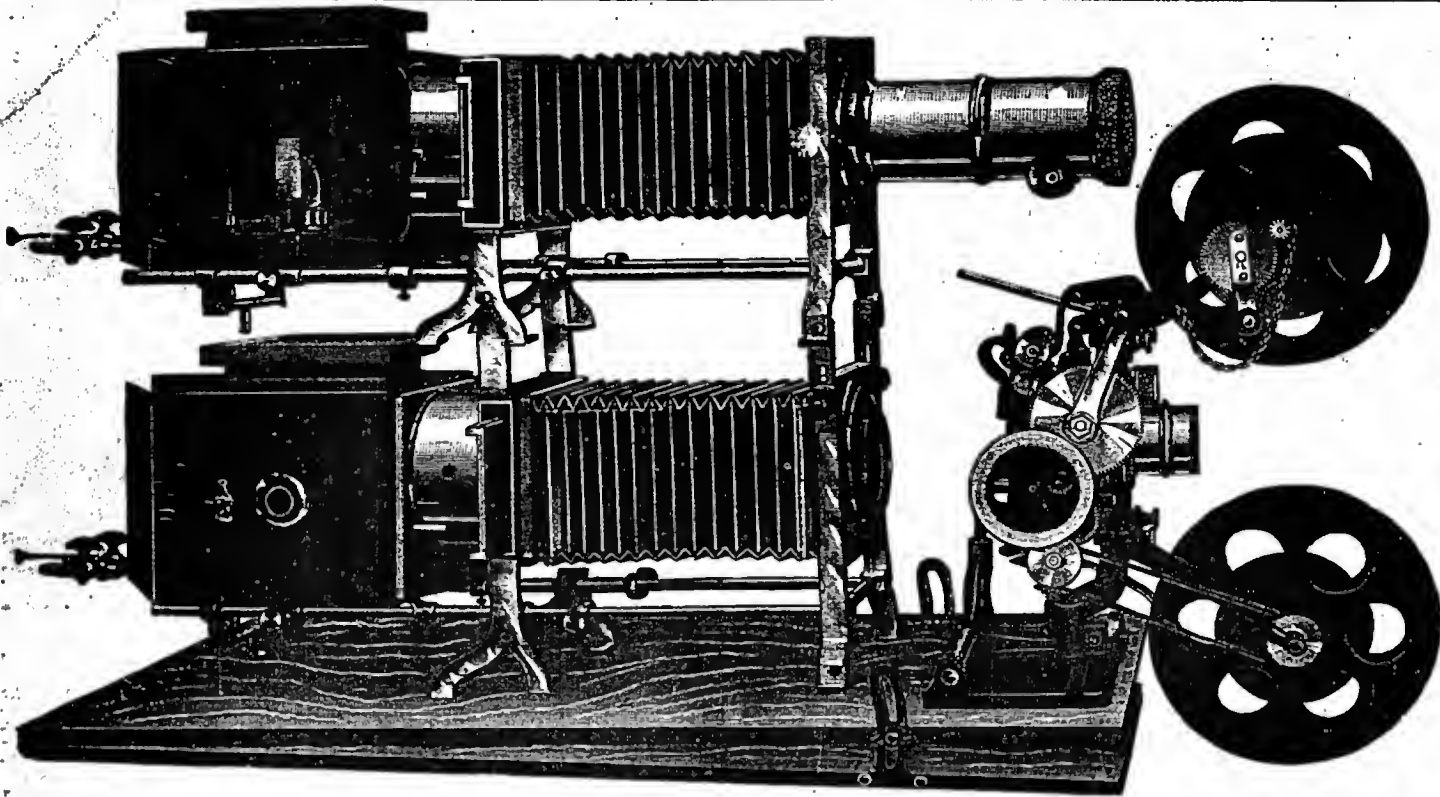
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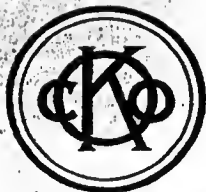
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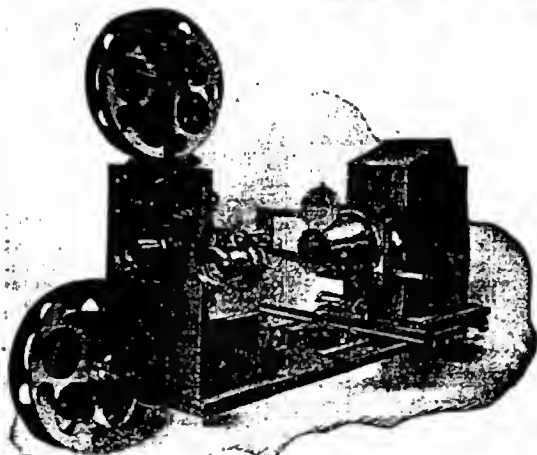
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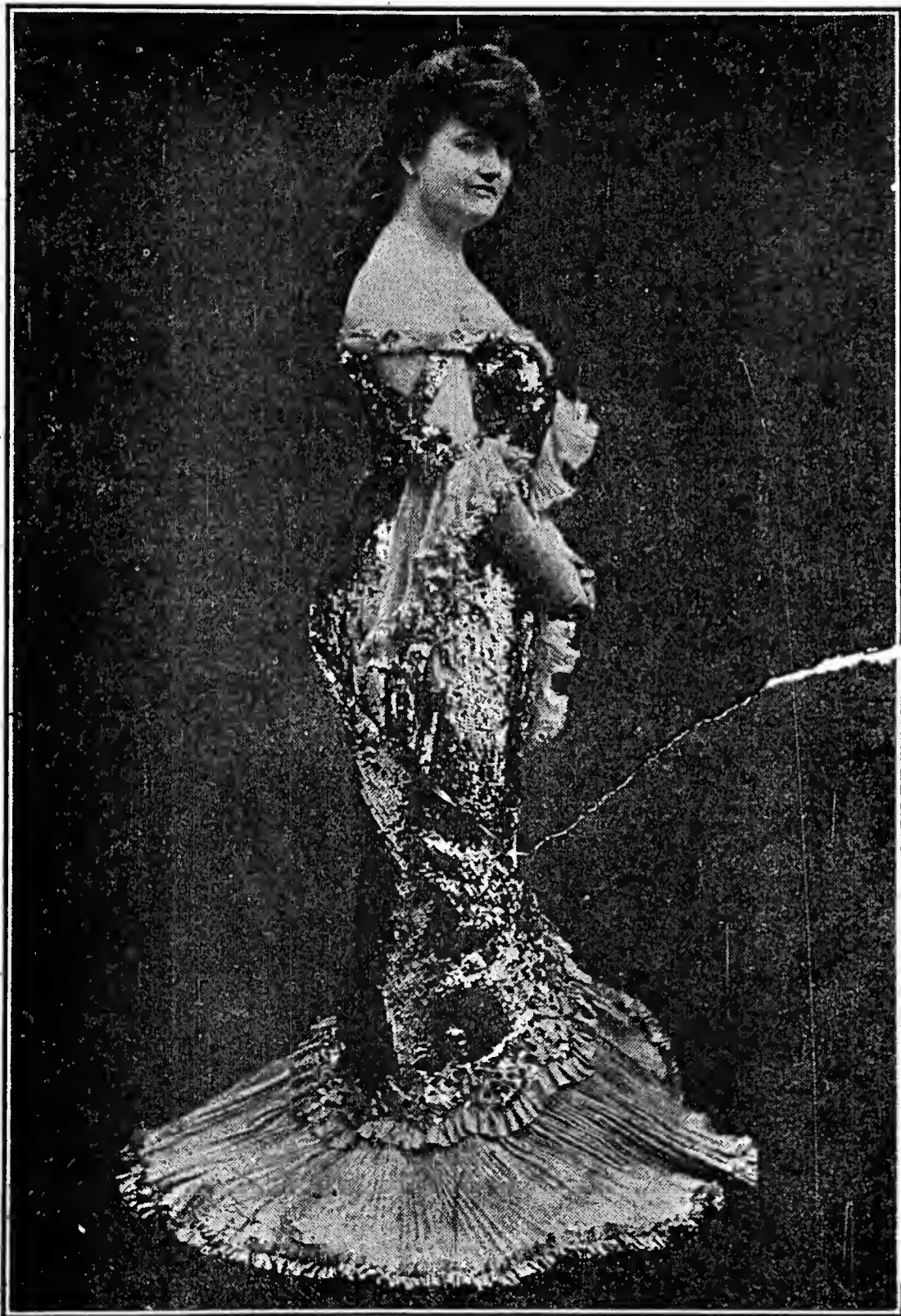
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Amid these gathered groups of men
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Of the mighty realms. And then
I'll single out, for a both, full many candidates
For other Theatrical crowns to come
(Albeit, in their dreams, they're going some.)
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For these glad times, now realized,
Their hopes brought hope through dreary days,
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And bidden castles bright and gay
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Where loitering actors love to dwell
And tales of hits and conquests tell
Says McAduo: "Move on."

O blighted dream! O blasted hope!
The changing times work havoc sad
With forty weeks of summer dope.
Those "curtains" tales? Gone to the bad.
What, walk more miles? Naught else to do,
The stalling copper knows his cue,
Says McAduo: "Move on."

From out these lines of "gling rot
Let's pry a lesson for our ives.
Look just ahead, think of the spot,
Where we will find our little shelves.
And on a more eventful day
When we stand on another Great White Way,
Shall Peter say: "Move on."?

Tuesday evening, June 13, West Point Night at the Lyric Theatre, where Jefferson De Angelis continues to appear in Fantasia, six hundred cadets attended the entertainment in uniform and the house was lavishly decorated in their honor.

C. W. Bennett, manager of the London Vaudeville Theatre, London, Can., was a caller at the New York office of The Billboard last Wednesday. Manager Bennett is in town booking attractions for his theatre, and is in vanguard for some of the leading headliners in vaudeville to play a week with him during the forthcoming season. London serves to break a jump from the east to west, or vice versa; and vaudeville artists tell of fine treatment at the hands of Manager Bennett and his assistants.

Messrs. Mathews & Walters are busy at their desks in the National Printing Co. offices booking time for their musical comedy, Hans and Nix, for next season. In some of the attractive literature which they are sending out to herald their attraction they advance this thought: "For the meritorious theatrical attraction, it is a regrettable fact that the rating of Bradstreet or Dun does not extend to stage productions, as it would certainly prove of inestimable value to out-of-town theatregoers, as well as to the reputable manager whose endeavor is to give his patrons something worthy of the price of admission."

The nearest thing to a theatrical Dunn or Bradstreet is a reliable dramatic authority like The Billboard. And to the best of its ability a reliable theatrical paper serves a splendid purpose as a theatrical price current, kept up to date, week by week, and the time is sure to come when the theatrical weekly will be looked to with as great security of authority as are Dunn's and Bradstreet of the commercial world.

People from the McCadden Show, which seems to have suspended operations somewhere in France, have been straggling home by twos and threes. The latest arrivals are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Walsh.

Jos. Hollander, with the music house of Harry Von Tilzer, has just contributed a valuable addition to the patriotic melodies of

the times. The Girl of The U. S. A., with whom all of us are in love, is the title he has hit upon, and the praise of this young lady is sure to be sung by the thousands who lift up their lungs in keeping pace with the avalanche of rondels our hundreds of music publishers are putting forth.

Florence Gerald expects to arrive in New York by the first of the month after a successful stock company engagement at the Alcazar Theatre, in San Francisco. Between her literary pursuits and her stage work, she is one of the busiest of theatrical persons.

Winifred Goff, principal baritone and technical director of the Savage English Grand Opera Co., sailed last week for Europe. Mr. Goff will visit London, Paris, Berlin, Milan and other musical centers with a view of engaging artists for Mr. Savage's English Grand Opera Co.

There have been girls "with" everything since John G. Mordock promulgated The Girl With The Auburn Hair. Now comes The Girl In The Red Domino, at Wistaria Grove. She was planned as the vaudeville sensation of the bill, but the reality settled down to appreciation of a clever illusion and a gracefully executed dance. At first the eight mirrors reflect the dancer and then suddenly through each mirror, which still continues to reflect partially, is seen a chorus girl. The latter comes out on the stage and joins the Red Domino in a mazy dance, the effect of which is enhanced by the kaleidoscopic lights thrown on the dancers.

On June 12 the opening performance at Wistaria Grove was given before a large attendance. When We Are Forty-one, the burlesque on Dr. Osler's theory of chloroforming every man over forty years of age, was the leading feature. Robert B. Smith is sponsor for the book and lyrics, and Gus Edwards has written the music. The piece was generally accepted as a welcome addition to our summer supply of frothy entertainment. Serving to show the people engaged, and to give publicity to some of the clever explanations of the various characters. The cast is here given:

Dr. Hoeler, Chloroform King.....Harry Bulger
John De Boeks, Jr., the soul proprietor of a young men's class.....John McVeigh
George Gesler, a sparkling Lothario.....George Gesler
Charles Wagner, a simple liver.....George Kelly
Kid Narrow, a puglist, hero of the Red Lights.....George F. Reno
Ted Sparks, a continuous tourist.....Ferry Janis
Digby Pipp, a Gibson man.....Harry Meehan
Frank Penn, a dramatic critic who rules the roost.....James Thompson
Bennie, Dr. Hoeler's valet.....Clara Hathaway
Tom.....Geo. P. Reno
Jerry.....George Kelly
Columbia Barnard, a "rah, rah, rah," girl.....Elsie Janis
Anastasia Pickles, fresh from the farm.....Nellie Daly
Marian, the Maid, the soubrette's friend.....Lucille St. Claire
Florodora Fisher, the original pretty maiden.....Amy Lake
Dolly Dimples, a rollicking girl.....Amy Lake
The Man with the laughing whiskers.....William Planket
Rector's carriage agent.....George Sanders
Lady Long-Green, the Dowry heiress, just escaped from the unkind son, Emma Carver
Other characters by, Madlyn Sommers, Nora Thomas, Edith Gravin, Beattie Leyland, Marjorie Bonner, Rosa Danie, Florence Milton, Esther Mitchell, Bessie Kyle, Jeannette Patterson, Emilie Steele, Anna Berg, Arnette Steele and Florence Worden.

At the Harlem Opera House, having had her fling at Hamlet (the local critics also having had their fling at her), Adelaide Keim, turned last week to Young Mrs. Winthrop. I did not see Miss Keim's Hamlet, but I recall having seen her play the burlesque actress in All The Comforts of Home in high-topped hunting boots and a beakirled costume of Turkish build.

Prof. Reikart's Musical and Vaudeville Co. is playing the nearby Jersey towns to gratifying business. Besides the Musical Reikarts, the membership of the organization includes Dick Pyne, Harry Salisbury, May Brown, Burt Stevens and the Barbers. Fair dates in the east will subsequently follow.

The newest feature in Lifting The Lid, at the Aerial Gardens, is a new motion photograph imported by Gaston Melles, and it is considered one of the most comical films ever shown in New York. It is a real Parisian novelty and the picture attracted a great deal

of attention at the Folies Bergeres Theatre, in Paris, last season. This is in the form of a humorous automobile race depicted in cinematographic views. In the first series of pictures King Leopold, of Belgium, is in Paris. He desires to make a trip to Monte Carlo, but his time is limited and he cannot take the seventeen hours necessary by express. He meets an automobile manufacturer who agrees to take him there in three hours. He accepts the proposition. The journey begins in the Place de l'Opera, in Paris. The trip is an exciting one, full of comical mishaps.

The latest novelty for summer parks and out-of-door places of amusement has recently been perfected by a New York inventor. It is known as The Magnetic House. Its capacity for producing merriment and surprises is based on the principle that the mind assumes that things are as easy as they seem to be, and further, on the unconscious effort to adjust the muscular movements of the body to its apparent surroundings. Exteriorly it is an ordinary house, within which is a room, occupying practically the whole of the outer shell, the floor of which has a decided slope. The walls of this room are at right angles to the floor, and the ceiling is parallel to the floor, as in an ordinary room. There are no windows, the room being lighted by means of a sky-light in the ceiling. The entrance to, and exit from, the room are so arranged that one entering or leaving the room has no opportunity of comparing its position with external objects.

The result is that, to one entering the room, the floor appears to be perfectly level and it is impossible to rid the mind of this illusion. At the same time all the physical effects of walking upon a sharply sloping surface are experienced, and one seems to be under the influence of a mysterious force, which tends to draw him toward one corner of the room and makes straight forward locomotion impossible.

Devotees of Tony Pastor's always good vaudeville, found another fine bill awaiting their appreciation last week. Of the numerous clever turns, the specialty offered by Carrol Henry and Nellie Francis is worthy of approbation for the reason that they have hit upon a way of presenting a clever idea with enough cleverness to maintain the illusion. They work an old idea of the man supplying, with bared arms, the gestures for the woman's song. It is not so much what they do as the way they do it which wins approval for their neat staging, dancing and talking specialty. Mons. Paulo, late of Paulo & Dika, is also in the bill. He is now working with Mlle. Marlowe, and, although Mlle. Dika is missing, she is not missed; for Mlle. Marlowe is an exceedingly beautiful and talented woman of refined appearance and manners to match. White and Simmons made merry with old time minstrelsy. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hughes supplied the toying feature with A Matrimonial Substitute, and the Dancin' Mitchells scored a tremendous hit with the acrobatics and whirlwind dancing.

The past week produced the first real hot weather of the summer, and business at those of our theatres which still remain open naturally took a drop. Nevertheless, the aggregate maintains a highly gratifying standard in a majority of instances. The Rollicking Girl, at the Herald Square; Fantasia, at the Lyric and the Heir To The Hoarsh, at the Hodson, are drawing remarkable crowds.

WALTER K. HILL.

FROM SAM SCRIBNER

Mr. Sam Scribner contributes the following information regarding the Eastern Circuit. The thirty-six attractions controlled by the Columbia Amusement Co. and the Eastern Burlesque Managers' Association are receiving every attention, and no expense will be spared to make them the strongest line of shows touring the country. Ike Rose, the husband of Saharet, the dancer, is securing European novelties for all these attractions. A letter just received from him states that he has secured the American rights to an act similar to Dida. The new act is now a sensation in Europe, and is the same as the Dida turn, except that twelve mermaids or water nymphs are added. Mr. Rose and several agents are scouring Europe for attractions suitable for the extravaganza controlled by the Eastern Circuit. Some of the best authors have been retained to furnish material and music for them.

HILL AND MANCHESTER

According to advice from head quarters the following attractions will be under the control of the Gus Hill Amusement Co. the coming season: Gay New York, a musical comedy with a story and with sixty people; Mr. Doolley, a big musical comedy, with forty

ERNEST RICHARD



Presenting the Triple Bill—A Close Shave, Little Dorothy and Sweethearts.

people, starring Paul Quinn; The Smart Set, a big colored comic opera, with sixty people; Happy Hooligan's Trip Around The World, by Maurice Hagemann, with forty people; McFadden's Flats, the comedy that has made millions laugh, in its twelfth year. Everything pertaining to these attractions will be new; new scenery, costumes and entire new music and specialties, and a new line of printing. The following burlesque and extravaganza companies will be controlled by Bob Manchester and Gus Hill: Cracker Jacks, Vanity Fair and New York Stars. They have secured a number of European attractions. Mr. Manchester will out-do himself with the extravaganza he is controlling

MISS KEIM'S REVIVAL

One of the most noteworthy of the late New York revivals occurred at the Harlem Opera House, June 12, with Miss Adelaide Keim and her stock company in the four act play by Bronson Howard, entitled Young Mrs. Winthrop. The company was cast as follows:

Mrs. Ruth Winthrop.....Lizzie Goode
Mr. Douglas Winthrop.....Martin L. Alsop
Constance Winthrop.....Adelaide Keim
Buxton Scott.....Giles Shine
Mrs. Dick Chetwyn.....Lillian Claves
Edith.....Eda Bothner
Herbert.....J. J. Fitz Simmons
Dr. Milbank.....T. N. Hefron
John.....Edward Gerlinger

Many of the old theatregoers who had witnessed the initial production of Young Mrs. Winthrop at the Madison Square Theatre, October 9, 1882, or during its long run extending to April 7, 1883, were present. At that time Miss Carrie Turner essayed the title role, and the play was one of the greatest successes. By comparison with Miss Turner's portrayal of Constance Winthrop, Miss Keim loses none of her well earned reputation. In fact the role is peculiarly adapted to her talents, and it would appear that the well-known dramatist of former days had written the piece especially for Miss Keim. Mr. M. L. Alsop appeared to advantage in the leading male role.

A large audience witnessed the revival and from the hearty applause it gave every appearance of being highly delighted.

WHEN WE WERE FORTY-ONE

The New York Roof Garden was the centre of interest on Monday night, June 12, when Robert B. Smith's new piece, entitled When We Were Forty-one, was given its first production. It is advertised as an Oslerized burlesque in two doses, and the Dr. Osler reputed theories regarding the chloroforming of the aged are served up in regular burlesque fashion of much ado about nothing. Harry Bulger created the role of Dr. Osler, and Elsie Janis and Emma Carus dished up the leading feminine roles very acceptably. The piece gives rise to a number of intensely humorous situations, and is occasion for the introduction of many nice little catchy songs, which delicacies are relished most in the good old summer time.

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A Visit to the Wallace Show—Weber's Band in Chicago—Bits of Gossip Concerning Plays and Players.

ON TUESDAY, 13, the writer had the pleasure of visiting the Great Wallace Show, at Michigan City, Ind., and, through the courtesy of Mr. B. E. Wallace, and the excellent gentlemen on his general staff, spent a most enjoyable day.

The Wallace Show has encountered considerable bad weather this season, but considering the fact that they had four days rain out of every six since the opening at Peru, Ind., April 29, the circus equipment is in excellent condition.

Bob Abrams, the boss hostler, may well be proud of his stock, the horses show good care and are beauties. The side show is one of the best, if not the best, I have ever seen. There are seventy-five people on the annex pay-roll. Under Mr. McFarland's management, the side show, in the last six weeks, has done just half as much business as the annex played to during the entire tour last season. The books in the ticket wagon confirm this statement.

Equestrian Director Sweezy is to be complimented upon the excellent manner in which he has arranged the big show programme. The performance goes with a dash and swing which is altogether delightful.

John Talbot, the official adjuster, who has been under the weather for some time, rejoined the show at Michigan City. Al W. Martin is the picture of health, and Charles Thompson retains that sunny disposition which has made him beloved by all circus men.

As an extra side-show The Igorrottes are proving a specially strong money-making attraction. The Wallace Show played to good business in the afternoon, at Michigan City, with capacity at night. Mr. Wallace has a real show and its different departments are in the capable hands of real showmen.

Weber's band has not only received the unanimous and enthusiastic approval of the Chicago critics, but is making a big hit with the people of this city. Blanch B. Mehaffey, the soprano soloist with the band, has created a decided sensation. She is a handsome Cincinnati girl, who is winning fame for herself and her home city. Weber promises to break all attendance records at the Coliseum before the close of his engagement, July 16.

The presence of Col. R. C. Campbell on the first Pennsylvania eighteen-hour flyer to New York, Sunday, 11, added a degree of importance to the event and dignity to the passenger list.

B. E. Gregory, of the Pain Pyrotechnic Co., recently closed a contract with the Michigan State Agricultural Society for a five nights' engagement of Pain's New Spectacle, The Fall of Port Arthur. This production will be the principal feature of the Michigan State Fair, which is to be held at Detroit this year.

After one has witnessed all the various musical attractions now offered the theatre-going public of Chicago, the unprejudiced must come to the conclusion that Little Johnny Jones, now playing at the Illinois Theatre, is very much in the running. With the programme of the various other theatres announcing two or three librettists, and an equal number of composers, and a producer for each besides, it is remarkable that such a commendable production from every point of view as Little Johnny Jones, should be entirely the work of one man, George M. Cohan, and this young man not yet twenty-seven years of age. Mr. Cohan has just completed the book and music for Fay Templeton's new play, which will be produced next season under the management of Klaw & Erlanger. It is entitled For-ry-five Minutes From Broadway. It took Mr. Cohan exactly two months to a day to write the twenty-two musical numbers and all the dialogue, during which time he played every night in Little Johnny Jones, gave on an average of two matinees a week, and played two or three baseball games every week besides. Mr. Cohan is an indefatigable worker, arises every morning at 8:30, answers on an average of twenty-five letters a day, plays two matinees every week, and devotes two or three hours every afternoon, except matinee days, to athletic sports, his principal recreation being baseball. The very large business that Mr. Cohan continues to play to at the Illinois emphatically tells the story of his great popularity in this city.

Sans Souci Park, under the efficient management of Leonard Wolfe, is proving that

daily mecca for thousands of people. Mr. Wolfe has gathered together a number of superior attractions, and has chosen wisely by making a feature of Lorin J. Howard's comic opera organization, which is presenting The Paraders in a capable manner, and enjoying the liberal patronage of Sans Souci patrons.

The landscape effect of Sans Souci appeals strongly to the tired city-worker who, under the wide spreading trees and on the well-kept lawn, finds rest and recreation while listening to Howstrawer's First Regiment Band, and witnessing the free out-door attractions.

The cuisine of the Sans Souci cafe is to be highly commended, and throughout all departments of this most popular amusement resort every effort seems to be made to please the public. Sans Souci will undoubtedly enjoy the most prosperous season of its history.

Bobby Gaylor, the well-known Irish comedian, after an absence of many years, will return to the scene of his first triumph and where he received his start. Mr. Gaylor opens for nine weeks on the Affiliated Western Cir-

senational features, and all kinds of high-class acts, not only for vaudeville theatres, but also for fairs, parks, carnivals, etc., will be booked and handled directly in connection with the New York office. The increase in Mr. Armstrong's business has been so great that frequent visits to the music halls of England and European cities have become necessary in order to secure all the newest, most sensational and startling novelties.

E. R. Zarnos and Sisters Hess close a very successful four weeks on the Family Theatre Circuit in Ohio and Pennsylvania, and jump direct to the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., where they open Sunday, June 25, for twelve consecutive weeks on the Affiliated Circuit.

The Three Kuhns, singers, dancers and instrumentalists, closed in Detroit and open in Portland, June 18, for six weeks on the Affiliated Circuit, making their third visit to the coast on this circuit. During their last two visits they met with tremendous success and will be featured on their present tour. They are great favorites in the western country and their many orites in the western country and their many friends will welcome them back. They play six weeks, return to Kansas City, where they will spend a few weeks with their parents, and then go direct to New York City.

George H. Helser, general contracting agent for the Forepanh & Sella Brothers' Shows' was in Chicago for a day or two last week. Mr.

CAROL MORTON



One of the brightest of the many bright members of the big musical organization which has been presenting Wm. A. Brady's All 'Round Chicago at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, is Miss Carol Morton, whose likeness appears above. The young lady is a native of Cleveland, possesses a voice of rare timber and a pleasing personality, which has won her a legion of friends, both before and behind the footlights.

Happened in Nordland, now in the fourth week of its engagement. A great show.

The Selig Polyscope Co. reports a tremendous volume of business this season. Mr. Selig is working on a number of new subjects soon to be placed on the market.

J. A. Sternad, the genial manager of the Trans-Continental Vaudeville Association, gave another delightful supper Wednesday evening, 14, on the portico of the Sans Souci Park cafe. The writer had the pleasure of participating, and among others who relished the epicurean delights furnished by Caterer Dwyer, were Lorin J. Howard; John Conners, manager of the Calumet Theatre, South Chicago; Michael Simons; C. F. Barton, manager of West's Theatre, Peoria, Ill.; Frank Lafer, general passenger agent; P. H. Bntzen, city passenger agent; Roy Merritt, city ticket agent of the Great Western R.; Fred E. Deal, city passenger agent of the Michigan Central; James A. Marks, city passenger agent of the Rock Island; Robert Hammond, city passenger agent of the Big Four; Frank Wells, city passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio; W. A. Huppeler, proprietor of the Chicago Opera House; John J. Nash (the "Matinee Idol"), and J. A. Sternad.

The Bowery Newboys' Quartet, in a number of excellent selections, added considerable enjoyment to the occasion.

Mr. George Kleine, of the Kleine Optical Co., was called to New York City, Wednesday, 14, through the illness of his mother.

An amusement syndicate has secured a tract of land covering one hundred and forty acres, in Glen Ellyn, a suburb of Chicago, and will erect a new park to open in 1906.

The first two weeks of the run of The Mayor of Tokio at the Studebaker, seems to prove conclusively that Richard Carle has added another big success to his already conspicuous list of musical comedies. The piece has been drawing extremely large audiences since the opening night, and its popularity increases with every performance. In fashioning The Mayor of Tokio, Mr. Carle evolved an ideal form of summer entertainment. The opera is full of witty lines and funny situations, and the music is of the sort that tickles the ear. Mr. Carle as Marcus Orlando Kidder, has fitted himself with a capital role, which promises to become one of the noteworthy light opera character creations of several seasons. The supporting company is excellent. Considered in its entirety, The Mayor of Tokio is an excellent entertainment and ought to enjoy a prosperous stay in Michigan avenue.

Riverview Park is having its full share of visitors. The popularity of Herold's Band has increased since its adoption of lighter music. This park has long been noted for its Sunday attendance, and it affords recreation for the thickly settled northwestern section of the city, while many people come from a distance to enjoy the exceptional natural advantages provided by plenty of air space, shrubbery, trees and flowers in profusion.

WARREN A. PATRICK.

THE THREE GRACES



A big man, a little woman and a funny kid who have been meeting with glittering success throughout the middle west for the past year.

cult. at Butte, Mont., June 18, with Spokane, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver, Tacoma, Portland, San Francisco and Oakland to follow. Mr. Gaylor's last appearance on the coast was at the Orpheum, in San Francisco. Since then he has toured the coast in farce comedies, but that was many years ago. Undoubtedly he will receive a warm welcome from his old-time friends in the west, and win added laurels to an already enviable reputation.

Earl Doty, the enterprising manager of the Janesville (Wis) Vaudeville Theatre, was in Chicago for two days last week, closing contracts for a number of big acts soon to appear at his house, which is enjoying a successful season.

H. H. Buckwalter, western representative for the Selig Polyscope Co., with headquarters in Denver, made a flying trip east and spent two days at the home office in Chicago last week. Mr. Buckwalter is atypical westerner; genial, up-to-date and full of energy. He reported the business situation in Denver to be eminently satisfactory, and that travel to the Portland Exposition is heavy.

The Chicago office of the old established booking agent, James J. Armstrong, of New York, has been opened at 92 LaSalle St., and will be managed by Mr. Sam L. Tuck. He has arrived in Chicago for that purpose. The business will be conducted on the basis of strictest integrity and honest dealings, that have always characterized it, and made it famous and popular throughout the world. Mr. Tuck is a capable man, is well-known and will undoubtedly be a success in his new field; and his host of friends, in all branches of the profession, will be given a hearty greeting when they call at his office. European novelty acts,

Helser has rapidly forged to the front rank in the circus world, and is justly considered a "headliner" in advance work for the white tents.

Stephen Fitzpatrick opened at the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., June 12, with his new thirty-minute comedy, Two Matrimonial Ventures. This is Fitzpatrick's initial presentation of this comedy. Last season he starred in Hunting For Hawkins.

Frank M. Christie, for a number of years prominently identified with some of the leading circuses, is now on Melville B. Raymond's general staff with Buster Brown, which is playing to big business at the Great Northern. The Buster Brown business in Chicago is nothing short of remarkable.

The New Majestic Vaudeville Theatre opened in Aurora, Ill., Monday, 19, under the management of Sam Schiller, who announces a number of excellent bookings.

Col. Sam Loverick, manager of the Novelty Theatre, San Francisco, and interested in the Novelty Theatres, in Fresno, Stockton and Santa Rosa, is contemplating a flying business trip to the east shortly. During his stay in Chicago his permanent address will be the Affiliated Western Theatre Circuit's office, in the Grand Opera House building.

Eugene Cline will go to New York City this week to look over the plans of an addition which his company is to make in their establishment in the eastern metropolis.

The "all seats sold" sign is displayed at the Grand nearly every performance of it

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Co-mopolitan Players an International Attractions—An American Play By English Players—Modern Conception of Dante's Beatrice—Spring Chicken Produced—Revivals and Gossip.

WITH the summer come the strangers. Madame Yvette Guilbert commences a series of matinees at the Haymarket this afternoon. On Monday Madame Rejane inaugurates a season of three weeks at Terry's. On Wednesday M. Coquelin comes to the Shartesbury in L'Abbe Constantin. The following day a "command performance" at the Opera takes place in honor of the first visit to England of Spain's young king. And with Madame Bernhardt coming to the Coronet, and the music halls all featuring turns from abroad, we have great promise of a truly international season.

Hawthorne, U. S. A., was produced at the Imperial last Saturday night. The finish of the piece was hailed with an outburst of enthusiasm, which, however, may be attributed, partially at least, to the popularity of the principal actor. Mr. Lewis Waller, it is true, has played parts better suited to his personality, and of larger scope than that of Hawthorne, U. S. A. Yet out of the role of the easy-going imperturbable, resourceful American, he undoubtedly gets a good deal of capital, while making skillful, if intermittent, use of the national accent. In contradiction to the undoubted opinion of the "first night" audience, the press criticisms of Mr. Fagan's play have varied from slightly adverse to somewhat ripping.

Miss Rosina Fillipe's play, Beatrice, produced at the Court on Monday afternoon, proved a strong contrast in "atmosphere" to the bright sunshine outside. However gloomy the theme the author, nevertheless, may be congratulated on having approached much nearer to the real Dante than either Victoria Sardou or Emile Moreau in their play produced at Drury Lane by Sir Henry Irving a couple of years ago, or Alfred Calmour in his drama performed in the provinces, and at some of the outlying theatres.

The Spring Chicken, apropos of the month, will doubtless continue being served at the Gaiety long after even its Strand restaurant namesake has vanished from the menu. In Le Coquin de Printemps, from which Mr. George Crossmith, jr., had adapted his latest effusion, there is not overmuch of a story; in fact not more than is customary in Gaiety pieces. Tenyson's much quoted line, "In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love," is the sum of the Spring Chicken, and a bevy of brightly dressed girls, merrily tripping to airy music, gorgeous scenery, and no end of laughs, is the substance of the latest Gaiety production.

Pinero's farce, The Cabinet Minister, revived at the Haymarket on Thursday, is fifteen years old, but shows little sign of age. There is a story, thin perhaps, but sufficient to hang a long row of laughs on. It is ingenious and laughable satire of social eccentricities, both in the political and fashionable world; a satire which does not wound because it is both exaggerated and good humored.

The older operagoers, recalling times when the works of great composers were presented upon the English stage in the native tongue, will learn with regret of the sudden demise of Madame Lancia (Laure Florence Ladbroke Clarke), at the age of sixty-five years.

Mr. Huntley Wright, who bids farewell to Daly's, is the last left of the famous group of original artists engaged at the theatre. Miss Marie Tempest, Miss Letty Lind, Miss Maggie May, Mr. Hayden Coffin, have all gone elsewhere; and Mr. Henry Monkhouse and Miss Juliette Neaville are dead. Years fly quickly in the theatrical profession. It is only ten years since Mr. Huntley Wright first joined Mr. George Edwardes, and scarcely more than five years since the artists were all playing together.

In taking an engagement with Mr. Frohman to appear in musical comedy, Mr. Huntley Wright is only going back to the business in which he was grounded. His first appearance, however, was in a melodrama, Fate and Fortune, at the Princess', and afterward he was in farcical comedy with Miss Jeffreys and Mr. Charles Groves, at Terry's. Indeed, for the first eight years of his life he never played in

a musical piece. The first musical play in which he appeared, Dashing Prince Hal, he wrote himself. A strong recommendation from the late M. Marine brought him to the notice of Mr. George Edwardes, and from the Gelsba to the Little Michus he has had the good fortune to be engaged in the last ten years in an unbroken series of successes.

Miss Anna Keswick, a clever American comedienne and dancer, is the latest newcomer at the Tivoli.

It has been known for some time that the twice-a-night system at the Lyceum was not proving quite as successful as was hoped by Mr. Barrasford, the attendance at the first house being considerably below that at the second. On and after Jan. 5, the Lyceum will fall into line with the other West-end halls, like the Empire and the Alhambra, Pavilion, Tivoli and the Palace, and have only one performance, beginning at 7:45. This will, of course, entail an increase in the price of admission. On the other hand there will be many more turns, probably about eighteen.

If an arrangement which has been discussed by Mr. Stoll can be made workable, the number of performances to be presented at the Coliseum each day will be reduced from four to three.

The Elnore Sisters are playing a highly hilarious engagement at the Palace.

A matinee was given at the Hackney Empire Thursday afternoon for the benefit of Mr. Walter Howard, who was for many years "end man" of the Moore & Burgess Minstrels. An admirable programme had been arranged, many of the most popular music hall artists lending their aid to secure success.

The future policy of the Empire, which has been much in doubt lately, will be directed toward reducing the length of the ballet and ultimately eliminating it from the programme. A sensational development, however, may be expected about October, by which time it is hoped the "sketch" difficulty will be adjusted.

A "triple bill" will then be introduced at the Empire, consisting of three light items, such as were given at the Court Theatre some time back. One item will be a short play like Waterloo, the second a "revue," introducing variety "turns," and the third will be a musical sketch. The first production at the Empire will probably be M. Wilhelm's new ballet, Rip Van Winkle.

Moore and Littlefield will make their first appearance in England at the Lyceum on Monday. The next programme will also include The Harmony Four, who are playing two and three halls in the West-end with exceptional success.

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THE STROLLER

One of our contemporaries has criticised The Billboard's characterization of the Auditorium, at Red Wing, Minn., as a municipal theatre, stating that it is only a municipal institution in so far as individual gain is to be considered; while the productions there are selected from the ordinary road attractions, with an earnest care for the convenience of the managers in filling time. The point is not taken unadvisedly, but it is erroneous in deduction. While plays put on the stage of Red Wing's Auditorium are not specially prepared with a view to the moral and intellectual betterment of the good people of that fortunate little city, still the profit from the performances that are being given goes to the fund for future productions along more ambitious lines. The original bequest was exhausted in the erection of the theatre itself, and before special productions can fill its stage, the wherewithal to liquidate the expense so incurred must be raised. Red Wing will have a municipal theatre in the strictest sense of the word. Just give her time.

There seems to be a mistaken impression among newspapers generally with regard to the cause and purposes of James Metcalf's suit against the Association of Theatre Managers, of New York. Mr. Metcalf charges criminal conspiracy, founded on the managers' united action in excluding him from their houses. Most of the newspaper writers, even in the editorials, manifest a belief that the managers

kept Mr. Metcalf out because he criticised their attractions too severely to please them. Such is not the case, however. In these columns last week was reproduced a document calling attention to the alleged contumelious attacks of the critic of a certain publication upon the Jewish race, as represented by several members of the association. In the strict sense of the word, which the law requires, the document partook of none of the essentials of an agreement. It was merely advisory, and not arbitrary in any degree of fact or insinuation. The matter of reciprocity was left to individual discretion, and as a result some of the managers admitted Metcalf to their theatres and some refused to do so further. That alone would seem to eliminate the element of conspiracy from the evidence, leaving to be decided the question whether or not a theatre ticket is a revocable license.

Here in America we are wont to exclaim against the law when it forbids the appearance of children in productions that depend for success largely upon the efforts of the juvenile players. There are only a few of our states that object to the work of children on the stage on the grounds of violation of the Child Labor Law. But when the Kilties Band visited London, Max Dorewaki, the nine year old composer, was forbidden to conduct under the law that forbids a child under the age of ten performing at a place of amusement.

Chicago sprang an innovation last week in the form of a special trolley car for theatre parties, furnished by the traction company. The conveyance is of the long, double-track type, and in addition to the large seating capacity has sections reserved for refreshments. As the trolley lines pass practically all the downtown theatres the enterprise will, no doubt, prove a success.

It would seem to be a singular and precarious genius that must depend upon gauze skirts for stability. A case was recorded in a court of Paris last week in which Mlle. Edith Sarcy, star ballet dancer, who refused to appear in Massenot's Herodiade, was sued by the Isola Brothers, managers of that production, for breach of contract. Every possible expert was called to give testimony. The dancer argued that the historical costume given her was not suitable for a star, Mlle. Srandrini, a dancer at the Opera, was the only exception to the stars who upheld Mlle. Sarcy's contention that a star's dignity is compromised unless she is attired in gauze skirts. The decision is pending.

A London critic, reviewing the performance of Eleanor Duse, at the New Waldorf Theatre, commented upon the improvement in the actress' appearance. He characterizes her as less wan, less wistful and more comfortable looking. The secret lies in the fact that Signora Duse has changed her methods. Her aversion to make-up and wigs has disappeared, and her aggressive personality is now lost in the character she impersonates. It is an improvement, and the English critic is not the first to comment on it.

An American actors' fund is to be established in London. The move constitutes a long stride in the right direction. It is estimated that there are upward of 2,000 American born actors and performers in Great Britain, and the number is increasing year by year.

In case of illness or poverty these transatlantic players can get no relief whatever from the British actors' fund, which has never been a particularly flourishing institution, and the need of a special fund is urgent.

In case of bad luck the conditions are harder on the American music hall people than on those in the "legitimate." When whole companies are brought over, their return to the United States is guaranteed. On the other hand, few vaudeville performers have engagements before they leave America, so the actors' fund idea appeals strongly to them. R. G. Knowles and Eugene Stratton, who are the two highest salaried American music hall performers in England, are both interested in the scheme.

It is proposed to have the simplest kind of an organization, the control to be in the hands of five trustees, with no membership fee. Each American actor will be given a card which, by special arrangement, will entitle the holder to enter one of the best hospitals without the usual red-tape operation required in England in case of sudden illness. One big fund benefit in the shape of a continuous performance will be given annually in London, and it is being planned to hold the first one next July.

If it were announced in the United States that DeWolf Hopper was organizing a Passion Play, some little surprise would probably be expressed. Seymour Hicks, ex-comedian of the London Gaiety, holds a place on the English stage analogous to that occupied by Hopper in this country; so the announcement that Hicks is going to give London an English counterpart of the Oberammergau spectacle, has proved

somewhat startling. Charles Frohman will back the English actor in the project.

The Coquelin Brothers have built to themselves a monument in the Home for Aged Actors, which was thrown open in Paris last week. The institution was founded upon a fund started by the Coquelins, and occupies a handsome new building at the Foot Aux Dames. It is good to see the success of actors turned to the comfort of their less fortunate brothers.

Frank B. Hublin, Atlantic City correspondent for The Billboard, controls a gypsy camp on the board-walk. Several days ago Mr. Hublin received a letter from the manager of a gypsy camp, who desired to locate on the board-walk at Atlantic City and wanted to know the conditions there. He recognized Hublin as a source of information only in his connection with The Billboard. Our correspondent has not advised us what his reply was, but of course, he urged upon the enquirer the advantage of taking up his stand as early as possible in the City by the Sea.

KILTIES BAND HOME

The Kilties Band, of Belleville, Can., which has just finished a very successful tour of America, England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, covering in all a period of thirteen months, arrived in Montreal, June 18, for a brief tour of Canada, after which it goes into Belleville to give its members a well-deserved rest. Mr. T. P. J. Power, manager of the band and director of its tours, says that the one now closing is the largest in the history of the Kilties, and perhaps of any band on record. The tour opened in Buffalo, N. Y., May 28, and closes July 2, at Belleville. The tour was notable in other respects, the band having received an ovation in every city in which it appeared, and being twice called before the King of England, who praised it highly.

After a brief rest in Belleville the Kilties will open in Cincinnati, July 30.

SMALL BUYS THEATRE

Mr. A. J. Small, for several years lessee and manager of the Grand Opera House, Toronto, Can., recently purchased the same house, paying for it the sum of \$20,000. Mr. Small practically controls the Canadian Circuit, and has made a big success of the Toronto Theatre. He announces that he will expend several thousand dollars in the way of improvements, and promises an up-to-date theatre for next season. Mr. D. P. Beaulieu will continue as resident manager for Mr. Small, having proved himself well qualified for the office. Attractions are being booked for next season.

WOMEN USHER OPERA PATRONS

Pittsburg is giving its fair young damsels an opportunity to prove their worth as theatrical ushers. The management of the Nixon Theatre, in that city, opened the house June 12 with the Carleton Opera Co. In a summer engagement, the first attraction being announced as When Johnny Comes Marching Home. It was announced also, though no reason was assigned, that young ladies would take the places of the regular male ushers. To the surprise of the management and the company, the first curtain went up on a well filled house. Whether it was the company, Johnny or the girls that brought the crowd we are unformed, and it is possible that the management has not decided which of the trio is guilty. However, the engagement continues with big box office receipts, and we heard the assertion that the regular ushers will be out of a job for a while.

KATHERYN KLARE

(See First Page)

On the title page of this issue appears an excellent likeness of Miss Kathryn Klare, whose rich soprano voice and talents as a reader of lines, has created the most favorable comment among the lovers of the best in vanderlille. Miss Klare's success on the vanderlille stage has induced Mr. J. L. Bender to contract to star her next season in an entirely new play, written especially for her. Miss Klare was born in 1875. Her parents were performers, and at an early age she manifested a marked tendency for the stage. With her natural endowments, and her attainments and her resourcefulness, she will undoubtedly be enabled to renew upon the legitimate stage those successes for which she has become noted upon the continuous.

WITH THE PRESS AGENTS



to Jersey City and opened a dramatic agency, and the first job that came in I took myself, and closed up the office, after mailing the landlord his key. And now, my dear Mr. Dockstader, can I prevail on you for the loan of \$10 until I become financially embarrassed?"

"Oh, yes," answered Dockstader, "but not for ten. Here is a five to assist you on your gentle way."

"All right, thanks," gratefully replied the thespian; "you can owe me the other five."

Because of George Ade's reputation for humor the press agents of all the companies playing the Indiana playwright's productions take occasion frequently to add to the number of witticisms accredited to him. Of course all these attempts to imitate the author of Fables in Slang are not worthy of his genius, but the following will bear repeating:

"We used to be very much afraid of George Ade at rehearsals," said Frances Ring of the County Chairman Co. "Not that he was ever disagreeable, but he was so distant and quiet. He never took the least notice of the actors. I used to say to the other girls that it was just as well, because he'd probably say something very clever, and we'd never know how to answer him."

"One day, though, I was sitting on a costume basket, when Mr. Ade came and sat down beside me. I was frightened nearly to death. He didn't open his mouth for maybe a minute. Then he turned and said:

"Which would you rather be—a literary man or a burglar?"

"I gave him the first thing that came into my head."

"What's the difference?" said I."

Channing Pollock recently had Lillian Russell interviewed as to her likes and dislikes. The result follows:

Your favorite virtue? Honesty and respectability.

Vice you most dislike? Lying. I hate a liar.

Your favorite character in history. Queen Elizabeth.

Your favorite motto? Never mind, it'll be the same a hundred years hence; or, it will all come out in the wash.

Your favorite name for a man? Any that isn't a sissy name. John has always been my favorite.

Your favorite employment? The show business, and the more of it the better.

Your favorite amusement? Riding—horseback, motor car, yacht, trolley car, hansom, ferryboat or elevator. I want to be on the move.

Your favorite flower? The American Beauty rose, because it is the most expensive.

Your favorite color? Blue, when it is confined to my clothes and the sky. Otherwise, orange.

Your favorite book? Anything left us by old Marcus Aurelius.

Your favorite song? The one that goes best.

Your favorite poem? Homer, whose Iliad has been plagiarized by every rhymester since his time.

City in which you would rather live? New York. I'm used to it.

Your favorite language? The English, because my friends can understand it.

Your present state of mind? Perfectly tranquil, thank you.

Your idea of perfect happiness? To have all the money I want to spend and to live where I please.

Your idea of perfect misery? To be broke all the time.

MUSICAL.

Cliff Wodetzki, for the past winter in advance of Gus Hill's Happy Hooligan Co., is booking some live towns for the United States Carnival Co.

The only appearance of Mme. Calve in Iowa will be at the Auditorium in Des Moines, Manager Foster having closed the contract for the appearance of the singer in that house.

Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger are reported to have secured control of all the musical productions of the Lyric, Daly's, the Prince of Wales and the Apollo theatres in London for the next five years.

Manager C. S. Cone, director of Cone's Military Band and Orchestra, of Wausau, Wis., has just finished a very pretty little piece of vocal music which he will have published by a leading New York music house in a few weeks.

Austin S. Benson, the lad who hails from the Buckeye state, seems to be one of the first to succeed in breaking the monotony with his songs. It's The Irish, Imagination and All For Country, Home and Mother. They are being featured by the most prominent singers before the public.

Notes from The Two Merry Tramps Co.: This attraction will be the only musical farce on the road this season having a tramp title, although there will be seven of this variety to open in August. A fine line of new printing has been ordered from the Donaldson Litho. Co., and we will also have all new scenery and costumes.

MINSTREL.

The famous Bartelli troupe of English acrobats, which have been engaged for the John W. Vogel Minstrels, will arrive in New York about July 10.

Mr. John W. Vogel, accompanied by Mrs. Vogel and Treasurer Chas. Grimley, is spending a few weeks at Orchard Island and Indian Lake. The Minstrel King has just finished one of the most prosperous seasons in the history of minstrelsy, and he deserves a good rest at the best resorts in the country.

Mr. Fred P. Russell closed a very successful season of forty weeks, May 20, with the John W. Vogel Minstrels, at Columbus, Ohio, and has launched his Minstrel Comedians, which are making good at the summer resorts. They played Lakeside Park, Akron, Ohio, last week. Mr. Russell has signed with the W. R. Nankerville-Haverly Minstrels for the coming season.

WALDMANN IN NEW YORK

Eduard Waldmann, the eminent German tragedian, has entirely recovered from his illness which kept him from behind the footlights the past winter, and on June 20 opened an engagement at the Windsor Theatre, New York, with a specially selected company. Mr. Waldmann will appear in the most popular plays of his extensive repertoire, including Faust, The Merchant of Venice and Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

DRAMATIC.

Edward Stanton will play leads in the Old Virginia Co. the coming season.

Summer shows are said to be plentiful in Maine, especially among the smaller cities.

C. H. Smith is booking the Two Sisters and will be under his management next season.

George Alexander is to bring out in London a new play, entitled The Nursery Governess.

Miss Flora Dorset has been engaged by the Howard-Dorset Co. for the summer season at Sioux City, Ia.

Chas. T. Aldrich and company open August 3 at the Bijou Theatre, Pittsburg, Pa., in Secret Service Sam.

Hoyt's Comedy Co. will feature a scenic production of H. Walter Van Dyke's Across The Desert next season.

Forbes Robertson opened the Scala Theatre in London recently with The Man of Destiny and Caesar and Cleopatra.

Leonard A. Emmert and Minna Griffin, having closed with the Miller Stock Co., are spending the summer at Galesburg, Ill.

When Women Love opened June 6 at Venal Haven, Me., for a summer tour of that state. They also go into the provinces.

The newsboys of Minneapolis, Minn., were recently entertained at the Bijou Theatre by the Nettie, The Newgirl, Co., which engagement closed the house for the season.

Mr. Edwin Stanton is business manager for the Howard-Dorset Co. upon its summer tour. He is booking The Boy Tramp, which will be featured by this well-known company next season.

The Henderson Stock Co. will play a summer engagement at the Odeon, Marshalltown, Ia. This is the first venture of its kind in the city, and Manager Busby, of the Odeon, is sanguine as to the results.

Mr. John M. Hickey, having completely booked his companies for next season, has decided to close his offices in the Empire Theatre Building, New York, and will spend the summer with his daughter at Ridgewood, N. J.

Mr. Edward Leo, stage manager of The Liberty Bells Co., arrived at his home in Cedar Rapids, Ia., June 9, to spend his summer vacation. He opens with the company at the Lafayette Theatre, Washington, D. C., the second week in August.

Messrs. Shipman & Colvin, who last season featured Florence Gale in As You Like It, will the coming season feature Miss Roselle Knott in When Knighthood Was in Flower. Miss Knott's success last season in Cousin Kate is well remembered by all theatregoers.

After his London season, Forbes Robertson will tour America under the direction of Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger in Hamlet and Othello. Arrangements are being made whereby the well-known English actor will divide his time between London and New York.

In a wreck on the Wisconsin Central Railway, the Cy Flunkett Co. lost all its baggage, though all of the fourteen members escaped unharmed. Manager Lewis was thereby forced to close the company for the season, in spite of the fact that it was booked until July 15.

The Rev. J. F. Milbank, of the Episcopal Church, at Owensboro, Ky., has cast aside the robes of his clerical calling, and has gone into Chicago with the avowed intention of devoting his talents to the stage. He is now rehearsing in a drama that will go on the road next season.

The Temple Stock Co., recently organized at Cedar Rapids, Ia., and opening in that city June 5, is composed of the following people: A. E. Bellows and F. M. Coggeshall, managers; Chas. F. Marston, John J. Fay, Bobt. Hardaway, E. H. Strickland, Geo. Marlow, Dottie Temple, Minora G. Childs and Bertha Bell.

Rehearsals for The Prodigal Son will commence the later part of July in London, at the Drury Lane Theatre, where the company opens on Sept. 4. Mr. Hall Caine is conferring with the American and London managers regarding the scenic side of the play, which it is announced will be the largest ever seen in drama.

The following members compose the Grand Valley Stock Co., playing a summer engagement at Grand Valley Park, Brantford, Ont.: Frank P. Haven, manager; Wm. H. Dehman, Clarence Ferguson, Edward Dupont, Willis H. Davis, Fred Coulter, Chas. Karmont, Harry Knight, Frances E. Brendt, Beth Sommerville, Rene D'Arcy, Margaret Hagen and Bessie Warren.

Lovers of the popular-priced melodrama will next season be treated to No Mother to Guide Her, a vehicle written by Miss Lillian Mortimer, for her own use a season hence. Miss Mortimer will be exploited as the only star who shapes her own vehicles. Messrs. Decker & Veronce, who have assumed the management of this actress for next season, announce that a successor to the above play will be Headstrong Betty.

It is reported that the good church people of Ravenna, Ohio, are determined against Sunday theatricals, and accordingly have had

J. B. DYLLYN



He originated the part of Sing Song, the Chinese newspaper man in Little Johnny Jones, and is making a distinct and artistic hit in his clever impersonation. Mr. Dyllyn was formerly in vanderbilt and made good to such an extent, that he has been pressed to return. He has accepted the proposition, and will tour the Orpheum Circuit when Little Johnny Jones closes.

arrested and brought before the city magistrate the members of the Brady Lake Theatre Co. Church "spotters" were present at the performance, and when the last curtain had gone down had the papers served upon the members. They were fined \$1. This action is a continuation of last year's procedure.

Mr. Chas. B. Dillingham, while in London, conferred with Clyde Fitch and Maxine Elliott regarding the new Fitch play, which the actress is to produce in New York, Sep. 11. Mr. Dillingham also arranged plans whereby Fritzie Scheff will be seen on the London stage, season of 1906-07, in her entire repertoire of American successes. The London engagement will continue for eight weeks, with a change of bill each week.

The first stage marriage ever contracted at Ashland, Ky., occurred June 5, between Miss Josephine Kennedy and Mr. A. H. Fox, both members of the National Stock Co., then playing an engagement at Cliffside Park. Between the second and third acts the curtain was raised upon what the audience supposed to be the third act. However, they realized that they were about to witness a stage marriage, when to their surprise the minister walked on the stage, followed by the happy couple and a number of the other members of the company, and performed the ceremony.

Mr. Chas. Frohman has almost completed his plans for his English season of 1906-06. The well-known manager will have in the British metropolises on en tour no less than sixteen enterprises. There will be two Dictator companies en tour, two Leah Kleschnas, and touring companies will be made up of Sherlock Holmes, Alice Sit-by-the-Fire, The Admirable Crichton and The Little Minister. His stars will include Marie Tempest, Ellen Terry, Huntley Wright, Seymour Hicks, Ellaline Terris and William Collier, a part of whose American time Mr. Frohman is now trying to cancel in order to keep him in London the major portion of the season.

The roster of the Thanhouser Stock Co., of Milwaukee, for the coming season is as follows: Evelyn Vaughn, leading woman; Grace Rauworth, juvenile woman; Corinne Cantwell, ingenue; Emily Wakeman, character; Belle Seymour, general business; Edgar Baume, leading man; A. H. VanBuren, juvenile man; N. Shelton Lewis, heavy; DeWitt Jennings, character man; Joseph Dalley, comedian; John Clarkson, second comedian; Meredith Brown, light comedian; David Hartford, characters and stage manager; Reginald Parry, assistant stage manager. The members of the company will arrive soon and begin rehearsals at once. Manager Edwin Thanhouser has purchased the rights to a large number of plays, and only the leading successes of the past few seasons will be produced, among which are Mervyl Mary Ann, Pretty Peggy, Raffles, Sherlock Holmes, The Crisis, Mrs. Wiggs of The Cabbage Patch, Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, Mary of Magdala, Bonnie Brier Bush and the Earl of Pawtucket.

Notes from the DeLacour & Fields attractions: We opened our eighth consecutive season under canvas at Bluffton, Ind., May 1, and so far business has been larger than ever before. The company carries forty-two people, making it one of the largest repertoire companies under canvas. The roster embraces Chas. DeLacour and Lew Fields, managers and sole owners; Harry Choate, J. A. West, William Dalrymple, E. M. Barnes, Sheridan Holmes, Nat. Yale, Lote Patton, Will Meader, L. A. Longnecker, O. M. Walters, Louis Stenzenbach, Herman Albertmeyer, F. O. Weakley, Louis Shire, Harry Lawrence, Harry Westley, Bertie Wade, Martin Goodale, John Meader, Earl Math, Volney Ballenger, William Green, Tom Hatfield, Gabe Shoemaker, Abe Studebaker, Fred Barrymore, Fred Miller, B. A. Thomas, Emmet White, Minnie Pearl, Minnie Murray, Maria Meader, Lulu Shire, Pansy DeLacour, Mabel White, Marie Westley, Edna Boush, Bertha Long, Genevieve DeLacour and Erminie DeLacour.

Regina DeKoven is made a party to the following badinage: Speaking of his scrapbook recently, a newspaper man remarked: "The average journalist begins by clipping everything he writes." The composer of Robin Hood smiled. "Yes," he answered, "and ends by writing everything he clips."

Which recalls George Ade's rejoinder when a friend asked him if Mr. DeKoven wrote the score of Babetta.

"Not yet," said Mr. Ade.

It is easily surmised that Punch Wheeler evolved the following story while he was doing Lew Dockstader's press work. At any rate it is in his style.

Dockstader met an actor friend on Forty-second street in New York, who was telling him of an elegant suite of rooms he had on Second avenue—a hall bedroom and a coal box.

"But you are working?" said Dockstader.

"Oh, yes; that is, I begin tomorrow on the road after a year's hard luck. It was a remarkable, diplomatic conception, the manner in which I secured the present engagement. I went over

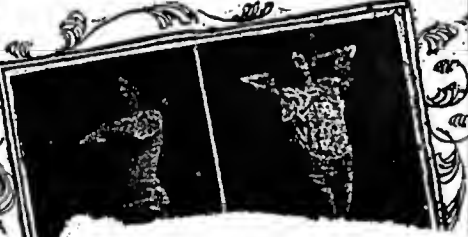
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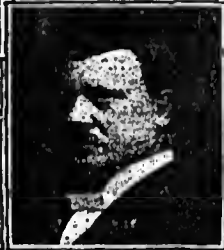
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ALABAMA

SHEFFIELD.—The Rustic Theatre at Three Cities Park opened to S. B. O. with the Williams Comedy Co. for a two weeks' engagement. Owing to their success they have been re-engaged for two weeks to be followed by the Hollingsworth Twins Comedy Co. for a two weeks' engagement, opening June 28. J. B. McClary is manager of the park. Woodside Park (Buck Morris, mgr.) Straight vaudeville, by colored performers to good business. This park is for colored people only.

BIRMINGHAM

—East Lake Casino (M. L. Benson, mgr.) Olympic Musical Comedy Co. in Olivette 12-14; Fra Divolo 15-17; large houses nightly; creditable performances. Next: Billy (Single) Clifford in A High Born Lady.

COLORADO

DENVER.—The Broadway and Tabor Grand theatres have closed their doors for the summer season, so that now the gardens and the beach will have everything their own way. Both places are certainly beautiful enough to please the most critical. Elitch's Gardens (Mary Elitch-Long, mgr.) The Henrietta is the mill this week and is capably presented. The excellent stock company managed by Mr. Bellows grows in favor with the Denver public every week. The leading roles were played by Miss May Buckley, Miss Edna Aug, Mr. Bruce McEae, Mr. Theodore Roberts and others of note. Next: The Japanese Nightingale. Manhattan Beach (H. W. Lawrence, mgr.) Business at this popular resort grows as the days and nights become warmer. The outdoor attractions now number fifteen and a most enjoyable evening can be spent among them. The bill this week is an exceptionally good one, the following appearing: Amata, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Litchfield, Sam DuVries, Zoa Mathews, Lee Ingham, and the moving pictures. New Curtis Theatre (A. E. Felton, mgr.) The Curtis is doing a good business this week with Frison Bare, produced Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and The Mas produced the latter part of the week. The specialties this week are all good; business very good. New Crystal Theatre (Geo. I. Adams, mgr.) Owing to the death of Mr. Adams' only son, the Crystal was closed a part of the week. Mr. Adams has the sympathy of the Denver public in his affliction. The theatre reopened Monday night with the following bill: Four Duffes, Foulkert, Seaman and Rogers, Three Hylands, Mildred, Carver and Carver, and moving pictures. Novelty Theatre (Henry Lotelski, mgr.) Business excellent. The bill this week is Carey Brothers, Frosind, The DeLacey, Miss Burton, DeVoy and DeVoy, Mlle. LaBlanche, Bernard Williams, and the moving pictures. J. D. McGINNIS.

CONNECTICUT

HARTFORD.—Parsons' Theatre (H. C. Parsons, mgr.) The Hunter-Bradford Players scored another success with their excellent presentation of When We Were Twenty-one, week 5. The plays are all presented with a finish rarely seen in stock productions. The Hunter-Bradford Players are a stock company of the highest type, and their efforts are meeting with the success which they deserve. Next: All The Comforts of Home. Circus—Bingling Brothers played here 6, and despite unpleasant weather the big tent was crowded at both performances. The show was excellent in every respect. Poli's Theatre (L. C. Kirby, mgr.) The Poli Stock, headed by Daniel F. Ryan and Alice Fleming, opened the summer season with An Enemy to The King week 5, and followed with Jim The Fenman. This company played here last summer and has a large following among those who attend the theatre. They always play to good houses. Next week they will present The Wearing of a Princess and My Old Kentucky Home.

WATERBURY.—Jacques Opera House (Jean Jacques, mgr.) Poli's Own Stock Co. in Dorthea Vernon of Haddon Hall week 5; best business of the engagement so far. The Charity Ball week 12; DaBarry week 19. Poli's Theatre (Jean Jacques, mgr.) The vaudeville performance for the benefit of the stage hands of Jacques and Poli's theatres, given June 7, was a financial success, the house being packed with an enthusiastic audience. At close of the performance local No. 83 was presented with a check for \$100 by managers Poli and Jacques. Item—Miss Edith Grudins has been chosen to fill the vacancy in the Poli Stock Co. caused by the retirement of Mrs. Anna Bates, who joined the Proctor Circuit. BRIDGEPORT.—Poli's (Jos. O'Riddle, mgr.) Under Two Flags week 12, drew large and pleased audiences. Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall week 19. Circus—With fair weather, a concourse of twenty thousand greeted Kingling Brothers 8, pronouncing the parade and performance superb. Jas. A. Bailey was a visitor. Steeplechase Island (Geo. Tilyou, mgr.) The German Marine Band of fifty musicians opened a two weeks' engagement 12.

ILLINOIS

PEORIA.—Al Froco Park (O. Seavers, Jr., mgr.) This park opened to the public June 10, with very unfavorable weather, but despite this the attendance proved the interest of the public in this class of amusement. A majority of the features are completed and are proving popular. The following are the special attractions: Waborn & Whitney, novelty and comedy aerialists; McAtson, world's champion high diver; Stuart and Levard, daring feats on slack wire; Fred, Geo. Young, slide for life; and band concerts afternoon and evening. The Banda Rossa will play here June 29.

UDICATE.—Dreamland Theatre (Rolla V. Mallory, mgr.) Week 12: Vaudeville including

the Bamsey Sisters, Dacy, Chase and Adair, The Durbyelles, Richards, the haap roller; Kent, monologist, and the cinematograph to good business. Items—Barnum & Bailey's Circus 15. • • Ferrari Brothers Carnival Co. passed through here on the Wabash June 11, en route from Danville to Quincy. • • Bauscher's Carn. Co. was also handled by the Wabash June 11, from Decatur to Litchfield.

JOLIET.—Grand Theatre (Louis Goldberg, mgr.) Bill week 5 included Arthur Borella, comedy musical act; Berdona Gilbert, illustrated songs; Lewis and Chapin, Ragtime Irishman and the Gay Soubrette; Nellie Vaughn, singer; The Metropolitan Four, and the polycycle to good business. Starting June 17 and 18, the Grand will run Saturday matinee and night, and Sunday night of each week, during the hot weather.

INDIANA

EVANSVILLE.—Oak Summit Park (W. B. Merrill, mgr.) Smith and Orado, Phillips Sisters, Fred and Mae Waddell, Eolo and Payne, Harry Clinton, Sawyer, and the kinodrome pleased big audiences June 11-17. Next week: Don and Thompson, Blasonette and Newman, Newell and Niblo, Ferguson and Fessmore, Leo and Chapman, and the kinodrome. Circus—Barnum & Bailey's Show appeared here 18 for the first time in eleven years. Cook's Park (Harry Lawrence, mgr.) La Mothe Trio, Miss Nellie, J. C. Pope & Co., Clint and Besale Robbins, Will King, Edith Shaw, and the kinodrome.

MARION.—Grand Theatre (H. Sommers, mgr.) Bill week 12: Rose and Ellis, Stewart and Raymond, Rita Gibson, Falow and Kartell, Bert Wiggins, and moving pictures to capacity business. Crystal Theatre (J. H. Ammons, mgr.) Bill week 12: The Hardies, Irene White, Ed. Poulter, Early and Late, and the kinodrome to good business.

WARREN.—Boyd Park (Jas. Irwin, mgr.) Creators and his Band May 28-30; five concerts to big business. Chas. Burt's Musical Comedy Co. week June 4, in The King of Ho-Lo, pleased good houses. Dickson & Mustards Humpty Dumpty week 11.

FRANKFORT.—Blinn Theatre (Langebreake & Hufford, mgrs.) Bessy Stock Co. week 12; pleased capacity business.

IOWA

CEDAR RAPIDS.—Greene's Opera House (J. B. Henderson, mgr.; W. S. Collier, bus. mgr.) The Temple Stock Co. week June 5; satisfactory business. Cushman & St. Clair billed 12-17; canceled. This brings the season to a close. House will be thoroughly overhauled during the summer.

People's Theatre (Ray W. Fay, mgr.) Satisfactory business past week. People week 12: Hazel and Harry Adams, Mac Delmay, Laura Jones and Chas. H. Clark, Ray W. Fay, and the polycycle. Under Canvas—Carl Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show June 14.

WATERLOO.—Brown's Opera House (C. F. Brown, mgr.) Dark week 5. Temple Stock Co. week 12; good business. Johnson's Electric Theatre (E. H. Johnson, mgr.) Bill week 12: Bentham and Freeman, Joe Hayes, Misses Kendall and Thompson, cornet soloists, and moving pictures. Advance car No. 1 of Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show, in charge of P. W. Harrill, was here 9, billing the town for June 23.

OSKAHOCA.—Carl Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Shows June 10. Owing to bad weather was unable to give matinee performance, but the tent was crowded at night. Parker Amusement Co. June 19-24; benefit baseball club.

IOWA FALLS.—Forepaugh-Sells Brothers' Shows 9; capacity business, excellent performance.

KANSAS

PARSONS.—Electric Park Theatre. A Much Married Man 5-7; good show, excellent business. The Inside Track 8-10; good show, fair business.

CHERRYVALE.—Opera House (Chas. Cash, mgr.) Trousdale Stock Co. 5-10; fair houses, good company.

NEWTOWN.—Beecher & Stanley's Ten Nights in a Barroom, under canvas, 17; W. P. Hall's Circus 24.

KENTUCKY

LOUISVILLE.—Hopkins' Fontaine Ferry Park (Wm. Reichman, mgr.) Bill in the theatre week 11 includes Ford Brothers and Sisters, singers and dancers; Folk and Orlina, musical artists; Jack Northworth comedian; Louise Dremer, singing comedian; and Heety and Keeley, acrobats. The fireworks are a special feature and draw large crowds. Next: Hewitt, Freese Brothers, Schrack and Rice, and Staley and Birbeck. Riverview Park (Lum Smoons, mgr.) Prof. Eichman's Band and a colored troupe of performers. The Watermelon Trust, in special songs and dances week 11; good business. Jockey Club Park (Matt. Wm. mgr.) Does and his band of fifty pieces 11-17; good crowds. Hammer's Park (Casper Hammer, mgr.) Concerts for the week by Siebert's Band with special singing by Wm. Thomas. Ninaweb Park (Summer Bros., mgrs.) Music by the orchestra and now moving pictures week 11.

Phoenix Hill Park (Wm. Zable, mgr.) Kentucky Military Band June 14; good music and good crowd. Woodland Grove (Billie Robinson, mgr.) Shepherd's of Bethlehem Pictic June 22. Masonic Theatre (C. A. Shaw, mgr.) Local dramatic club in the farce, What's Next, June 14; to fair house. Old Fiddler's Contest 14-16. Kenna-Pain's Fireworks are drawing good crowds. • • Mr. W. J. Barker, the local am-

poser, will have out some new material shortly. • • Mayme Childers is here visiting her people. • • High Street's Dog Show will take the road shortly. • • Frank Lunde is visiting his people here. ORVILLE B. TAYLOR.

MARYLAND

BALTIMORE.—Despite the fact that the city is threatened with an invasion and destruction by its real enemy—Admiral Dickins' Armada—the city's commerce will not be interrupted, nor will the pleasure of the citizens be interrupted. Beginning at midnight Sunday, and during the ensuing ten days the harbor approaches will assume a warlike appearance. The annual Army and Navy Maneuvers will be in progress and the resorts along the water front will be taxed to their limits with the thousands of visitors who will be anxious to see the great fleet make its theoretical attack against Baltimore's impregnable defenses. For several months the soldiers at the forts have been tuning up for this conflict and it remains to be seen whether the present defenders can cover themselves with glory as did the heroes in the memorable fight on Sept. 13, 1814 which inspired Francis Scott Key to give to the world his immortal song, The Star Spangled Banner. Similar attacks will be made on Washington and other places along the Chesapeake Bay.

The season of 1904-05 has officially ended with the closing of the Academy of Music, which will reopen in September. The summer opera season was very successful and gratifying to the management. At the closing performance of The French Maid, Saturday night, Miss Maida Snyder, Baltimore's young comic opera star whose career has been most noteworthy, occupied a box, and during the last act she received an ovation. Miss Grace Cameron sang a song entitled Dainty Little Maid, which was written by Archie E. Morrow and the music composed by John Itzel and dedicated to the young star. The large audience present gave vent to its approval of this worthy recognition, and a large bouquet of roses was presented to Miss Snyder. A party of students from the Johns Hopkins University occupied boxes and also added their share to the demonstration. After the performance the company was entertained at a banquet given by Mr. M. J. Lehmyer.

Electric Park (Aug. Fenneman, mgr.) The past week was a record breaker at this famous resort. Races were held during the afternoons and were well attended, and the resort seems to have increased in popularity. One of the greatest features ever seen on the vaudeville stage is the Castle Square Opera Co., now appearing for a limited season. The company is composed of a small coterie of opera singers, who have already won distinction in grand opera. Their work in the presentation of Cavalleria Rusticana last week received the highest commendation and praise from the public. This week they present The Bohemian Girl; while it is somewhat lighter it is marked with the usual artistic excellence that makes the act one of the distinguished features of the performance. Miss Jeannette Hiller, whose fine soprano voice and charming grace has given her a distinction in grand opera, is the leading prima donna. Miss Hatty Sims McCarthy has a fine voice and her work is praiseworthy. Miss Jessal Simms, George Cacom and Anthony Swinler are worthy of mention. Mr. Julian Greer is stage manager, and the operas are nicely staged. Mr. E. Lawrence McCarthy is the general manager of the company. Other acts on the program are the Zarrov Trio, Nete Leipzig, Alburus and Miller and Hodges and Launchmere.

Monumental Theatre (James L. Kernan, mgr.) Miner's Americans were repellant with delightful features. The host of clever comedians and pretty girls make a strong attraction. The Greater Baltimore Exposition and Carnival opened June 12, and will continue for three weeks. The opening was attended with great success and at night the grounds are brilliantly lighted. The trades display by leading merchants and manufacturers was very interesting. The Jones-Adams Carnival Co. have provided some unique and novel attractions for the amusement end of the show. S. SCHEINBERG, 224 Lawrence st.

CUMBERLAND.—Academy of Music (Mellinger Bros., mgrs.) Prof. Camillo Bacca, pianist, will play without intermission, from 14-16. Item—The project of building a new opera house has been abandoned on account of the excessive cost.

HAGERSTOWN.—The Firemen's celebration drew good crowds last week, though the weather was very inclement. Item—Report has it that Clyde Wolfe, of Texas Bill's Circus, has a bad case of rheumatism.

MASSACHUSETTS

HOLYOKE.—Opera House (Jos. Shea, mgr.) Diamond Stock Co. in When We Were Twenty-one week June 6; Held By The Enemy week 12; good business. This company is giving some excellent productions. Mountain Park Casino (Robert Kane, mgr.) Vaudeville and moving pictures 4-10. Circus—Ringling Brothers' Circus June 10; finest parade ever seen here; capacity at both performances.

FALL RIVER.—Sheedy's New Bijou (D. B. Buffington, mgr.) The Buffington Stock Co. in Lost in New York week 5; delighted large audiences. What Happened to Jones week 12. Item—Ground was broken June 15 for the erection of the New Castle Theatre, which will be one of the handsomest theatres in New England.

NORTH ADAMS.—Hoosac Valley Park opens its season 30, and Manager Meade has a very strong list of vaudeville acts booked. Circus—John Robinson's Circus is billed heavily for 16; Hargreaves for 25.

MICHIGAN

BAY CITY.—Washington Theatre (W. J. Daunt, mgr.) Special five days' engagement of vaudeville, 8-10, with LaVeen and Cross, Leah Russell, Hastings and Burns, Madge Fox, The Sisters DeVan and animated pictures, which drew fair houses, and pleased the audience. The house will be dark until sometime in August. Items—E. A. Milligan, musical director at Washington Theatre, will act in the same capacity at Wenona Beach Park during the summer. • • J. O. Talbot, head superintendent of the Wallace Shows, who became ill with appendicitis and was taken to Mercy Hospital here, is able to be about again. It was not necessary to operate. • • Dr. F. O. Gilbert, a former Bay City dentist, is now with Wallace Shows as assistant manager. The Great Wallace Shows were here June 9, and gave two very

satisfactory performances. There were several new features which pleased. Owing to the street car strike, transportation was interfered with, but nevertheless the tent was filled. Mr. DeWolf, the press agent, is the right man in the right place.

FLINT.—Stone's Theatre (Albert C. Fegg, mgr.) The vaudeville bill 7-8, drew good business. Circus—Barnum & Bailey's Car No. 2, was here June 8, billing for June 12-17.

SAULT STE. MARIE.—Soo Opera House (W. H. Seach, mgr.) Jewell Stock Co. 5-10; fair business. Vaudeville 12-17.

MINNESOTA

MINNEAPOLIS.—Bijou Opera House (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) Dora Thorne week 4; pleased good houses. House closed with Nettie The News Girl week 15. Circus—Forepaugh & Sells Brothers did only fair business on account of bad weather.

Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) Grace Van Studdiford in Red Feather 11-14; Sothen-Marlowe Co. in Much Ado About Nothing 15; Romeo and Juliet 16.

Lycium Theatre (Dick Ferris, mgr.) Ferris Stock Co. opens the summer season with Francesca de Rimini June 11.

Dewey Theatre (M. H. Singer, mgr.) Closes week 11, with only fair business.

Unique Theatre. Strong bill of vaudeville pleased good houses. Jessal Green, LaDrew and LaZone, Pettigill and Burns, the Kettie Trio, Irene White and the motion pictures week 11. Wonderland (H. A. Dorsey, mgr.) Business good considering the weather. All features are now in working order. The Baby Incubator is attracting large crowds. The specialties for this week are Journal Cadet Band, high dive and fireworks Tuesday and Friday evenings.

ST. PAUL.—Metropolitan Opera House (L. N. Scott, mgr.) E. H. Sothen and Julia Marlowe 12-14, drew large and fashionable houses. Red Feather with Grace Van Studdiford and capable company 15-17; good business. The regular season of summer stock opens with The Metropolitan Players June 18. Wm. Morris is the leading man and Dorothy Donnelly is leading woman.

Grand Opera House (Theo. L. Hays, mgr.) Closed.

Star Theatre (J. C. VanRoo, mgr.) Closed.

Orpheum Music Hall (Chas. Frerick, mgr.) Vaudeville to continue all summer.

The park season here is in full blast. Wildwood is doing the heaviest business in its history. Lake Como Band concerts open 18, with ten, a new park, will open July 1, and promises to become very popular. A new park is being built four miles below St. Paul on the Mississippi, to be known as South Park. It will be managed by G. W. Stapp. JAS. J. McMAHON.

DULUTH.—Lycium Theatre (O. A. Marshall, mgr.) Grace Van Studdiford in The Red Feather 9-10; excellent company, S. E. O. Channey, Oicott in A Romance of Athlone 17; Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. in repertoire week 28.

Metropolitan Opera House. The summer season of vaudeville has commenced under the management of Mr. Nash, who has purchased the lease from John T. Condon. This week's bill includes Ethel Whiteside and plectaninias; Hewett Family, electrical act; Alvin Brothers, gymnasts; Sanford and Darlington, and Mons. Jackson.

Bijou Theatre. Bill includes Hayter and Janet, German sketch; Frank Clayton, musical and monologue; The Lakolas in A Night in Jspan; Kittle Stevens, comedienne and dancer; and L. O. Whittier, illustrated songs. Items—The Elks held their annual State Convention here last week and it was well attended. The Eagles will hold their convention here this week. The representatives having the Duluth Fall Festival and Enclosed Carnival in charge have signed contracts with the Cosmopolitan Amusement Co. for week of Aug. 31. The contract for the construction of the Orpheum Theatre, which will replace the Bijou has been let to McLeod Smith, and work has been commenced. It will have a seating capacity of 800, and will be devoted exclusively to vaudeville.

ST. CLOUD.—Davidson Opera House (E. T. Davidson, mgr.) Orpheum Vaudeville Co. 12; pleasing entertainment to good business. The Breckenridge Stock Co. week 12; canceled. Items—The Orpheum Vaudeville Co. will give a performance every Sunday evening during the summer months. • • Forepaugh & Sells Brothers' Circus July 12.

MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY.—The Grand (Hudson & Judah, mgrs.) The Pollard Juvenile Opera Co. presented its delightful repertoire of light operas and musical comedies week 11, and scored a big hit. Business however rather light on account of the warm weather. Daphne Pollard and Teddy McNamara, were probably the best of the talented children in this organization. The house will now remain closed until next season.

The Auditorium (The Woodward & Burgess Am. Co., mgrs.) Thelma was the production week 11, and business held up pretty fair. The members of the stock were cast in parts well suited to their individual talents. Next: The Banker's Daughter.

The Orpheum (Martin Lehman, mgr.) Although the regular season at this house is closed, it was thrown open 12-13, to accommodate Ellis F. Glickman and his company of Yiddish actors who put on The Golden Country, and Jacob and Dean, to good returns.

Electric Park (Sam Benjamin, mgr.) Lehman's Band continued as the big feature week 11, and big business resulted. Coakley and McBride, the clever singers and dancers headed a pleasing vaudeville bill in the German Village, while the living pictures in the Electric Fountain entertained thousands during the week. All the concessionaires here have no cause to complain, and are enjoying excellent business.

Fairmount Park (Ben Rosenthal, mgr.) Zimmerman's Military Band is a drawing card of no mean ability, judging from the size of the crowds which journeyed out to this resort week 11. Excellent business is the rule at Manager Terry's vaudeville show, which during the past week, enlisted the services of Earl Flynn, balladist; Neil Abel, black face comedian; Wells Brothers, Bert. Granville, Gus Kasper & Co., and the terriccose. A good bill is announced for week 18.

Forest Park (John D. Hopkins, les.; A. G. Peterson, rea. mgr.) Cameron, in feats of

strength and his daring Slide For Life was the free attraction week 11, and fair sized crowds were in evidence. The Marco Twins headed the vaudeville bill in the theatre, which included several other clever acts. Items—The Phillinona (3), magicians, opened 14 at Orrick, Mo., under the management of Ted Sparks. The show will stay out all summer. * * * Zutka is the latest concession at Electric Park. Prof. Butler, the hypnotist, has purchased the canvas theatre used by the Yale Amusement Co., and will continue to give vaudeville shows in territory contiguous to Kansas City. * * * The Fay Sisters and Hank and Lottie Whitcomb are spending the week here.

ST. JOSEPH.—Lyceum Theatre (C. U. Philley, mgr.) The Pollard Lilliputian Opera Co. closed the season at this house 9-10, in The Belle of New York, Finafore, and A Runaway Girl, doing but fair business at the three performances. The company was good and deserved better patronage.

Lyric Theatre (H. Walter VanDyke, mgr.) This house closed several days earlier than announced owing to the hot weather the last few days. Manager VanDyke states that the season just closed was a most satisfactory one. Crystal Park (Fred Comman, mgr.) This park, which is the last to open its gates, bids fair to continue its popularity of last season, opening to big business 11 with an unusually good bill, including Ferguson, Lorraine and Davis, Walter Armin, Henton and Dorraine, Sid Baxter, Minor and Gabrieth, Eddie Higgins, and Comman's moving pictures.

Japanese Palm Garden (Frank Lorenz, mgr.) The management is highly elated with the patronage accorded since the opening of this garden. An especially selected musical program will be the leading feature for the week.

Casino Theatre (Frank DeAtley, mgr.) The Famous Jugglers, The Four Mortons, are the headliners of the following good bill week 11: Gus KiraKo, John and Nellie McCarthy, Bessie Bana, and Dean and France; business good.

Lake Country Park (Palmer L. Clark, mgr.) Yacht and horseracing have been drawing large crowds; while the concessions have been well patronized. The two weeks' carnival fun wound up in a blaze of glory at the final performance, 10. The carnival company report a successful business. J. J. W.

JOPLIN.—New Club Theatre (L. F. Ballard, mgr.) Club Theatre Stock Co. week June 3; fair business.

Lyric Theatre (Chas. E. Hodkins, mgr.) Closed for season.

Lyric Park Summer Theatre (Chas. E. Hodkins, mgr.) Opened 6 with vaudeville, illustrated songs and moving pictures to turnaway business. This theatre was built this season, and Mr. Hodkins deserves much credit, as the theatre is one of the most up-to-date in the southwest.

Rae's Park Theatre (John Rae, mgr.) Bill week 2, drew good crowds. Week 11: good bill, consisting of vaudeville, illustrated songs and moving pictures.

W. F. Hall Shows exhibited to large crowds at both performances.

CLINTON.—The Great Wm. P. Hall Shows June 6; two large audiences. In the evening the Banda Rosa with the show serenade T. B. Long, landlady of the Hotel Cosart, who for twenty years or more was leader of the band with Sells Brothers, and Forepaugh-Sells Shows.

NEBRASKA

OMAHA.—Boyd's Theatre (Woodward & Burgess, mgrs.) The Ferris Stock Co. present two plays week of 12, in North Carolina and My Jim, introducing new specialties.

Krug Theatre (Chas. Breed, mgr.) Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. week 18.

Manswa Park. The Aerial Stunts have been engaged for week 12. Dare Devil Facler will continue his high diving. The moving pictures in the Casino are attracting large crowds.

Krug Park. Ever since the opening of Wonderland the boats have been packed, and this attraction promises to be second to none in the park for popularity. The attendance the past week has been large and all the attractions doing an excellent business. Circus—Adam Forepaugh & Sells Brothers' Circus was with us 12, and the large tents were packed at both performances. The show gave excellent satisfaction. H. J. ROOT.

LINCOLN.—Oliver Theatre (Frank C. Zehring, mgr.) E. H. Southern and Julia Marlowe in Romeo and Juliet June 5; in packed house. Manager reports best of business in general. Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. opened fair business 6-8. This closed the season here. The Fulton Brothers Stock Co. opened a summer engagement June 13, with Lost Paradise, with Jesse B. Fulton and Enid Jackson in the leading roles. This company played a summer engagement here last year and were exceedingly popular.

The Lyric (H. M. Miller, mgr.) Bill week 5: The Boys Brothers, musical artists; Cushman and St. Claire Co., Juggie Burrelle, imitator; illustrated songs and moving pictures to fair business.

FREMONT.—Hagenbeck's Trained Animal Show June 27. Fremont Chautauqua July 8-18.

NEW JERSEY

TRENTON.—Trenton Theatre (Edward Benton, mgr.) When Knighthood Was in Flower 12-17; opened to good business. The Trent Stock Co. closes this week and the house will be dark until early fall when it will reopen with vaudeville. The theatres are now all closed for the summer.

Broad St. Park (M. Rudy Heller, mgr.) Good vaudeville 12-17.

Mercer Pleasure Park (W. H. McMahon, mgr.) Vaudeville and dancing.

ASBURY PARK.—Casino (Beach Comm. mgrs.) Rivals Band of thirty-five pieces will remain until July 1. Item—Arthur Pryor and family are here for the summer.

Park Opera House (E. J. Garrity, mgr.) The Thaurer-Nashner Stock Co. closed June 3, and the company was left stranded.

The Palace Merry-go-round and new Moorish maze are going swell business.

NEW YORK

BROOKLYN.—Business at the beaches is improving and on pleasant days large crowds can be seen at all of the amusement resorts. Next week will find all the shows open. Only two of the theatres remain open in Brooklyn. The Orpheum has had a very successful season and during the light opera season business has been

capacity. Manhattan Beach is open and Pain's Fireworks open there June 22.

Orpheum Theatre (Percy G. Williams, mgr.) The Orpheum Opera Co. presented The Wedding Day, with Dorothy Morton as star. The production was perfect and S. R. O. business was the rule for the week. Next: The Bohemian Girl. Broadway Theatre. The Broadway Dramatic Co. presented Heidelberg, and pleased. Next: Captain Tom.

Bijou Theatre (Mary G. Spooner, mgr.) The closing week's bill here was the Spooner Stock Co. in Love in Harness. The play pleased and big business was the rule for the week.

All the other theatres in Brooklyn are closed for the season.

Brighton Beach Park (W. A. Brady, mgr.) The Boer War, under the management of Capt. A. W. Lewis, is the leading attraction here, and is doing big business. Four performances are given each Saturday and Sunday and two performances on other days. The big scenic railroad and other attractions are completed. Slaters' Brooklyn Marine Band give daily concerts.

Brighton Beach Music Hall (Wm. T. Grover, mgr.) The regular season opened here June 10, and the first weeks' business was excellent. The bill was as follows: Wilfred Clarke & Co., Great Rapoll, Hathaway's Trained Baboons and Monkeys, Harrigan, Three LaMaze Brothers, Charlotte Ravenscroft, Bisset and Scott, and the kindrome.

Manhattan Beach. Pain's Big Fireworks Show will open here June 22. The spectacle given this season will be called Port Arthur. The Manhattan Beach Theatre will open June 24, with high-class vaudeville.

Morrison's Theatre at Rockaway Beach will open soon. The policy of the theatre will be the same as last season, vaudeville.

Luna Park (Thompson & Dundy, mgrs.) All the big summer shows are open here, and Luna Park is as wonderful as ever. The Fall of Port Arthur is the leading attraction here this season, and is attracting big crowds. The Fire Show and A Trip to the Moon, and all other attractions are doing well here. The big, three-ring, open-air circus is a drawing feature, and the acts appearing last week were as follows: Will Hill on the high wire, Seeth's troupe of eighteen bears, assisted by Mlle. Louise; Mona, Lesette, Jack Theo Trio, Three Madcaps, Breakaway Barlow, LeVanius, Beans, Lella, The Great Lynch and Francois, Danolich and Balma, Dreamland, Coney Island (W. H. Reynolds, pres.) Many new attractions are being added to Dreamland. The Parisian Wonders are the latest attraction, and it is drawing much attention. Creation is doing very big business, and Bostock's Animal Show is as popular as ever. The Midget City, The Flea Theatre, Fighting The Flames, Touring Europe, Canals of Venice and others are doing well. The big free hippodrome is a feature that is presented daily at three and nine o'clock.

Bostock's (F. C. Bostock, mgr.) The third season for this big wild animal show at Coney Island will no doubt be a record breaker as the attraction is doing big business. Some of the leading acts seen here are Bonavita and his lions, Mme. Morrell and her jaguars, Mlle. Aurora and her polar bears and many others.

Midget City, Dreamland (L. J. Rodriguez, mgr.) This attraction is a very novel and unique one, and is one of the leading sights of Coney Island. The population of The Midget City are all lilliputians. Mrs. Tom Thumb and many other notables are seen here. The Midget City Circus and Theatre are doing well. The Flea Theatre near this attraction is attracting many people.

Creation, Dreamland (E. F. Girard, bus. mgr.) This is the big attraction at Dreamland, and has proved to be the big drawing card. It shows how the world began and it is an interesting subject. The scenic part of the production is perfect.

Galveston Flood (James McKane, mgr.) This attraction continues to draw well and is considered one of the best of its kind.

Johnstown Flood (H. A. Bradwell, mgr.) The season here so far has been very successful and almost every visitor to Coney Island has seen this big scenic production.

From New York to The North Pole (E. J. Austin, mgr.) This attraction promises to be as popular as it was at the St. Louis Fair. It has made a hit at Coney Island and should make big money here.

Steepchase Park (Geo. Tilyou, mgr.) The Steepchase is doing well and the season promises to be a good one.

Bergen Beach is drawing big crowds, and many dates are booked for societies that hold their annual outings here. G. H. HAKES, 290 Broadway, New York City.

GLOVERSVILLE.—Darling Theatre (Will E. Gaut, mgr.) Dark. Will open early in September offering high-class attractions.

Family Theatre (R. D. Hyde, res. mgr.) Week 12 the following bill was presented: New York Newsboys' Quartet, Mike Scott, Cooper and Harvey, Billy Barlow and Belle Darling, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooper and the vitagraph; business continues good. Item—The summer theatre at Sacandaga Park will open July 3, when J. W. Gorman's Gishon Girls Co. appear in an up-to-date musical comedy. Prof. Carl Meyers, who was in charge of the Aerial exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition has been engaged to give exhibitions at the Fulton County Fair, to be held in Johnstown, N. Y., early in September.

ITHACA.—Lyceum Theatre (M. M. Gudstadt, mgr.) The Wife June 9; large house. The News Boy 19; Cornell Glee Club 21.

Benwick Park Theatre (R. A. Post, mgr.) This house opened week 4 playing to capacity. The vaudeville bill included Four American Trumpeters, Irene Franklin, Jones and Sutton, Klein and Clifford, and Dan Tourgee. This week's bill is Carter and Bulford with the Dixie Troubadours. Item—Miss Clara Tchenor, who has been spending a couple of weeks here with her parents, has returned to New York to appear in one of Henry Savage's productions.

ELMIRA.—Roric's Theatre (Herbert Sallinger, mgr.) The Manhattan Opera Co. opened the season 5-10, singing Billie Taylor to capacity house. Nettie Vesta, the new prima donna, scored the emphatic hit, and good work was also done by John Castellanos, Henry Taylor, Charles L. Gill, George and Emma King. Boccaccio 12-17.

Rialto Theatre (F. W. McConnell, mgr.) Fostell and Emmett in Frits and Lena, Gilberta, Clifford and Silvia, May Neilson, Lillian Hall, James D. Proudlove, and the biograph drew good house 5-10. J. MAXWELL BEERS.

HORNELLVILLE.—Sig. Sawtelle's & Welsh Brothers' Combined Shows June 23.

OHIO

COLUMBUS.—The closing of the Vaughan-Glaser Stock Co. at the Great Southern Theatre has left a considerable vacancy in our theatrical men, and, while from a business standpoint it was imperative, the disappointment is none the less keen from a pleasure seeking view. Most of the members of the company have left the city, either for other stock engagements or for their summer homes. Miss Hall goes immediately to Ocean Beach, where she will spend in recreation the time between this and the opening of the Cleveland Glaser Stock in September. Mr. Bergin and wife are to enjoy a brief vacation, after which Mr. Bergin joins the Toledo Stock Co. Theo. Johnston leaves next week for the Delmar Gardens at St. Louis. Miss Hill has been signed by the Ferris Stock in San Francisco. Miss Coghlan joins her mother in New York, pending the opening of the season, during which she will have a prominent part in a new Frohman piece. Mr. Ablou has several plans under consideration, probably going to Harry Glaser Stock at Milwaukee. E. A. Smith went direct to Detroit where he will take charge of the business end of the home of Mr. Glaser's Stock Co., and will remain there until the end of the season, when he will again direct the Colonial Stock in Cleveland, from the front.

The bill at the Empire this week is 1492, and in it the Musical Comedy Co. are seen at their best. Manager Weisman imported Richard Harlow from New York to play his original part of Isabella and that the move was a wise one is evident from the way Mr. Harlow interprets the role. He certainly makes a stunning Queen and had the house with him from his first entrance. All of the special dances have been arranged by Dolly DeVyne, the dancing soubrette of the company, and it is needless to say that they are very clever. She contributes much pleasure by her airy, graceful movements and her bright laughing face. The Phroso Doll act of Josephine Newman is a feature. Fred Harrold is very funny as the Chancellor and has his best part, getting more out of it than anything he has yet done. John Young as the King makes good, while Mae Kilcoyne is laughable in an Irish make-up. Adelle Lovenberg will soon graduate from the chorus if she continues her clever foot work. Taken all in all the company excels itself this week and good business is expected. The Telephone Girl is the attraction for next week.

Oleontangy Park has Creator and his Italian Band and it is almost unnecessary to add that the famous bandmaster is repeating his former successes here. Manager Prosser has moved the vaudeville bill from the Casino to Fair Japan for the two weeks that Creator is here.

There were 17,000 paid admissions taken in at the opening of Indianapolis Park last week, and the management has every cause to congratulate itself. The business is keeping up this week and shows every evidence of staying large.

O'Collins' Garden is the last of the summer resorts to open, and on the stage vaudeville will be in order.

Frank Osborne, the recently appointed manager of the Grand Opera House, has announced that a better class of attractions will be booked for his house the coming winter, and on this he is to be congratulated. J. E. HAGUE, Harrison bldg.

CANTON.—Park Theatre (L. B. Cool, mgr.) Warmer weather brings increased business and the excellent attractions please the large audiences. Bill for week 18 includes Josephine Gassman and Pleks; Bush and Gordon Norcross, LeMar and Blaine Casey and LeClair, Conlan and Hastings and John O. Geiger. Circus—Pawnee Bill June 14.

Ehret's Park (A. Ehret, mgr.) A black top and Conderman Wheel have been added to the already long list of attractions. In the theatre Bancroft, the fire king; Keyes and Keyes, Chester LaVaughn and Otto Froetchel are pleasing large audiences.

Garden Theatre (M. Manning, mgr.) Diamond and Diamond, Hazel Pierce, and Jess Harrison; good business.

DAYTON.—Lakeside Park Casino (J. A. Kirk, mgr.) Bill for week June 11 includes the Two Shrodes and Allen and Bright in a singing and dancing skit.

Fairview Park Theatre (Al. Ward, mgr.) Bill for week June 11 includes Barry and Johnson in comedy sketch, Tabott and Bogers and others.

Ocean Theatre (L. G. Hartsock, mgr.) Bill week June 5 John and Mayme Sloane, Daisy LeDale, Peter Don. For week 12 The Crotty Trio, Thomas West, The Jordan Sisters, and Margaret Hart.

PIQUA.—May's Opera House (Chas. H. May, mgr.) Verna May Stock Co. in A Soldier's Sweetheart 13; well received by good business. Manager May will put on his own Stock Co. commencing June 28.

Midway Park (Eugene Purkiss, mgr.) This park opened 13 to big business with the Hillon Musical Comedy and Vaudeville Co.; change of program each week.

HILES.—Avon Park (J. W. Wess, mgr.) Fitzgerald and Roma Sisters, jugglers; Alice Lindon, doll vocalist; Davis and McCauley, comedy sketch; Belle Viola, contortionist and dancer; and Spisell Brothers and Mack, acrobats, to good business week June 4. Week 11: James and Davis, Conlin and Hastings, Alton and Thelma, May Evans and Jane Courthorpe & Co.

STUBENVILLE.—Stanton Park Theatre (F. C. Workman, mgr.) Notwithstanding the cool and rainy weather this playhouse has continued to draw large crowds and the Robinson Comic Opera Co. grows in popularity.

URICHVILLE.—City Opera House (Elvin & Van Ostran, mgrs.) Howe's Moving Pictures 13.

COBBOXTON.—Bilverade Park, Texas Bill's Wild West June 23.

PENNSYLVANIA

ALTOONA.—Lakemont Park Theatre Frank Cushman's Minstrel Show week 12; big business. International Vaudeville Co. including The Swickards, Cherry and Bates, Debono and Belle, Andrew McLeod, M. Milley Hines and others week 19.

Eleventh Avenue Opera House (C. I. Mishler, mgr.) Pirr, Puff, Pout June 17. Dr. Cooper's Big Medicine Show with band and orchestra week June 12 and 19 to elegant business.

JOHNSTOWN.—Cambria Theatre (H. W. Scherer, mgr.) Pirr, Puff, Pout June 16. New Luna Park continues to draw large crowds. Cushman's Minstrels gave good satisfaction to good houses week 5. Vandeville week 12.

Washburn & D'Almas Trained Animal Show June 10; good business.

COLEBY.—S. B. O. greeted the return of Minnell Brothers Dramatic Co. under canvas, week 5. The company is headed by the dainty favorite, Mina Genell, and the rest are up to the usual Minnell Brothers standard. The outfit shows much improvement.

WILLIAMSPORT.—Vallamont Pavilion (L. A. Pray, mgr.) The Vallamont Stock Co. in My Friend From India, and The Danites, week June 5; fair performance, good business. Same company in Moths and The Two Orphans 12-17.

GREENSBURG.—Washburn & D'Almas' Trained Animal Shows exhibited June 13, to two immense audiences; fine performances. The theatre at Oakford Park is drawing large crowds nightly. The bill this week is exceptionally fine.

SHARON.—J. Frank Hatch Carnival Co. suspices the South Sharon Fire Department at South Sharon week June 26. The Sharon Aerie of Eagles will hold a carnival about the middle of July.

TITUSVILLE.—Opera House (Harry Gerson, mgr.) Faust June 7; fair business, good company. Morgan Hewett Co. week 19.

TEXAS

TEMPLE.—Midway Park Theatre (O. A. Wortham, mgr.) Frank Rich Stock Co. opened a two weeks' engagement June 5 to good business. Good show and excellent line of moving pictures.

SAN ANTONIO.—Electric Park (E. H. Weiss, mgr.) The Albert Taylor Co. closed one of the most successful engagements ever played here, and made many friends. Next: Boston Ideal Opera Co. June 11, indefinitely.

UTAH

SALT LAKE CITY.—The closing attraction at the Salt Lake Theatre was T. Daniel Frawley in Ransom's Folly. Frawley is a great favorite in Salt Lake and business was good. Company much above the average.

The Grand Theatre, as arranged at present will continue open for five or six weeks yet with the Bittner Co. in repertoire. This week Camille was presented, to be followed next week by Monte Christo. Business, considering the season has been good.

The very biggest and best thing we can boast of here in the amusement line is the beach resort on our inland sea, known the world over as Salsair. Manager J. E. Samford has spared no efforts this season in having the best attractions to be secured. The latest addition is a stock company for the theatre, with Victory Bateman as leading woman. Tourists who visit Salt Lake without taking in Salsair, might as well pass up seeing the Mormon Temple.

The Utahna Theatre put on a swell vaudeville bill this week and the attendance has been heavy. This house is a popular city attraction and Manager Gourley is keeping up his reputation.

The Salt Palace has been giving great and interesting events in the way of bicycle racing on the saucer track, and with the other attractions at this resort, the season's run promises big results. GEO. D. ALDER.

VERMONT

RUTLAND.—Opera House (Boyle & Brehmer, mgrs.) Hadley's Moving Pictures 9; fair house. My Friend Hogan 16; Henrietta Cushman in Nancy Oldfield and Madeline 23.

Park Theatre (Felix Blie, mgr.) Maude Hillman Co. week 5, played to good houses. Russell Stock Co. week 12; Bennett-Moulton Co. week 19.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION.—John Robinson's Circus June 23.

VIRGINIA

NORFOLK.—Pine Beach Theatre (Perkins & Dashiell, les.) The Pine Beach Stock Co. continues playing to good business in repertoire and vaudeville. Maude Leon, Bella Miller, Blanche Foster, Will N. Bogers and Willard Dashiell head the list.

Ocean View Casino (Jake Wells, sole owner; Otto Wells, mgr.) The Delamater Musical Comedy Co., with a large and well selected cast, presented Mme. Awkins week 12. Item—Joe LeFancheur, assistant manager; John Ehberg, treasurer; J. T. Bick, Joseph Morgan and Dave Anthony compose the staff at the Casino.

The Bijou (A. Smith, mgr.) In connection with the regular bill the Booster Man was the drawing card week 5.

Manhattan (Crimian Bros., mgrs.) New people week 12: Hanson and Smith, Hattie Banker, E. W. Klefbacker, Clark and Emmons, Bekrap and Yitsoo.

The Acme (Wilkinson & Manate, mgrs.) New people week 12: Milton Frankford, Chas. C. Benton, Lottie Vernon, and Frankford, Lauri and Frankford. N. E. CROWDER.

WISCONSIN

KENOSHA.—Rhode Opera House (Jos. G. Rhode, mgr.) Dark. A number of improvements are being made here.

Bijou Family Theatre (O'Brien & Jones, prop.; Ed. C. Davis, loc. mgr.) People for week 12: Lola Stantonne, The Great Vivian, Hays and Graham, The Benos, Deeda Walker, Versolin, Claudia Austin, Eddie Fern, Baby Irma Wilkof & Co., and moving pictures; business good. Items—Wallace Shows are heavily billed for 16. * * * F. J. O'Brien of the Bijou management is looking after the Fond du Lac and Sheboygan houses, which have recently been opened.

WAUSAU.—Grand Opera House (C. S. Cone, mgr.) Bennett-Moulton Co. in repertoire week 5; pleased good houses. Winger Brothers' Own week 11.

Crystal Vaudeville Theatre (Mr. Stuart, mgr.) This week's bill is drawing good houses. Among the artist appearing are O. F. Rockafeld, Mr. Stuart, Baby Bryl Lyons, Minnie Woods, and the kindrome.

Forepaugh & Sells Brothers' Shows did a record breaking business June 3, despite terrible rain.

FOND DU LAC.—Crescent Opera House. Dark. New Idea Vaudeville Theatre (J. T. Aultman, res. mgr.) Good business with the following bill: Conway and Rockaway, lightning sketch

artists; The Bennett Sisters, child artists; Carolin and Hodges, ebony princes; Schaefer and De Camp, operatic stars, and moving pictures.

CANADA

TORONTO.—Grand (A. J. Small, mgr.) Eugene Blair in the dual role of Lady Isabel and Madame Vine in the time tried play East Lynne week 12, gave good satisfaction and business was good. Next: The Two Orphans.

Munro Park (W. Banks, mgr.) Manager Banks had a splendid bill which caught the big crowds which patronize this beautiful resort, situated on the shore of blue Ontario. Miles and Raymond in an original sketch; Corby and Burke, dancers and singers; Burdock Sisters, dancers; The Vedmans, bar act, and the great new English picture machine with new views, were the features of the excellent program. Tom Parsons is the clever stage director.

Hanson's Point (Chas. W. McMahon, amuse. mgr.) Business was satisfactory here 12-17. Brown and Brown, vocalists; Bryden's Dogs, Ben Omar, Wilson and Brown and Gallagher and Hill were the people on the bill.

The local Lodge of Elks will give a big charity carnival week June 26. The Great Mundy Shows will be the attraction and as it is the first appearance in this city of a carnival company, business should be big. They will show on the esplanade of the city square. J. A. GIMSON.

LONDON.—Grand (J. E. Turton, mgr.) This house closed the season 7, with Henrietta Crossman to good business. Vernon Stock Co. closed in three dates, 8-10.

Bennett's Vaudeville (C. W. Bennett, prop.; J. Aloes, mgr.) Good business with a good bill, which includes Daly and Kelo, Harris and De Looz, Hague and Herbert, Thomas and Payne, The Franciscos, Bobby DeBue and Barry and Johnson. Items—Springbank Park opens July 3. J. E. Moore, promoter for Mandy's Carnival Co., is billing his shows heavily. He has some novelty in advertising.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Opera House (A. O. Skinner, mgr.) A Hot Old Time 12-14.

York (R. J. Armstrong, mgr.) The Sweet Clover Co., 12-13, in Sweet Clover and The Post Commander, the latter a new play, to good business. Circus—Lemon Brothers' Circus arrived on time 6, but owing to heavy rain did not give performance and left for Fredericton. Sells & Downs' Car Co. 1, in charge of Manager Beckley, billed the town 6, for June 22.

Additional Correspondence.

CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES.—Mason Opera House (H. C. Wyatt, les. and mgr.) John Drew in The Duke of Killcrankie opened June 12 for a four nights' engagement. The play affords such perfect scope for John Drew's talents in refined humor and tender sentiment that it naturally has proved to be his greatest success. The usual heavy advance sale preceded his engagement.

Burbank Theatre (Oliver Morosco, les. and mgr.) The County Fair, by the Burbank Stock Co., is proving a drawing card. This is the first stock production of the piece in the west. The play contains opportunities both for player and scenic artist and that both were taken advantage of was demonstrated opening night, and that The County Fair will prove an attraction of drawing qualities seems certain.

Belasco Theatre (J. B. Blackwood, mgr.) The Belasco Stock Co. present for the first time in this city a production of that famous study in character, Chimmie Fadden. This production will mark the return to the Belasco stage of Joseph Galbraith, leading man, who has recovered from his illness. All the favorites are well cast and the play opened to a well-filled house.

Grand Opera House (Thomas Baker, mgr.) Confessions of a Wife is the melodrama which the Ulrich Stock Co. endeavors this week to sustain its reputation of giving the Grand patrons what they desire, namely, a lot of dash and sensation, a strong vein of comedy and rapid action with a rousing climax in every act. The piece has a number of features and new ideas in scenic effects that were well received by a packed house June 12.

Orpheum (Clarence Drown, mgr.) John C. Rice and Sally Cohen head the vaudeville procession this week. They present a sketch in their inimitable manner; Warren and Gardner, comedians and singers, who have been here before, brought novelties that took well. DeOnzo Brothers introduce acrobatic originalities; The McConnell Sisters, grotesque and comedy dancers, make their first appearance and promise to please; Carrie and Edna Harris bring an original play—Della Fox is heard again, and Mabel Adams, the talented young violinist gives new selections, and the motion pictures complete a taking bill.

Chutes Park and Theatre (Henry Koch, mgr.) Week of June 12: Donatelli's Italian Band continues to draw the crowds to this pleasure park. Last Thursday, The Knights of Columbus leased the park and all its concessions and entertained the visiting knights of the convention now in session here. The balloon ascensions and the Zarrow Family, sensational acrobatic cyclists, are still proving drawing cards, and all concessionaires report good business.

D. W. FERGUSON.

GEORGIA

ATLANTA.—The Casino (Jake Wells, mgr.) Walter Edwards and a good company of players presented The Taming of The Shrew for week 12 to fine business. Mr. Edwards is a very versatile actor, and as Petruchio he does a nice bit of acting. Miss Adora Andrews as the wilful Catherine was most pleasing.

The Star (J. B. Thompson, mgr.) A vaudeville bill of much merit drew good attendance for week 12. This theatre will continue open during the summer and so far business has been good.

Ponce de Leon Park is crowded every afternoon and evening with pleasure seekers, and all of the attractions are liberally patronized. New amusement devices are being added continually, a large skating auditorium now being in course of construction. D. B. MOOREFIELD.

ILLINOIS

CHICAGO.—Illinois Theatre (Will J. Davis mgr.) Little Johnny Jones, a clear interpretation of her part. This week: The Man From Mexico. Lyceum Theatre (J. Laughlin, mgr.) Mildred

Great Northern Theatre (Fred C. Eberts, mgr.) Buster Brown.

Garrick Theatre (Samuel P. Gerson, mgr.) The Wrecking Bug.

Studebaker Theatre (R. E. Harmeyer, mgr.) The Mayor of Tokio.

McVicker's Theatre (Geo. C. Warren, bus. mgr.) Sky Farina.

LaSalle Theatre (R. E. Mackey, bus. mgr.) The Isle of Spick.

Hyde & Behnman's Theatre (Arobie H. Ellis, mgr.) Closed.

People's Theatre (E. F. Benton, mgr.) Week 18, Olivette.

Columbus Theatre (Weber Bros., mgrs.) Monte Cristo.

Olympic Theatre (A. Jacobs, mgr. for Kohl & Castle) Week 19, Wonderful Liquid Air, Patrice and Co., Madame Slapoffski, Young and DeVole.

LaVeen and Cross, John Birch, Godfrey and Henderson, Rawls and Van Kaufman, Mabel Cassidy, Stewart and Raymond, Marvella and Gleason, J. W. McDermott, Connors and Kelly, Sisters Jidwell and Geo. K. Spoor's Kinodrome.

Trocadero Theatre. Stock: Burlesque. Folly Theatre. Burlesque. Coliseum Garden (Stewart Spaulding, mgr.) Weber's Prize Band.

MISSOURI

ST. LOUIS.—The extreme summer heat is felt in St. Louis this week. The summer gardens have all reported increased business, and have offered all good selections. Up to the present time there is nothing in prospect of a special nature. Foreman's was our only opportunity, and we of World's Fair fame, are now hungry for something big. It is regretted that Barnum & Bailey will pass by, for with their long absence and great show, they would be repaid tenfold for their visit. Dan Fischell, their excellent press agent, was in St. Louis Sunday, and told us all about the show, and I guess that will have to hold us. The following are this week's bills at the various gardens.

Forest Park Highland. A bill that is most pleasing drew a packed pavilion Sunday at Col. Hopkins' resort. It contained acts by Mme. Shapofski, Staley and Birbeck, Freese Brothers, Schrock and Bice, M. Peltz, and the biograph. West End Heights. My Wife's First Husband, a three-act farce, was put on in excellent style by the Washburn & Saylor Stock Co. The company was well cast and pleased immensely. The business Sunday was big, and satisfactory all week.

Delmar Garden. A Girl From Dixie was given in a clever manner Sunday to a big audience. Gus Weinberg, the popular St. Louis favorite, was given an enthusiastic reception. Mr. Weinberg will be with us company for the balance of the season; business is satisfactory. Suburban Garden. Will's Comedy Co. this week offered Snow Folks, and pleased a big house Sunday. It is a pleasing musical with a number of specialties, and well put on; business fair.

The opening of The Alps of World's Fair fame, was largely attended, and the many attractions seen there during the Fair were again in operation. An orchestra of sixty, with Mr. Lund as leader, proved excellent in every way, and a resort for banquets and society events it is supreme; business is fair. Hannerty & Strine are managers.

Mannon's Park. The bill at this resort this week includes Mr. and Mrs. Robyns, Marriott Twins, Dubec, Ferguson and Passmore, Murray K. Hill and others; business has been satisfactory since opening and many new concessions have given the park good drawing powers.

Lemp's Park. A most pleasing bill was presented to a packed pavilion Sunday at Lemp's, and Mr. Weirapp has the following pleasing olio: The D-Dees, Geo. Gnhl, Weaver and Jones, Esmathilde, The Gillen Trio, and the kinetoscope; business good. Items—Work will commence July 1 on the new theatre, to be known as the Jefferson Theatre; it will be located on Grand and Olive streets, and will be managed by Geo. W. Cole. The stock company already selected will open Dec. 1, 1906. Mr. Dan S. Fischell, the hustling press agent of the Barnum & Bailey Circus, spent Sunday in St. Louis. His many friends are proud of his immense success, and his stay was one of continuous congratulation. Melbourne McDowell will take Suburban Park here, commencing June 25, for a series of Sardou productions. Stella Tracey, Gus Weinberg and Edward Clark are the new additions to the Delmar Stock Co. The Berkeley Players are to start their summer tour out of St. Louis June 17, in open-air Shakespearean productions. WILK J. FARLEY.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK CITY.—Theatres which have closed for the season are the American, Belasco, Berkeley Lyceum, Bijou, Broadway, Circle, Colonial, Criterion, Daly's, Dewey, Empire, Fields, Garden, Garrick, Gotham, Grand Opera House, Alhambra, Liberty, London, Madison Square, Majestic, Manhattan, Metropolitan, Miner's Bowery, Miner's Eighth Avenue, Murray Hill, New Amsterdam, New Lyceum, New West-end, New York, Princess, Savoy, Star, Third Avenue, Wallack's, Weber Music Hall, and The Yorkville.

Academy of Music (Gilkroe & Tompkins, mgrs.) Mme. Schumann-Heink in Love's Lottery began her third week June 19.

Fourteenth Street Theatre (J. Wesley Rosenquest mgr.) C. A. Goettler Summer Stock Co. Harlem Opera House (Alm. Lichtenstein mgr.) Adelaide Keim and stock.

Herald Square Theatre (Chas. Frohman, mgr.) The Rolling Girl entered its eighth week 19.

Hudson Theatre (Henry B. Harris, mgr.) The Hair to the Hoarsh began its tenth week 19 to capacity business.

Knickerbocker Theatre (Al. Hayman & Co., mgrs.) Mme. Schumann-Heink in Love's Lottery ninth week 19 to excellent business.

Lyric Theatre (Sam S. & Lee Shubert, mgrs.) Fantana commenced its twenty-third week 19.

New York Hippodrome (Thomas & Dundy, mgrs.) Circus, ballet and spectacular drama.

Procter's Fifty-eighth Street Hundred-and-twenty-fifth Street and Fifth Avenue (J. Austin Fynes, genl. mgr.) Vaudeville and drama.

WALTER K. HILL.

BUFFALO.—Park Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) Last week one of the best comedies seen here this past season. Because She Loved Him So was presented to excellent patronage by the Farnum Stock Co. Jane Baker, as usual, gave a clear interpretation of her part. This week: The Man From Mexico. Lyceum Theatre (J. Laughlin, mgr.) Mildred

Holland offered The Lily and The Prince to good business last week. This week Miss Holland will appear in a big triple bill, presenting Lotus Blossom, One Short Hour, and Clarie, The Actress, at every performance.

Shea's Garden Theatre (M. Shea, mgr.) A nicely balanced bill drew very good houses last week. This week: Herbert Lloyd, Rice and Cady, Paschokoff Troupe, Smil and Kesmer, Brothers Damm, Cheridah Simpson, and the kinetograph.

Lafayette Theatre (Chas. M. Bagg, mgr.) These Wine, Women and Song Company played to satisfactory business last week; old very good, chorus and burlesques only fair. This week return of the Bohemian Burlesquers.

Athletic Park (Robert F. Walters, mgr.) Josh Daly's Minstrels gave a good, but somewhat lengthy performance in the theatre last week. The Royal Band of Italy made a strong impression with their concert. D. Mack is now spelling for the Haunted Castle concession. Wm. F. Graham and James J. Gillespie have charge of the stage and certainly handle it in a very capable manner. OHLAS. W. GOETZ, 168 Adams Street.

OHIO

CINCINNATI.—Though no hippodrome rumors are floating over the Queen City she is sustaining well her reputation as an outdoor amusement centre, and with about forty managers in the city this week there promises to be some exciting times ere long in the burlesque end of the profession. Business at the various resorts has been phenomenal, the weather being exceedingly warm. Lovers of Shakespeare will take advantage of the Great performance in Burnett Woods, Friday and Saturday of next week. Advance sales are large.

One of the most important meetings of the Empire Burlesque Circuit was held in the office of the People's Theatre, Cincinnati, June 16, beginning at 10 A. M. In point of attendance it was one of, if not the largest, meeting ever held in the interest of burlesque. Forty-two theatres were represented, besides a number of traveling companies. The most important business was the voting in of ten Western theatres, which will extend the circuit into San Francisco, and the making of the bookings for the coming season.

The preliminary meeting of the directors was called to order by President James J. Muller, of St. Louis. Those present were: Hubert Heck, Cincinnati; James L. Kernan, Baltimore; James E. Fennessy, Cincinnati; John H. Whalen, Louisville; George W. Rife, Baltimore; Harry Williams, Pittsburg; George W. Heuck, Cincinnati; James P. Whalen, Louisville; Frank Drew and W. T. Campbell, of Cleveland. The directors' meeting continued until after the noon hour. The Cort proposition, by Manager Cort, of Spokane, was accepted. The Cort Circuit consists of ten houses west of Minneapolis, and is a valuable addition to the Empire. The bookings were also discussed.

The regular meeting began at the close of the directors' meeting without an intermission for lunch. In addition to the above directors, the following members were present: W. A. Edwards, Montreal; Frank Carr, Brooklyn; Tom Miner, New York; Maurice Jacobs, New York; Wm. T. Keough, New York; Wm. Drew, Cleveland; James Curtin, New York; Ed. Miner, New York; Joseph Oppenheimer, Chicago; Thomas Dinkins, Jersey City; J. Botton Whippany, Philadelphia; Pat. Kelly, Atlantic City; John Moynihan, St. Louis; Sam Devere, Brooklyn; Wm. B. Watson, Brooklyn; Mrs. Ben Leavitt Rowley, Paterson, N. J.; Herman Fehr, Milwaukee, and Mrs. R. H. Feiton, Chicago. The session continued throughout the afternoon, a major portion of the time being spent in arranging and mapping out the bookings and dates. A large number of requests were made by traveling managers for a route over the circuit, though it is said a number of them were not accepted. Thirty-six shows were accepted and routes. It is probable that a few more will be taken in, as there is a possibility that more theatre will be voted in the circuit. Owing to the time consumed in the routine work of booking, the meeting was adjourned until Saturday morning, when the members again met and took up the matter, bringing it to a close. By previous arrangement a number of railroad men were present at the Saturday meeting, and an agreement was entered into regarding railroad rates. All matters not finished were referred to Messrs. Fennessy, Butler and Whalen, who will hold regular meetings in Cincinnati throughout the season.

The work of repairing and remodeling the old Vine Street Opera House is being pushed. Manager Arnold has a double force of men employed, and when they have finished the place will not be recognized by those who played there many years ago. In all respects it will be an entirely new building. The papers have been received from Columbus, and now the Cincinnati Theatre Co., which will control the house, is a corporation of fact as well as in name.

Messrs. Hurtig & Scribner were in the city Tuesday, 13, in the interest of the Vine Street Opera House.

Mr. John Avery, manager of the Lyceum Theatre for Messrs. Heuck & Fennessy is busily engaged at his desk in the People's Theatre. It is never too hot to keep John from work.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rainforth is taking advantage of the lull in theatrical matters, and is looking after his private interests.

Mr. John Harlin has gone east to spend a few weeks at the resorts. He expects to have his new hotel completed long before this time next season. Work is being pushed rapidly.

The People's Theatre is being overhauled, and is receiving its regular summer scrubbing.

Manager Davis is preparing the Robinson Opera House for its opening when the Forepaugh Stock Co. returns to the city in August.

Musical comedies will be the rage in Cincinnati, according to Manager Ziegler, of the Walnut Theatre. Last season over half the attractions at the Walnut were of the musical variety, and the coming season a greater number than ever is being booked. Manager Ziegler is booking every musical comedy or comic opera that he can get hold of, because, he says, that is what the people want. Chester is running like a scared deer this season, and business is immense. However, if there is anything left undone to augment the crowds, the Musical Comedy Co., which opens to-morrow 18, will certainly swell the attendance to the limit. Musical comedy is always well received and patronized in Cincinnati, and

the change from comic opera to musical comedy is commendable. Every concession is preparing for the rush, and the week's business, weather conditions being favorable, will be great. Stage Manager Frank Stammers has his company well trained, and the principals are perfect in their respective roles. The Belle of New York will be the opening bill. Manager Walters, of the cinch house, has everything going his way. The vaudeville pavilion is breaking the record in both attendance and the excellence of its entertainments. At this resort this week appeared Blum, Bonn, Hrrr; Dixon, Burt and Leon; Chas. H. Bacon, Doss and Nadinney and Norman, the Frogman.

These fine moonlight nights have been good for Coney. The Queen and the Avalon have been busier than usual carrying pleasure seekers to and from the Island. The bill on the vaudeville stage has been better than usual, and Amusement Manager Heck is ably fulfilling his promises of the opening week. On the vaudeville stage next week will be Tom Helton, Mlle. Louise Schmitz, Holmes and Waldron, Clait and Beattie Robbins and Will King. The Eagles had an outing at Coney Saturday, and took possession of the Island for the day.

The Lagoon is gaining in popularity every day. The traction cars are literally packed evenings, and on Sunday the extra cars have all they can attend to. The Odd Fellows and the Tribe of Ben Hur held joint outings at the Lagoon Saturday. The time was most enjoyably spent in boating, theatregoing and like diversions, of which the beautiful resort has a large number. Bice's Dog and Fay Circus has been holding the boards at the Lagoon Theatre this week, and played to good business. Next week comes The Crotty Trio, Nick Hufford, the Rosar Trio, Wolf and Zabella, and Lottie West Symonds. "Let's all go over to the Lagoon is a popular phrase."

Band Concerts and moonlight nights have a very pleasing effect at the Zoo, where the Killery Band has been making a record. The Zoo audiences are also increasing each week.

Dayton Bathing Beach opened Saturday under new management. The resort is provided with 504 bathrooms and conditions appear very favorable for a prosperous season.

PENNSYLVANIA

PHILADELPHIA.—A few days of warm weather has bowled out three more theatres, and the theatrical situation is at present as it always has been in June. Nothing that managers may offer will appeal to our people in hot weather, and even if the weather is cool, the theatres are not largely patronized. People lose the theatre habit in June, and never regain it until August. Notwithstanding the experience of past years managers will gamble on the weather, and will continue to do so as long as they can get actors to take chances with them. In another week we will have more of our theatres closing, and after the national holiday, the glorious Fourth, we will have to get along with only Keith's Theatre until the summer is over.

Casino Theatre. Although Coming Thru' The Eye is a hully good show and pleases everyone who sees it, the attendance dropped off so much this week that the house will close for the season on June 17.

Park Theatre. Simple Simon is still drawing well and pleasing everybody who sees it. Business is good enough to make the owners break even, so they will continue for a few weeks longer.

Forepaugh's Theatre. Business is moderate at this house, where a clever stock company is holding forth. The bill week of June 12 was The Dancing Master, and for the week of June 19, Gretna Green will be the bill.

Keith's Theatre. With an admirable cooling system and big bills of vaudeville, this house is doing a nice business, and will remain open all summer. The afternoon crowds are good, and the house is comfortably filled at nights.

Trocadero Theatre. After a very prosperous season this house will close June 17, the attraction the closing week being Dainty Pares Burlesquers.

Lyceum Theatre. A burlesque stock company is doing a fair business at this house, and it will be kept open until the patronage falls off.

Hart's Kensington Theatre. This house closed June 17, after a good season.

Willow Grove Park. Victor Herbert's Orchestra succeeded Sousa's Band on June 11, and will continue for two weeks. The Park is doing an enormous business when the weather is favorable.

Woodside Park. Loedike's Imperial Lancers Band is drawing well, and Chinese vaudeville is being given in the theatre.

Washington Park on the Delaware. The Roman Imperial Band is pleasing the crowds that flock to this popular river resort.

Chestnut Hill. The Venetian Band is playing popular programs, and the outside attractions are all getting money.

Drake & Falkner's United Railroad Shows played the suburbs of Philadelphia week of June 12 and did a large business. The show has made money since it has been out, and as it will shortly have many additions, its prospects for success in the future are brighter than ever. A good programme is given in one ring, and the parade is bright and novel. BOB WATT, 806 Walnut Street.

ERIE.—Frontier Park (Frontier Am. Co., mgrs.) Excellent business past week. Vaudeville bill for week 12 includes DeKoots, the magicians; Bobby DeBue, minstrel comedian; Rowley and Gay, Scotch singers and dancers; Phillips and Barker, Jew comedians. Band concerts nightly by Long's Band.

Waldmeier Park (Tom Maloney, mgr.) Increasing hot weather and excellent vaudeville programs greatly increased the attendance the past week. Bill includes Eddie Horas, Jones and Sutton, Harry Burgoyne, J. Aldrich Libby and Kathryn Traver, Max Smith Duo. Booked for week 19: The Dixie Troubadours.

Four Mile Creek Park (H. T. Foster, mgr.) Large attendance past week. The regular vaudeville season started June 11 with the following program: The Three Troubadours, Fox and Summers, Mlle. Leranille, Williams and MBBurn, Hebron and Crutch, Miss Hardie Langdon, and the kinodrome.

Overland Park (Overland Am. Co., mgrs.) Good business past week and all concessions well patronized.

Pawnee Bill's Wild West and Great East to capacity business afternoon and evening June 9. Ideal circus weather.

Harry Kellar, the magician, presented the local lodge of Elks with a handsomely mounted elk's head.

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Saturday, June 24, 1905.

If we were to believe all the newspaper stories of the past week, a pitched battle between the Shubert Brothers and the theatrical syndicate, as represented by Klaw & Erlanger, might be expected almost any time. Better judgment tells us, however, that there will be no hostilities; at least not this season. The talk about the syndicate refusing to book the Shubert attractions is all folderol. The syndicate dictates its terms, and the Shuberts abide by them, as does Henry W. Savage and all other managers who own numerous attractions. They have prerogatives that the less important manager does not enjoy but their leeway does not extend to the point that would be dangerous to the syndicate interests. The Shuberts can book an attraction from New York to the coast without assistance from Klaw & Erlanger, but the railroad jumps, with the firms present accommodations for houses, would make an attempt at such independent action preposterous in the extreme. The syndicate is perfectly satisfied to have the Messrs. Shubert as successful as possible, the prosperity of the latter reverting, as it essentially does, to the former. For this reason any statement to the effect that the syndicate desires to crush Shubert or Savage savors of inanity. It would literally be killing the goose that lays golden eggs. Shubert Brothers realize as well as does the syndicate that their big rival could crush them at one blow by merely refusing to book their attractions which could not get bookings elsewhere sufficient to keep the receipts above the expenses. But the syndicate does not want to crush Shubert. It wants to help him grow. As long as the Shubert attractions continue to increase in the present superior proportion to the increase in theatres controlled by the Shuberts, the syndicate is perfectly satisfied to continue the present working agreement. The increment in Shubert theatres has not yet reached the formidable proportions that would justify the syndicate in taking drastic measures, and the Shuberts are not yet ready to aggravate such measures. There will be no trouble yet awhile.

Controller Grout, of Brooklyn, concluded negotiations last week through which the city was to pay William H. Reynolds \$500,000 for two-thirds of the parcel of land now occupied by the Montauk Theatre for an approach to

the new Manhattan bridge. As soon as the amount of the consideration became known a very positive remonstrance was raised among the officials of Brooklyn's financial department on the grounds that the entire property had been assessed at only \$300,000, and the price which the controllers had agreed to pay was exorbitant. The fact seems to have been overlooked by these carpers that the opening of the bridge will essentially have a tendency to increase the value of the property in that neighborhood, and that it should be quite natural for Manager Reynolds to demand a price somewhat in excess of the assessed value of a paying piece of property. He must have an inducement to cause him to sell his theatre which is to be replaced by a new edifice on the same block where the old Montauk now stands. A close investigation by the Board of Estimate on Saturday vindicated both Controller Grout and ex-Senator Reynolds, approving the purchase of the site for \$500,000, and even agreeing that the price was very reasonable.

The argument before Judge Kavanaugh, of Chicago, in behalf of quashing the indictment against Will J. Davis, charging involuntary manslaughter, for responsibility in the Iroquois Theatre holocaust, was resumed by Attorney Levy Mayer during the week. Mayer continued his attack on the first four counts of the indictment, which are based on a violation of a city ordinance. He argued that the violation of a city ordinance does not constitute manslaughter, no matter what the result may be. It was further urged that criminal negligence must be shown on the part of the person accused before an indictment for manslaughter will hold, and that Davis was not liable to criminal prosecution from the very face of the indictment, which states specifically that he was conducting a lawful business at the time of the accident.

The last two counts of the indictment, based on the common law, and charging criminal negligence, are still to be argued before a decision can be reached. The matter is being threshed out thoroughly in every detail, and the prospects of a finding favorable to the accused are very brilliant.

Recognizing the need among professional people of a source from which they might obtain reliable advice on legal matters without expense to them, or the revelation of their identity, The Billboard has established a department which, it is hoped, will serve this end.

In looking about for an attorney to edit the Law Department, we were exceedingly discriminating. It was necessary to the full realization of our purpose that we secure a lawyer of unassailable character, wide experience in the courts, and who would give to each enquirer a full and unequivocal answer, whether the question involved principles of more or less importance.

We believe we have been superlatively fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Maurice H. Rosenzweig, of New York, who has all the qualifications mentioned above and many more besides.

He will spare no conscientious effort to make the Law Department, which will henceforth be one of the weekly features of The Billboard, a complete and unqualified success.

The news that Mrs. James Brown Potter had been completely vindicated by the court, and through the statement of the judge in passing sentence on Alfred Fossick was entirely exonerated from all connection with the lawyer in the misappropriation of funds to the amount of \$60,000 trusted to his care, was received in this country with considerable and widespread satisfaction.

Fossick had testified that the shortage in his accounts as trustee was due to investments made in behalf of Mrs. Potter in several unsuccessful theatrical ventures. The evidence proved that Fossick's loans to the actress were made in the usual form, adequate security being given and a high rate of interest exacted.

In passing sentence the judge said he was convinced that Mrs. Potter had nothing to do with the actions of the prisoner, who was condemned to five years' imprisonment.

Madame Nordica got a good deal of advertising last week without the aid of a press agent. The judge hasn't decided what it will cost her yet, but the price will be exceedingly low from the very limitations of the penalty for infringing the law that relates to speeding automobiles in New York, of which Mme. Nordica, or rather her chauffeur, is charged. The fact that the papers throughout the country have given many columns of space to the episode causes one to wonder if there might not have been a method in the madame's madness.

The meeting of the Empire Circuit Burlesque Managers came off in Cincinnati last week as scheduled. It was an interesting meeting; the proceedings of which are chronicled on another page of this issue. No surprises were sprung, or if anything of a surprising nature was executed it has not yet leaked out. Yet a great deal that had been anticipated was done. The Cort arrangement was sealed with a contract and new attractions were annexed in number sufficient to fill the big circuit of houses secured. It was a most satisfactory and harmonious meeting, as results testify.

The case of James Metcalf against the Association of Theatre Managers of New York came up in court Monday, June 19, and at the request of the district attorney was continued over for one week. The case will be called again June 26.

CONEY ISLAND PRESS AGENTS ORGANIZE

Following the example recently set by the press agents of the New York theatres, those representing all the large attractions at Coney Island and Brighton Beach have organized into an association of which the purpose shall be to correct certain abuses that have existed for some time at Coney Island, and to conserve the interests of the large attractions represented. They include Luna Park, The Boer War, Dreamland, Bostock's Animal Show, Steeplechase Park, New York To The North Pole, Thompson's Scenic Railway, Galveston Flood, Pain's Fireworks and the Johnstown Flood.

Harry Schwab was elected president and Edward Breker secretary. J. A. Blauvel, George Wetherspoon and H. C. Duce were chosen a committee on organization, the last named being elected chairman. This association will be affiliated with the New York Press Agents' Association, and will have access to the records of the older organization.

COHN SELLS TO CONSIDINE

Mr. John W. Considine, owner of the Pacific Vaudeville Circuit, has purchased Mr. Morton Cohn's entire interest in the Star Circuit, in the Pacific northwest. The deal was closed Thursday, June 15. By its consummation Mr. Considine gets control of the Family Theatre, Butte, Mont.; Cineograph, Spokane, Wash.; Star Theatre, Seattle, Wash.; Redmond Theatre, Victoria, B. C.; Star Theatre, Tacoma; Star and Arcade theatres, Portland; Star Theatre, Astoria, and the Opera House, at Vancouver, B. C. Mr. Considine also takes over the Chicago office of the Affiliated Circuit, and Mr. Chris. O. Brown will be retained as manager.

ACCIDENT TO GENTRY BROTHERS

The Gentry Brothers' Dog and Pony Show did not exhibit at Grafton, Md., June 14, owing to an accident which resulted in the injury of two men and the loss of a horse. While one of the wagons of the show, loaded with seats and drawn by four horses, was going over a bridge near the show grounds, the wagon broke through the bridge. Charles Cooper and Herbert Braxton were severely injured.

CLEVELAND CO. ASSIGNS LEASE

The W. S. Cleveland Amusement Co., of Chicago, has assigned its lease on the Panorama building, Chicago, to Mr. Lambert Tree and others for a nominal consideration. The Cleveland Co. had a ten year lease on the building, with eight years more to run.

CINCINNATI THEATRE COMPANY

The Cincinnati Theatre Company was incorporated in Columbus, Ohio, last week, with a capital stock of \$15,000. The incorporators were Sam. A. Scribner, Jules Hurlig, Chas. B. Arnold and M. Muller, the two former gentlemen being from New York. The company will operate what was formerly known as the old Vine Street Opera House, now being remodeled and renovated, and when completed will produce attractions of the Eastern Burlesque Circuit. Mr. Chas. B. Arnold will be manager of the house.

LAND OF NOD OPENS IN CHICAGO

Lovers of extravaganza filed the Chicago Opera House, Chicago, Ill., Monday evening, June 12; when the Land of Nod was given its premiere upon the stage, and proved that there is yet much that is entirely new in musical fantasy. The following cast animated the scenes and put up an excellent entertainment:

The Man in the Moon.....William Norris
The Chorus Girl.....Valerie Bergere
Bonnie.....Mabel Barrison
A Welch Barebit.....Herbert Cawthorne
The Jack of Hearts.....Alma Youlin
April Fool.....Knox Wilson
Queen of Hearts.....May De Souza
King of Hearts.....Fred Ray
The Reflection.....Alice Dovey
Bory Bory Alice.....Juliet Wood
The Weather Man.....Bert Young
Barber Pole.....Ella Vern
The Sand Man.....George Fox
The Booster.....Walter Stanton
Star Maiden.....Callie Mason
Telephone Man.....Tom Armstrong
Sad Sky Rocket.....John Mendel
Knockout Drops.....John A. Ross

The fact that Messrs. Adams, Hough & Howard, the authors of The Isle of Bing-Bong, are responsible for the piece is a sufficient warranty of its value as a good all round novelty. It is unnecessary to add that the Chicago Opera House was filled to capacity the opening night, or that the audience was exceedingly enthusiastic over the performance. William Morris and Herbert Cawthorne head the all-star cast. High honors were divided between Valerie Berger, Mabel Barrison, May DeSouza and Alma Youlin. The music is fitting and catchy. The lines and situations are bright and comical. The chorus is well trained and the scenery and costumes are exquisite. There is a semblance of a plot which serves to keep up interest, and what more is necessary.

The Land of Nod will continue indefinitely at the Chicago. The initial week's business was immense.

A FITTING MEMORIAL SERVICE

An impressive memorial service was held over the grave of the late Frank W. Gaskill in the cemetery at Alliance, Ohio, Thursday, June 8, by the members of the Hoss & Naumann Carnival Co., which played in Alliance that week. Mr. A. F. Gorman arranged with the Reynolds Band, and at ten o'clock in the forenoon about 120 of the carnival people marched to the cemetery where in rests the body of the late Frank W. Gaskill, proprietor and manager of the Gaskill Carnival Co., so well liked by all who came in touch with him. A eulogy and prayer were offered, after which twenty beautiful bouquets were placed upon the grave by those who had worked for the well-known carnival man. The band played appropriate selections.

AGED WIGMAKER DEAD

Few are the traveling thespians who have not heard of Louis Duval, the quaint old wigmaker of San Francisco, whose work has adorned the heads of all of our well-known actors and actresses. Sarah Bernhardt and Richard Mansfield attribute to him much of their success as masters of makeup, and were his clients for many years. He arrived in San Francisco in 1873, and supported Mme. Genee when she acted at the old California Theatre. After his retirement from the stage, he settled down at 112 Eddy St., San Francisco, and entered the wig-making business. He was nearly sixty-five years of age.

INDIAN COWBOY EXHIBITION

The exhibition of Indians, Indian ceremonies and pastimes, cowboy sports, buffalo chasing and frontier pastimes held at Miller Bros., 101 ranch Bliss, Okla., June 11, to commemorate the dissolution of tribal relations between the native Indians of this section and in honor of the National Editorial Association, was witnessed by 40,000 people, and was a gala day in the history of Oklahoma. This event drew people from all parts of the country, who came to witness an exhibition that has never been equalled in any part of the United States.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe R. R. pulled in twenty-five large trains loaded with people, besides those that came in every conceivable kind of conveyance for miles around. The entire programme was pulled off without a hitch, and everything ran smoothly with the exception of the collapse of a small section of the grand stand, which fortunately did not result very seriously.

The arena was built out on the open prairie and contained about twenty-five acres, which was surrounded by a grand stand of eight tiers of seats. The fence was patrolled by the territorial militia and the best of order was kept.

A special train of eleven Pullmans, containing delegates to the National Editorial Convention, at Guthrie, Okla., were the guests of the Miller Bros. and they were treated to the best that ranch life affords. The tent pavilion, pitched especially for the entertainment of invited guests, had a capacity of 1,200 at the tables, where roast buffalo sandwiches, ham sandwiches, eggs, pickles, cheese, cake, fruit and coffee was served in abundance to editors, press correspondents and invited guests.

Privileges were let on the grounds for food, drinks and souvenirs, and there seemed to be a bountiful supply of everything.

There was plenty of room, and ideal day, and everybody was good natured and thoroughly enjoyed the day. The following was the programme carried out:

Grand parade: Indians, cowboys, prairie schooners, ox wagons, Oklahoma farmers, modern farm machinery, steam plows, automobiles and twelve bands.

Buffalo chase, twenty-three head of buffalo, Indian sports and dances.

Miss Lucille Mulhall and her horse, "Governor," Mr. Geo. Elser, champion trick rider of the world.

Riding wild broncos, champion steer roping contest, the wonderful negro, "Pickett," throwing wild steer by the nose with his teeth, cowboys and girls horseback quadrille, burning emigrant wagon train by Indians, reception by Indians, and Old Geronimo, the famous Apache chief.

This will probably be the last entertainment of this kind given at 101 ranch, as the day of the Indian and the cowboy in Oklahoma is nearing the end. Much credit is due the Miller Bros. for the capability shown throughout the entire undertaking.

WM. HAYDEN DEAD

Mr. Wm. Hayden, an account of whose accident at Waterbury, Conn., June 11, was related in last week's issue of this paper, died Monday, June 12, as the result of those injuries. For some reason Mr. Hayden was unable to guide his parachute, which caused him to land in a tall chestnut tree, from which he fell to the ground, striking a rock pile. He was removed to the hospital, where his skull was found to be crushed, and a number of bones broken. Mr. Hayden never regained consciousness and died as a result of internal injuries sustained. He was well-known, especially in the eastern states, being a resident of Haverhill, Mass. He was twenty-six years of age and was married. Besides a widow he leaves a brother and sister. The funeral services were held at the old homestead in Haverhill, where the opening of a summer theater was postponed until after his burial.

APPROPRIATION FOR FAIR

If the West Florida Fair, to be held at DeFuniak Springs this fall, is not a success it will not be the fault of the legislature of that state. The legislative body has voted an appropriation of \$2,000 for the event, and this is to be used as premiums only. The legis-

lature also appropriated the same amount for the event to be held in the fall of 1906. In addition to this the association will place a large amount up for premiums. Handsome premiums will be given for all agricultural products, and the efforts of the farmers' wives and daughters will not be overlooked. Mr. R. W. Storrs is secretary of the West Florida Fair Association, and he announces that the prospects are bright indeed.

"BORAX BILL" DEAD

William Parkinson, the famous driver of the twenty-mule team, which attracted so much attention at the St. Louis Exposition, died in an ambulance at Danville, Ill., June 16, from an overdose of morphine taken to relieve pain. Parkinson was found unconscious in his room at the Aeta Hotel, and was placed in an ambulance to be taken to the hospital. He took the first borax out of Death Valley.

SAVAGE REORGANIZES PARSIFAL

The wonderful success of the tour of Parsifal, last season, has lead Henry W. Savage to prepare for the presentation of other grand operas in English, and has already organized his English Grand Opera Company for next season, the company including members of both the Parsifal and English Grand Opera companies. Francis McLennan has been selected as first tenor; Ottley Cranston, basso; Robert Kent Parker, basso; all of the Parsifal company. Miss Gertrude Reenyson will be the principal soprano; Miss Rita Newman, mezzo-soprano; Winifred Goff, baritone and technical director; Arthur Dean, baritone; William Weger, principal tenor; Thomas Richards, baritone.

MAY REBUILD AVENUE THEATRE

Whether or not the Avenue Theatre, in Pittsburg, Pa., will be rebuilt depends probably in a large measure on the construction to be placed upon the theatre ordinance. The ordinance requires that all theatres erected since its passage shall have an alleyway of ten feet on both sides of the building. The question then comes down to whether the Avenue will have to be rebuilt in the legal sense of rebuilding, or whether it can be repaired. If what is necessary to place the Avenue in its former condition is termed repairing, then in all probability Manager Davis will ask the Pittsburg Theatre Co. to rebuild the house. If the reverse construction is placed upon the action it is probable that the house will never be rebuilt, as under the conditions the ten foot alleyway on both sides is impracticable.

CHESTER PARK OPERA CO. OPENS

Despite the torrid weather which manifested itself most uncomfortably, the opening of Chester Park Opera Co. at Chester Park, Cincinnati, June 18, was greeted by a packed house. In the title role Miss Cecelia Rhoda proved herself an able prima donna, and Miss Carrie Reynolds, well-known in Cincinnati, was an excellent Fifi. Sam. Mylle scored in the leading male role, and as Nancy Clancy Miss Edna Remling was fairly astonishing. The remaining members are all well cast, and the chorus is right in line with the excellent scenic effects. It is conceded to be the best company that ever held the boards at Chester, and if business keeps up in the manner indicated, Manager Martin can be congratuated upon his eminent success.

INDIANA CROPS

A report has been prepared by State Statistician Stubbs, showing that Indiana is growing in importance as a tobacco raising state. Tobacco culture in Indiana increased seventy per cent. this year over last. There are 13,500 acres under cultivation now.

The bulk of the tobacco is produced in Switzerland, Jefferson, Spencer, Vigo, Warrick and Ohio counties. Nevin township, Vigo county, has the largest acreage of any locality. Reports from the township assessors show that the acreage for wheat has increased slightly over last year, but it is still far below the normal average for the last ten years. The wheat acreage is slightly over 1,600,000 acres. Corn is about the same, but the acreage for oats is largely increased.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Wingfield, last week, a bouncing baby girl. Mr. Wingfield is advertising manager of the Grand Opera House, Chicago, and is interested in a number of theatrical enterprises. The Billboard extends congratulations.

MARRIAGES.

FOX-KENNEDY—Al. H. Fox and Miss Josephine Kennedy, both members of The National Stock Co., were married on the stage of the Clydeside Park Casino, between the second and third acts of the play, June 5.

CAMPBELL-SQUIRES—Frank Campbell, of Professor Bronson's Band, to Miss Cleatlie Squires, at Mt. Clemens, Mich.

MOORE-WHITE—Miss Olive Celesta Moore, a talented young singer and actress, to Archibald S. White, a banker and broker of New York.

MASON-COCKRUM—Miss Caroline V. Mason, well-known in the profession, to Mr. Oatley Barrett, of Indianapolis. The ceremony was performed at the Auditorium Annex, Chicago, only a few relatives being present.

WELTCH-MCINTYRE—Mr. Esse Weltch to Miss Mary McIntyre, both of the Dixie Carnival Co., June 6, in Roswell, N. M.

DEATHS.

Louis Duval, San Francisco, Cal. Notice appears in another column.

Wm. Hayden, aeronaut. Notice appears in another column.

Wm. Parkinson, Danville, Ill. Notice appears elsewhere.

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VAUDEVILLE IN NEW YORK

Brighton Beach Music Hall enters upon the second week of its season Monday evening, June 19, with the following bill: May Robson & Co., Sam Elton, Holcombe, Curtis and Webb, Cliff Gordon, Tyce and Jermon, White and Simmons, Harry Parker's Dogs, Niblo and Reilly and others.

Henderson's Music Hall, at Coney Island, has these people this week: Russell and Tilton, Eddie Reeves, The Magnani Family, Paul Stephens, The World's Comedy Four, Jean Ardell & Co., Gallette's Monks, Carmen Sisters, The Heidelberg Cadets, Zimmer, The Campbells, The Fetching Brothers, Axtel and Howard, and The St. Onge Brothers.

The bill at Keith's Union Square for week of June 19 names May Vokes & Co., The Zandies, Dooley, Bremner and Marsh, The Four Avals, The Four Lukens, Geo. Alexander, The Hickson Brothers, Aurie Dagwell, Ward Baker, Gallande, J. Warren Keane, and Conway and Held.

Percy Williams inaugurates a summer season of vaudeville at Maubstant Beach Theatre, June 24, with this bill: Eddie Foy, Simon & Gardner, Fred Niblo, Katie Rooney and her girls, Chas. F. Semon, The Patty Brothers, Herbert Brooks, The Lutz Brothers, Ha Gannan and others.

Afternoon in the Victoria Theatre, and in the evenings upon the roof thereof, Oscar Hammerstein will offer these variety folk week of June 19: Irene Bentley, Ernest Hogan & Co., Hickey and Nelson, Bedini and Arthur, The Woodland Nymphs, Herbert's Dogs, Dida, Reno and Richards, To-To, Mills and Moore, and The Magic Kettle.

Tony Pastor's bill for the week of June 12, names The Knickerbocker Quintet, The Bottblack's Quartet, Meakins, Lawrence and Dale, Carr and Jordan, The Hoover Sisters, The Weston Sisters, Williams and Melbourne, Appleton and Perry, Cole and Clemens, Annie Bernstein, LaToy Brothers, Thompson and Serida and others.

The Boer War, at Brighton Beach Park; Dreamland and Luna Park at Coney Island and all the beaches and nearby resorts have enjoyed a week of great prosperity and have in consequence of the extreme heat, been thronged. From Canarsie Shore to Fort George, Greater New York and its amusement environments has felt the heat.

Proctor's Twenty-third Street offers this bill for the week of June 19: Anna Fitzhugh, Shean and Warren, Billy Van, Guyer and O'Neill, Annie and Jennie Yeamans, Chas. Bradshaw & Co., The Ellis-Nowlin Trio, Dockstader's Tabloid Minstrels, and Powell's Minstrelles. WALTER E. HILL.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

The Cincinnati Theatre Co., Cincinnati, Ohio; capital \$15,000. Incorporators—S. A. Scribner, Jules Hurlig, C. B. Arnold, M. Mulick.

The Seenic Railway Co., Celoron, N. Y.; capital \$100,000; amusements, etc. Incorporators—Lee Phillips, Willis G. Price, John E. Penfold, Charles O. Johnson, all of Celoron, N. Y.; George W. Robinson, Stafford, Ohio.

Eastern Booking Agency, Brooklyn, N. Y.; capital \$20,000; theatrical booking agency. Incorporators—George J. Kraus, 128 E. 14th St., New York; Richard Hyde, 381 Fulton St., and Henry C. Jacobs, 2725 Bedford ave., Brooklyn; William A. Baker, Waldman's Opera House, Newark, N. J.; Charles H. Waldman, Palace Theatre, Boston, Mass.

South Park Association of Rosebud, Tex.; capital \$4,000; to maintain fairs, etc. Incorporators—J. N. Burford, W. I. McReynolds, S. T. Souther, Henry Ocker, S. G. Henalee, R. F. Aycock and P. R. Stripling.

The VanBuren and New York Billposting Co., Manhattan, N. Y.; capital \$404,000. Directors, first year—Robert C. Campbell, Chicago; James F. O'Mella, Jersey City; A. R. Kennedy, New York; Barney Link, Raymond Ballantine, Abraham Brown, and John J. Welner of Brooklyn.

Robert Gran Vanderville and Theatrical Agency, New York; capital \$5,000; amusements. Incorporators—Robert Gran, 1790 Broadway; David Gordon, 1267 Broadway; Simon Nahm, 231 W. 44th street, New York City.

The Commercial Novelty Co., 76 Montgomery street, Jersey City, N. J.; capital \$125,000; manufacture vending machines, etc. Incorporators—William Sinclair, 376 Palisade avenue, Jersey City; Valentine Steinhelm, 77 Fifty-third street; Archibald C. Forman, 41 W. 32nd street; George E. Wheeler, 32 E. 39th street; Harry S. Benson, 84 W. 31st street, Bayonne, N. J.

Butte Amusement Co., Butte, Mont.; capital \$10,000. Incorporators—C. E. Alsop, W. E. Lindsey, and W. A. Keppler.

Venice Amusement Co., Ocean Park, Cal.; capital \$10,000. Incorporators—Mary Swannell Taylor, Ives E. Cobb and Charles Edwin Tilton, of Ocean Park; L. E. Sprague of Salt Lake City and J. W. Cushing of San Francisco.

Hashim & Jol Amusement Co., New York City; capital \$10,000. Theatrical. Incorporators—Jol Bahumagara, 142 Fifth avenue; Alexander Hashim, 142 Fifth avenue, and N. A. Shibley, 51 Manhattan avenue.

Pittsburg Trotting Association, 147 E. State street, Trenton, N. J.; capital \$10,000. Conduct racing meets, theatrical and music halls. Incorporators—L. E. McKain, James E. Neagley and Mark G. Hibbs.

Great American Detective Co., New York City; capital \$5,000. Amusements. Incorporators—Albert H. Woods, Martin Herman, 1263 Broadway, and Ernest S. Jaros, 122 Nassau street.

Queen of The Highlanders Co., New York City; capital \$5,000. Amusements. Incorporators—Albert H. Woods, Martin Herman and Ernest S. Jaros.

MRS. KIRKE LA SHELLE'S PLANS

Upon the advice of her own and her husband's friends, backed, of course, by her own judgment, Mrs. Kirk La Shelle has decided not to embark on any new theatrical ventures. She is satisfied to let her late husband's affairs rest as he left them, and will not engage in the production of any new plays, not even The Embassy Ball, which Augustus Thomas wrote around Lawrence D'Orsay as the star, at Mr. La Shelle's order. Mr. Thomas, being a friend of Mrs. La Shelle, advised her unequivocally to leave speculation out of her business considerations.

The Embassy Ball will be placed with another Broadway manager, and Mr. D'Orsay will be retained as the star.

PLAYHOUSES.

Work has begun upon the foundation of the new theatre for Appleton, Wis.

Mr. Ray Daniels will open a new vaudeville house in Topeka, Kan., Sept. 1.

Bob Crockett, manager of the Farwell Opera House, Rockland, Mo., sailed for Europe recently. He will be abroad two months.

Harry Bernhardt, assistant manager of Johnson's Electric Theatre, Waterloo, Ia., is spending a few days in St. Paul, visiting professional friends.

Miss Mable Parcher, well-known in theatrical circles, has resigned her position in the box office of the Grand, Wausau, Wis., to accept a similar position in Indianapolis.

During the absence of Manager Curran, the People's Theatre, Cedar Rapids, Ia., will be under the management of Bay W. Fay, who has been connected with the house ever since its opening.

Frank Burt, of Toledo, Ohio, has leased the Webb Theatre, Peru, Ind. It is not announced whether Manager Fred Webb will continue as manager next season. The house opens August 11, with A Trip to Egypt.

A New York firm has signed contracts to erect a new \$30,000 theatre in Peleborough, Can. It is reported that the house will open October 1, and that it will seat 1,500 people, and have all modern improvements.

The deal by which it was thought that the Greenwald Theatre, New Orleans, La., would be converted to vaudeville, has been declared off, and the house will continue to be the home of the Baldwin-Melville Stock Co. next season.

The sprinkler tank over the Parson Theatre, Hartford, Conn., fell off the roof last week, doing considerable damage to the house and to the scenery. The Hunter-Bradford Players were obliged to omit several performances while repairs were being made.

The Midland Theatre, Fort Dodge, Ia., under the management of Mr. Edward Lucas, will next season be placed on a vaudeville circuit and cater to the public at popular prices. Manager Lucas was manager of the Palace Theatre, Sioux City, Ia., before it burned last December.

The contract for building the Orpheum Theatre, Duluth, Minn., which house, when completed, will take the place of the Bijou, has been let to Messrs. McLeod & Smith, and work upon the same has begun. When completed the house will have a seating capacity of 800 and will play vaudeville exclusively.

It is rumored that a prominent vaudeville promoter of New York City will rebuild the Lyceum Theatre at Syracuse, N. Y., which was burned about a year ago, and has since been left in the condition caused by the fire. The Lyceum was never considered a successful house, but under the new arrangement, which would place the house on a well-known vaudeville circuit, success would be assured.

The Robinson Opera House, Cincinnati, Ohio, is being repaired and put in excellent condition for the Forepaugh Stock Co., which returns to the house in August. Manager Davis is having the interior decorations brightened and the entire interior is being scrubbed. Manager Fish will find a perfectly clean house on his return, about the middle of August, to make arrangements for the opening.

Mr. H. DeGrau, of Brookfield, Mo., is building a new \$30,000 opera house in his city, and expects to have the same ready for the opening performance October 15. The new house will be first-class in every particular, and will seat 927 people. The stage will be thirty-five by sixty feet. No bookings have as yet been made. Mr. Fred Dickinson will manage the theatre when completed, and Mr. C. H. Jones will be treasurer.

E. T. Carruthers, Karl St. John Hoblitzelle and Robert Holmes, of the Interstate Amusement Co., of St. Louis, have been investigating several lots in Memphis, Tenn., with a view to establishing a theatre in that city. Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger, and Messrs. Pedley & Burch, are negotiating toward that end in Memphis. It looks as if the Tennessee city should be reasonably sure of getting at least one new playhouse.

The Orpheum Theatre, Springfield, Ohio, devoted to polite vaudeville, closed for the summer on June 10. During the warm weather the house will be enlarged and remodelled and will open about Sept. 1, a much more desirable house. Business at the Orpheum the past season has been very satisfactory, and the indications are that the house will enjoy a more prosperous run next season. It will continue under the same management, Mr. Gus Sm, being business manager.

Mr. D. J. McNamara, who has successfully managed the Capitol Theatre, Frankfort, Ky., for the past two years, has continued his lease for a term of three more years. Man-

ager McNamara is a hustling man, and has built up the theatrical business in that city wonderfully during his two years of management. He leaves this week for New York, where he will make arrangements for next season's bookings. Mr. McNamara always endeavors to give his patrons the best there is on the road in the way of attractions.

Johnson's New Electric Theatre, Waterloo, Ia., opened Monday, June 19. This little house will seat about 800 people, and in appearance is neat and pleasing. Its stage is sufficiently large to accommodate the largest of vaudeville acts, and the seating arrangements are excellent. A perfect view of the entire stage is afforded everyone in the house. Electric Theatre is situated one block from the business centre of Waterloo, and there is no evident reason why, under Mr. Johnson's management, it should not prove a success.

The proprietors of the new theatre to be erected in Moline, Ill., do not propose to have the house called a "fire trap" after it has been completed. The original plans of the architect have been altered, so as to include twenty exits. This plan will slightly decrease the seating capacity of the house, but the greater freedom of exit is more to be desired. Special arrangements are also planned for the safety of the gallery in case the stairs leading to the same should be torn or burned down.

Manager Bennett will close his vaudeville Theatre, London, Ontario, the latter part of this month in order to repair the house before the opening, August 7. A new heating plant will be installed and other improvements made. Manager Bennett has demonstrated that the people of London will support high class vaudeville, and he intends to give them the best. Mr. Chas. Bornhaupt, of New York, is booking foreign attractions for the London house. In the future Mr. Bennett intends to run the house summer and winter.

Manager Barhydt, of the Grand Theatre, Terre Haute, Ind., is making extensive improvements, which will alter entirely the appearance of the interior of the house. Mitchell & Holbach, of Chicago, have charge of the decorating, and a corps of artists are engaged in the work of transformation. Red, ivory and gold form the color scheme to be used, and the sounding boards and box fronts are in ivory and floral effects, making a very beautiful appearance. A new floor is being laid on the stage, new roof put on the building, and the stage walls whitewashed. When the theatre opens next fall, patrons will scarcely recognize the house.

COLE AND JOHNSON TO SAIL

Bob Cole, Rosamond Johnson and J. W. Johnson (Cole & Johnson Bros.), sail June 15 on the French line steamship La Savole for Havre. After a fortnight's stay in Paris they will tour Belgium and Holland, reaching London about July 15, with a commission from Klaw & Erlanger, for whom they write exclusively, to do several musical numbers for a large English production, which will be seen here later. The only public performances of Cole & Johnson while in London will be at the Palace Theatre.

RELIEF FUND

Harry West, a performer, is serving a twenty year sentence in the Illinois State Prison for a crime of which he claims he is not guilty, having been unfairly convicted. The Billboard is holding a fund for his relief.

Contributions Received

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Performers and employes Gaiety Theatre, Springfield, Ill.....	5 75

VAUDEVILLE.

Major O'Laughlin informs us that he is meeting with the best of success in his gun-splanning act.

Anderson and Goines have been booked for a twelve weeks' engagement over the Gorman Circuit.

The Four Mortons are booked solid until Sept. 10 over the Ed. Shayne Park Circuit as one of the headliners. A good act is always in demand.

The Prentice Trio write: We have closed a very successful engagement of eight weeks with Edmond Hayes in A Wise Guy Co., at Buffalo, N. Y.

The Great Booth, featuring his unicycle ride on a slack wire, writes that his act is meeting with success everywhere, and that he is booked until October.

Beecher and May, at present playing park dates in the vicinity of Baltimore, have signed with The Perils of New York, to play parts and to do their specialty.

Allan Martin writes: The Martin Family have returned to the Family Theatre, Wichita, Kan., after an eight weeks' engagement on the road with the Hunter Wonder Co.

Lafever and Tossell, the cyclone comedy cyclists, have been engaged for the

coming season by Messrs. McVenn & Vetter as a special feature of the Two Merry Trampa Co.

Lacentra and Larue, electrical instrumentalists, have signed with Stenger's Pavillion Shows for the summer, and because of this fact have canceled all other summer dates.

Russell, Schooley and Russell announce that they are receiving three and four curtain calls at every performance. Business is fine, and the S. R. O. sign is out every night.

The Four Dancing Harrises are coming rapidly to the front as terpsichorean artists. Their engagements this season have been very successful.

Sinclair and Carlisle have been dispensing comedy all along the Jones & O'Brien Wisconsin Circuit. From an artistic standpoint, also, their work is worthy of recommendation.

Merritt and Roselle scored a pronounced success at the Family Theatre, Gloversville, N. Y., recently. Their act is one of those that go with a dash and vim that leave a good impression.

Daly and Keiso, known as "the two blackbirds," write that they are booked solid until October. They deny positively the report that they go with the Fanat Minstrels again next season.

The Three Barneys write: Our new act, entitled Fun in a Parlor, is a screaming hit. Baby Barney, the little girl with the big voice, is a big success. We are booked solid until August 4.

Conser's Dog Show, now delighting the patrons of the Jones & O'Brien Circuit, has been enlarged by the recent addition of three more leaping greyhounds. John White furnished them.

LeMaire and LeMaire were visitors at the Cincinnati office of The Billboard last week, being engaged at the Coney Island Theatre for the week. They report a very successful season so far.

Tariton and Tariton have become a feature of the Chas. Breckenridge Stock Co. with which organization they are doing their musical specialty. They are in their tenth week of success.

Madge Daytell reports success with her western dates, and is now playing parks, having opened at West End Heights Park, Ottumwa, Ia. She is booked up for the summer at the outdoor resorts.

The team of Marcus and Gartelle are resting at their home in Philadelphia, owing to an injury sustained by Mr. Marcus recently while performing in Buffalo. The team expects to play park dates shortly.

One of the big successes at present on the Melville Circuit is the act of Cherry and Bates, which combines both artistic cycling and comedy. However, they promise something entirely new for next season.

Miss Clara Williams and Jimmy King are meeting with unbounded success in their sketch entitled Dugan in The Asylum. They have declined several offers to play in comic opera because of their present successes.

The Affiliated Western Vaudeville Circuit is placing upon the boards in its houses the Mantell Electric Marionette Hippodrome, which is pleasing the western audiences to a degree of perfection. It is a good turn.

Romola and Williams informs us that they have closed with the Continental Comedy Co., and are now booked with the Price Floating Palace. They speak in flattering terms of the boat show, and report that business is high.

What is a laughing success may be more fully described after witnessing the act of Holman, Hayward and Hayward. Their new act is entitled Marriage is Sublime. They have been the feature in almost every performance since their opening in the same.

Maj. Kelleher, lightning baton, gun and drum manipulator, informs us that he is meeting with success in his new act. The Major recently closed with Fields & Hanson's Minstrels, and is now with the Thebes Burlesquers, with which organization he is the hit of the olio.

McNamee, clay modeler, writes that he has just finished twenty-nine weeks over the Lang, Sutton, Weston, Gourley and Adams circuits, having lost only two or three weeks. He considers some of the jumps very bad, but on the whole he enjoyed his work and will endeavor to repeat it next season.

The Kimball Brothers, en route with the Frank Kusman Twentieth Century Minstrels, write in glowing terms of their success at the summer resorts in the east. They are booked until Nov. 6, and are considering offers for their services after that time, but as yet they have not contracted.

Versatility is one of the prime characteristics of the vaudeville stage. The announcement just comes that Fox and Engles, whose success the past winter has been dealt out in big chunks, are playing the leading baritone and prima donna roles in the Riverside Park Opera Co., Boise City, Idaho.

Eastern vaudeville patrons are promised an excellent attraction and draw card in the act of Miss Josephine Gordon, singing and dancing soubrette, now playing in the west. Miss Gordon's doll act is a big hit, and is most favorably received. Her artistic soubrette specialties are an entertainment in themselves.

Frank and Ida Adams write: We close our engagements this week (June 5) over the Danforth Circuit, heading the bill at Manitowish, Wis. The act has been a big hit everywhere. We are having several novelties built. We open upon the Melville and the Morris circuits of parks shortly. We get The Billboard every week. They are on every newstand.

LaClair and West have put off their vacation several weeks because of urgent demands for their act. They opened for a four weeks' engagement over the Helice & Glading

Pennsylvania Circuit of parks June 19, at Cold Lake Park, Trenton, N. J. After a short engagement at Tony Pastor's they go for their summer home in Sea Isle City, N. J.

The Renos, Dottie and Denny, comedy acrobats, have just closed a six weeks' engagement with the Breckenridge Stock Co., at La-Crosse, Wis., and opened upon the Bijou Circuit, at Kenosha. Their new comedy act has been meeting with success everywhere and Mr. Lang will undoubtedly be pleased with the success which they will surely have over his circuit.

Ben Omar, the European artist known as the "Human Top," opened his park engagements May 21, at Olentangy Park, Columbus, Ohio, following with a week at the Lagoon, Ludlow, Ky., and at Cook's Park, Evansville, Ind. His French gypsy dance, and his human top act have won for him unattained praise from his audiences and unanimous applause from the press. His act would appear to be a big park attraction.

Berry's Camp, at Happy Jack's dock, on Glen Lake, New York, is entertaining a number of performers. The party includes Thos. Perry and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sullivan, of New York; Billy Mallan, Bud Mansfield, Happy Jack Cashion, Nellie Allquest and last, but not least, Dot Collins. The camp is open for all old friends that chance to be in the neighborhood.

The Grotesque Randolphs, Fred and Gertie, have just played all the leading vaudeville houses in the west, have signed with Edward Shayne to play the parks and a number of fairs in the same section of the country. They opened upon the Shayne Circuit June 11 at Lake View Park, Terre Haute, Ind. They like the west very much and give the western audience credit for knowing a good act when they see it.

Chris. O. Brown, Chicago representative of the Affiliated Western Theatre Circuit, announces the following acts to open on that circuit starting Sunday, June 18: At Family Theatre, Butte, Mont., The Original Bobby Gaylor, Marshall and Lorraine, Carl W. Sanderson & Co., and Billie Taylor; at Portland, Ore., Star Theatre, The Three Kubs; at Novity Theatre, Denver, Colo., Gus Mortimer, monologue, Clifford and Arnold, sketch artists, Kraft and Bigden, comedy sketch.

NEW NORTHERN CIRCUIT

Mr. Frank Eldridge has just completed arrangements whereby he will book and represent from New York the following towns which were recently organized as the Northern Circuit: Barre, Brattleboro, Bellows Falls, Woodstock and White River Junction, Vt., and Keene, Newport and Claremont in N. H. Other towns in northern New York, Vermont and New Hampshire will soon be added according to the statement of Mr. Eldridge. This will make a very desirable route for attractions between New York and Montreal.

ODDS AND ENDS.

J. M. Smith, manager Modern Remedy Co., writes: We are this week enjoying a layoff at Cuba, Kan. We open June 12 under a ninety by thirty foot canvas. Everything new and all waiting for the opening.

Mr. Frank Clifford, electrician and operator with the Howe Moving Picture Co., the past season, is resting at the home of his sister in Pittsburg, Pa. He goes with the company again next season.

Mr. Roy D. Johnson, Traffic Manager of the Santa Fe Railroad at Topeka, Kan., who is well known by all theatrical managers, handled the Indian-Cowboy Exhibition at Bliss, Okla., with rare skill, and much praise is due him for the success of the exhibition. Roy is a valuable man to the company and is liked by all who have the pleasure of knowing him.

Messrs. Geo. W. Willis and Geo. W. Myers, of Canal Dover, Ohio, have put out a moving picture show, featuring the Passion Play. They will also have a number of comic and historic reproductions. They will exhibit under canvas and carry their own electric light plant. Eugene Stuffer and Jack Andrew, both of Canal Dover, are on the staff. The show will play eastern Ohio and western Pennsylvania.

BARRYMORE TO PLAY ALICE

Miss Ethel Barrymore has been chosen by Mr. Chas. Frohman to play the leading part in Alice, Sit By The Fire, when that piece is given production in New York. Miss Ellen Terry created the role, which is that of a matron with grown children.

COMPANIES CLOSING.

The Lyman H. Howe Moving Picture Co. closed its season June 10, at Myersdale, Pa.

The Mamie Sheridan Wolford Co., under the management of Mr. E. L. Paul, closed its season of forty-two weeks June 14, at Beloit, Kan.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Irene Artman, formerly with the Metropolitan Juvenile Opera Co., has been engaged by Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger and will be seen in one of their new productions next month.

Miss Carrie Behr, who made quite a bit in the role of Gretchen in Hanlon's Superba Co., the past season, has been engaged to play the part of Ruth in The Girl From Paris. This part was created by Miss Behr some years ago.

ROUTES AHEAD.

The Billboard forwards mail to all professional routes of circus members of the profession...

PERFORMERS DATES.

Admini & Taylor (Alhambra): London, Eng., June 10, indef. Adams, Jas. R. (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.

Bine, Chas. C. (Aerialist): En route with the White City Amusement Co. See Midway Routes. Boises, Four Sensational: En route with Wallace's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.

DeHollis & Valore (Grand): Gladstone, Mich., 18-24. Dayton Sisters (Electric): Waterloo, Ia., 19-24; (Midland) Ft. Dodge 26-31.

George & Harrington (Hampton Beach): Hampton, N. H., 26-July 1. Goodo: En route with Bert Silver's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.

Johnson, Chas.: En route with Mollie A. Bailey's Show. See Midway Routes.
 Kaufman Troupe: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Kenton, Dorothy (English Garden): Vienna, Austria, May 20, indef.
 Kharis & Cole (San Souci Park): Chicago, Ill., May 29, indef.
 Kilroy, Arthur: En route with Meyer's Monarch Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Kingsley & Kingsley (Alcazar): Denver, Col., May 15, indef.
 Kitch, St.: En route with the Southern Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Koler & Seymour (Earl): Pueblo, Col., 19-24.
 Kelleher (Lyceum): Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24.
 Kelso, Jimmie (Crystal): Wausau, Wis., 19-24; (Unique) South Chicago, Ill., 26-27 July 1.
 Kate Bros. (Troadero): Chicago, Ill., 18-24; (Ingersoll Park) Des Moines, Ia., 25-27 July 1.
 Keno, Welch & Melrose (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 19-24; (Victoria Roof Garden) New York City, 26-27 July 1.
 Kohler & Marion (Eagle): Johnstown, N. Y., 19-24.
 Klein-Off Bros. and Nicholson (Ravina Park): Chicago, Ill., 19-24; (Hammerstein's Roof Garden) New York City, 26-27 July 1.
 Keltos, Musical (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 25-27 July 1.
 Kurtis, Wm. J. and Dogs (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 25-27 July 1.
 King, Will (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 18-24.
 Kourer & Chaplain (Fischer's): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24; (Novelty) Oakland 26-27 July 1.
 Kaufman, Reba (Alhambra): London, Eng., May 8-June 30.
 Kretzer (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 19-24.
 Kennedy & Rooney (Farm): Toledo, O., 18-24.
 Leohardt (Willow Brook Park): Norwalk, O., 18-24; (Casino Park) Kalamazoo, Mich., 25-27 July 1.
 Leelle, Mme.: En route with Wm. P. Hall's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Lancaster, F. Francis (Berkeley): Berkeley, Cal., May 29-July 1.
 Lane & Susinetta: En route with Monarch Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Langr, William J.: En route with the Great Mundy Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Leaser, Lee (Dominion): Winnipeg, Can., indef.
 Leigh, Jolly Ben (Empire): Gloucester City, N. J., June 12, indef.
 LeMoind, F.: En route with Lachman-Keetch Exposition Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Lenhardt & Held: En route with Fiesta Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 LePage, The Great (White City Park): Cleveland, O., June 12-July 1.
 Levino, Dolph and Susie (Coliseum): London, Eng., indef.
 Levy, Mrs. Julia & Co. (Star): Seattle, Wash., indef.
 Lingerman's, Prof. Palace of Amusement (Washington Park): Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
 Lombard, Preston (Chestnut Hill Park): Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, indef.
 Louise, Mlle. (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 Lucier, Ben: En route with Campbell Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Lyons, Walter S.: En route with Pilbeam Bros. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 LaGerte (White City Park): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Ledent, The Great (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 18-24; (Harlem Park) Rockford, Ill., 25-27 July 1.
 LaVeu & Cross (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Landstrom & Anderson (Park): Burlington, Ia., 19-24; (Lake Contrary Park) St. Joseph, Mo., 25-27 July 1.
 Lewis & Herr (Grand): Vancouver, B. C., 19-24.
 LaAdelia (Weast's): Peoria, Ill., 19-24; (Burton O. H.): Davenport, Ia., 26-27 July 1.
 Lee, H. V. and Bessie (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 19-24; (Unique) Eau Claire 26-27 July 1.
 Leo & Chapman (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 18-24; (Forest Park) Little Rock, Ark., 26-27 July 1.
 LeMar, Miss Wayne (Lyceum): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24; (Bell) Oakland 26-27 July 1.
 Lockette, Mattie (Rock Springs Park): East Liverpool, O., 26-27 July 1.
 LeClair, John (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 19-24.
 Leafles, The (Shaefer's Garden): Columbus, O., 19-24.
 Lakota, Harry and Carrie (Bijou): Winnipeg, Man., 19-24; (Unique) Minneapolis, Minn., 26-27 July 1.
 Lindsay's Dogs and Monkeys (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 18-24.
 Lively, R. E.: Pittsburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Lyne & Kennedy (Grand): Milwaukee, Wis., 19-24.
 Lucy & Lucier (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 25-27 July 1.
 Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. and Little Madeline (Grand): Tacoma, Wash., 19-24; (Grand) Everett 26-27 July 1.
 Lewis, Al (Bijou): Calumet, Mich., 19-24; (Bijou) Marquette 26-27 July 1.
 Lavine & Leonard (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 18-24.
 Leon, May and Trained Pets (Berkshire Park): Pittsfield, Mass., 19-24; (Bye Beach) Bye Beach, N. Y., 26-27 July 1.
 Lawson, Chinese (Biverside Park): Saginaw, Mich., 18-24; (Wenona Beach Park) Bay City 25-27 July 1.
 Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Neil (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 18-24.
 LaTrel Bros. (Steplechase Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 19-24; (Governor's) Atlantic City 26-27 July 1.
 LeCros, Paul (Aerodrome): Leavenworth, Kan., 18-24; (Family) East St. Louis, Ill., 25-27 July 1.
 LeMaire & LeMaire (Whitney): Detroit, Mich., 18-24.
 Lawrence, Geo. (Iron Pier): Syracuse, N. Y., 19-24.
 Lawson & Curtis (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 18-24.
 LeBar (Star): Tacoma, Wash., 19-24; (Star) Seattle 26-27 July 1.
 LeDrew & LaZone (Metropolitan): Duluth, Minn., 19-24.
 LeClair & West (Spring Lake Park): Trenton, N. J., 19-24; (Tumbling Dam Park) Millville 26-27 July 1.
 Leonard, Grace (Avon Park): Youngstown, O., 18-24; (Casino) Canton 25-27 July 1.
 Leslie, Geo. W. (Phoenix): Tacoma, Wash., 19-24.
 Lukens, Four (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24; (Victoria Roof Garden) New York City, 26-27 July 1.

LaVails, The (Grand): Portland, Ore., 19-24; (Grand) Tacoma, Wash., 26-27 July 1.
 LaVine, Edward and Lillian Waitone (Electric): Kansas City, Mo., 18-24.
 Leighton, Lyllian & Co. (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 19-24; (Bijou) Escanaba, Mich., 26-27 July 1.
 Libby & Trayer (Idora Park): Youngstown, O., 18-24.
 Lambert & Pierce (O. H.): Bye Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
 Lamotte Trio (Glendale Park): Nashville, Tenn., 19-24.
 LaRois, The: Ottawa, Can., 19-24.
 Layton Bros. (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
 Marriott Twins (Lakeside Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 18-24; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, O., 25-27 July 1.
 McNatti, Keegan & Mullaney (Family): Gloversville, N. Y., 19-24; (Dorner Park) Allentown, Pa., 26-27 July 1.
 McSorley & Eleanor (Topic): Billings, Mont., 12-24; (Green Front) Deadwood, S. D., 26-27 July 1.
 Mullen & Corell (Academy of Music): Milwaukee, Wis., 18-24; (Spring Brook Park) South Bend, Ind., 25-27 July 1.
 Marshall, The Mystic (Woodlyn Park): Camden, N. J., 19-24; (Pastor's) New York City, 26-27 July 1.
 Mastiner's, Edw., Pigs and Sheep (Grand): Butte, Mont., 18-24.
 Mills & Morris (Hammerstein's Roof Garden): New York City, 19-24.
 Mitchell & Love (Springbrook Park): South Bend, Ind., 18-24.
 Mack & Elliott (Star): Victoria, B. C., 19-24; (Star) Seattle, Wash., 26-27 July 1.
 Murphy & Andrews (Grand): Spokane, Wash., 19-24; (Grand) Butte, Mont., 26-27 July 1.
 Marco Twins (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 18-24; (Fontaine Ferry Park) Louisville, Ky., 25-27 July 1.
 Merritt, Raymond (Hankon's Point): Toronto, Ont., 19-24; (Kingson Park) Kingston 26-27 July 1.
 McCune & Grant (Lakeside Park): Akron, O., 19-24; (Cedar Point Park) Sandusky 25-27 July 1.
 May & Miles (Orpheum): Riverside, Cal., 19-24; (Broadway) Los Angeles 26-27 July 1.
 Mystic Crucible (Luna Park): Pittsburg, Pa., May 29-June 24.
 McIntyre & Heath (Young's Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 26-27 July 1.
 McNamara, N. (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 19-24; (Unique) Eau Claire 26-27 July 1.
 Mehroy Trio (Fischer's): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24; (Novelty) Oakland 26-27 July 1.
 Magee, Clem O. (Bijou): Marinette, Wis., 19-24; (Bijou) Escanaba, Mich., 26-27 July 1.
 Mathews, Juggling (Ramona Park): Grand Rapids, Mich., 18-24; (Pleasure Beach) Norfolk, O., 25-27 July 1.
 Mortons, Four Juggling (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 18-24; (Bijou) Dubuque 25-27 July 1.
 McKinnon & Reed (Brookside Park): Athol, Mass., 19-24; (Boom's Park) Mayflower 26-27 July 1.
 Millman Trio (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 19-24.
 Martin & Max Millian (Hippodrome): Brighton, Eng., 26-27 July 1; (Empire) Bristol 3-8.
 Macarte Sisters, Three (Hippodrome): London, Eng., 5-7 July 1; (Empire) Sheffield 3-8.
 Meier & Mera (Empire): Newcross, Eng., 26-27 July 1; (Empire) Stratford 3-8.
 Meers, Three (Circus Variete): Stockholm, Swed., 5-30.
 Morria & Parker (Glendale Park): Nashville, Tenn., 5-24.
 Mooney & Holbein (Park): Dayton, O., 18-24.
 Mann, Dauny and Lolo Halbes (Jose): San Jose, Cal., 12-24.
 Maddox, Richard (O. H.): Ottumwa, Iowa, 19-24.
 Mantel's Marionettes (Novelty): Oakland, Cal., 19-24.
 McGee & Poole: Seattle, Wash., 19-24.
 McConnell Sisters (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 12-24.
 Millership Sisters (Casino): Wildwood, N. J., 19-24.
 Millard Bros. (Electric Park): Detroit, Mich., 19-24.
 Milton & DeLong (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24.
 Morton, E. F. (Woodlyn Park): Camden, N. J., 12-24.
 Morton, Temple & Morton (Alvin): Pittsburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Morton, Gertrude: Dayton, O., 19-24.
 Murphy & Palmer (Park): Augusta, Me., 19-24.
 Martine Bros. (Seguin Tour): South America, 15-Oct. 15.
 Mignall Family (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-24.
 Mahr, Agnes (Marigny): Paris, Fr., April 20-Aug. 31.
 Malcolm & Shevete: En route with Ferar Bros. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Mario & Aldo (Orin Bros. Circus): City of Mexico, Mex., March 25-Dec. 1.
 Martyn, Eddie: En route with J. Frank Hatch Shows. See Midway Routes.
 McCauley, Joe (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., April 3, indef.
 McClellan, James (Metropolitan): Duluth, Minn., June 12, indef.
 Melville, Jean (Genesee): Syracuse, N. Y., June 12, indef.
 Meredith Sisters (Stoll Tour): Eng., indef.
 Merriam, Billie: En route with Bancher Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Morris & Morris (Phoenix): Tacoma, Wash., indef.
 Marckley & Cruz (Broadway): Los Angeles, Cal., 19-24; (Grand) San Diego 26-27 July 1.
 Marville & Gleason (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 McDermott, J. W. (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Nixon, Geo. E.: En route with Robinson Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Normans, Five Juggling: En route with Gentry Bros. Dog and Poultry Show No. 1.
 Newell & Niblo (Oak Summit Park): Evansville, Ind., 18-24; (Coliseum) Terre Haute 25-27 July 1.
 Nelson Family: Terre Haute, Ind., 19-24.
 Neola (Illinois): Rock Island, Ill., 18-24; (Burton O. H.) Davenport, Ia., 26-27 July 1.
 Norman, The Frog Man (Coliseum): Terre Haute, Ind., 25-27 July 1.
 Niblo & Riley (Music Hall): Brighton, Mass., N. Y., 19-24; (Keith's) Boston, Mass., 26-27 July 1.
 Nina (G. O. H.): Gladstone, Mich., 19-24.
 Ordler, Mlle. (Concordia Garden): Peru, Ill., 19-24.

Orland, Lee: Mt. Carmel, Ill., 18-24.
 Onri, Adelle Purvis (Oakwood Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Ogden, H. Len (Genett): Richmond, Ind., 19-24.
 O'Brien & Dunlo (Wenona Beach Park): Bay City, Mich., 18-24; (Riverside Park) Saginaw 27 July 1.
 Omar, Great (Lake Park): Kingston, Can., 18-24.
 Original Boothblack Quartet (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
 Ozays, The (Hanlon's Point): Toronto, Can., 19-24.
 O'Dole, Geo. W.: En route with Campbell Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Otto, Nick: En route with Pilbeam Bros. Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
 Parkhurst: En route with Jones-Adams Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Paulinetti (Coliseum): London, Eng., June 19-July 31.
 Poniter, Edw. (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 19-24.
 Parkers, The (Woodside Park): Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24; (Woodlyn Park) Camden, N. J., 26-27 July 1.
 Phillips & Reynolds (Tumbling Dam Park): Pottsville, Pa., 19-24.
 Primrose & Rohoff (Dreamland): Albany, Ind., 19-24; (Riverside) Montreal, Can., 26-27 July 1.
 Phelps, Orren and Millie (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 19-24; (Godfrey's Pavilion) Grand Rapids, Mich., 26-27 July 1.
 Pelot, Fred and Annie (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 18-24; (Farm) Zanesville 25-27 July 1.
 Patrice (O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Powers & Theobald (Unique): Los Angeles, Cal., 19-24; (Recreation Park) Fresno 26-27 July 1.
 Pierce & Roessly (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 18-24; (East End Park) Memphis, Tenn., 25-27 July 1.
 Powers, Mr. and Mrs. John T. (Lyceum): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24; (Unique) San Jose 26-27 July 1.
 Payton & Harris (Bijou): Manitowoc, Wis., 19-24; (Bijou) Oshkosh 26-27 July 1.
 Pinck & Luck (Orpheum): Springfield, O., 19-24.
 Parker, Bert (Combination): Deadwood, S. D., 19-24.
 Platte, 19-24.
 Powers Bros.: Richmond, Va., 19-24.
 Perwit (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 19-24.
 Raimund & Good (Vinehour Park): Topeka, Kan., 18-24; (Lake Contrary Park) St. Joseph, Mo., 25-27 July 1.
 Bamsy Sisters (Wonderland Park): Danville, Ill., 18-24; (Lake View Park) Terre Haute, Ind., 25-27 July 1.
 Renos, The (Bijou): Sheboygan, Wis., 19-24.
 Russell & Buckley (Maydower Grove): South Hanson, Mass., 19-24; (Lion Palace) New York City, 26-27 July 1.
 Rice Family (Celeron): Jamestown, N. Y., 19-24; (Avon Park) Youngstown, O., 25-27 July 1.
 Ryan, Lester & Ryan (Governor's): Atlantic City, N. J., 12-24.
 Hobson, May (Grover's): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
 Rawls & VonKaufman (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Rauf, Claude (Wonderland): Minneapolis, Minn., 18-24; (Metropolitan) Duluth 25-27 July 1.
 Rays, The Three (Electric Park): Kansas City, Mo., 18-24.
 Rewald (West Side): Janesville, Wis., 19-24.
 Russell, Schooley & Russell (Four Mile Creek Park): Erie, Pa., 18-24.
 Ritchard Sisters (Edison): Salem, Ore., 19-24.
 Ritchie, Daro Devil: En route with the Great Alamo Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Roefker, E. O.: En route with the Gaskill Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Rogers & Lavine (Metropolitan): Tampa, Fla., indef.
 Roxy Sisters (Hippodrome): New York City, indef.
 Rossire & Doreto (Lyceum): London, Eng., June 12-July 8.
 Reno & Murray (Olentangy Park): Columbus, O., 19-24.
 Roys & Roberts (Well's Casino): Richmond, Va., 19-24.
 Rose & Ellis (Grand): Milwaukee, Wis., 19-24.
 Rossley & Roselle (Bijou): Escanaba, Mich., 19-24.
 Rooney & Bent (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 19-24; (Proctor's 23rd St.) New York City, 26-27 July 1.
 Redford & Winchester (Park): Ft. Sheridan, Ill., 18-24; (Forest Park Highlands) St. Louis, Mo., 25-27 July 1.
 Randolphs, Grotesque (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 18-24; (Cedar Point) Sandusky 25-27 July 1.
 Radford & Valentine (Lyric): Liverpool, Eng., 26-27 July 1.
 Ross & Lewis (Hippodrome): Ashton, Eng., 26-27 July 1; (Tivoli) Glasgow, Scot., 3-8.
 Rice, John and Sallie Cohen (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 12-24.
 Reed & Shaw: Lynn, Mass., 19-24.
 Reeds, Musical (G. O. H.): Butte, Mont., 25-27 July 1.
 Roth (Bye Beach Park): Bye Beach, N. Y., 12-24.
 Ryan & Douglas (Bergman Park): Logansport, Ind., 12-24.
 Robbins, Clint and Bessie (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 19-24.
 Rosar Trio (Lagoon): Lndlow, Ky., 19-24.
 Recklaw, Dan (Academy of Music): Milwaukee, Wis., 18-24; (Olympic) Chicago, Ill., 26-27 July 1.
 Surazal & Razall (Bijou): Marquette, Mich., 19-24.
 Sparaguillos, The (Berkshire Park): Pittsfield, Mass., 18-24; (Bye Beach) Bye Beach, N. Y., 25-27 July 1.
 Seibin & Grovial (Southern Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Sinclair & Carlisle (Lemp's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 19-24; (Family) East St. Louis, Ill., 26-27 July 1.
 Shelbys, The: East Pittsburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Stapleton & Chaney (Stratford Park): Delaware, O., 18-24; Columbus 26-27 July 1.
 Swickard, Mr. and Mrs. (Lakefront Park): Altoona, Pa., 19-24.
 Stone & Lind (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24; (Keith's) Boston, Mass., 26-27 July 1.
 Samuels, M. (Galety): Springfield, Ill., 19-24.
 Sutton & Sutton (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 18-24; (Mannion's Park) St. Louis, Mo., 25-27 July 1.
 Snyder & Buckley (Forest Park Highlands): St. Louis, Mo., 19-24; (Hopkins' Park) Louisville, Ky., 26-27 July 1.
 Sheck Bros. (C. O. H.): Chicago, Ill., 26-27 July 1.

Summers & Winters (Grand): Fresno, Cal., 19-24; (Union) Bakersfield 26-27 July 1.
 Shields & Paul (Orpheum): Los Angeles, Cal., 18-24.
 Selby, Erne (Wonderland Park): Milwaukee, Wis., 18-24; (Wonderland Park) Minneapolis, Minn., 26-27 July 1.
 Sanoro & Marlow (Moore's Garden): Lima, O., 19-24.
 St. John & LeFevre (Keith's): Philadelphia, Pa., 19-24.
 Stansfield (Star): Portland, Ore., 19-24.
 Smith & Ardo (Casino Park): Kalamazoo, Mich., 18-24; (Godfrey's Pavilion) Grand Rapids 25-27 July 1.
 Schell's, Mme., Lions (Sohmer Park): Montreal, Can., 12-24; (Lexington Park) Lexington, Mass., 26-27 July 1.
 Solis Bros. (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 25-27 July 1.
 Sberman & DeForrest: Hicksville, N. Y., 19-24; Farmingdale 26-27 July 1.
 Stanley & LeRoy (Broadway): Los Angeles, Cal., 19-24; San Diego 26-27 July 1.
 Sims, Reoubie (Amusement Park): Danville, Ill., 18-24.
 Sato, O. K.: Luzerne, Switz., 16-30.
 Stein-Erette Family (Circo Parish): Madrid, Spaul, 1-30.
 Smiri & Kessner (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 19-24.
 Siddon Bros. (Saratoga Park): Pottstown, Pa., 19-24.
 Savoy Quartet (O. H.): Bye Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
 Sawtelle & Scars (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 19-24.
 Shauons, Four: Augusta, Me., 19-24.
 Stutzman, Chas. E. (Hanlon's Point): Toronto, Can., 19-24.
 Sturunt & LaVardo (Vincennes Park): Vincennes, Ind., 19-24.
 Stephens, Paul (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-24.
 Stone, Belle: Greensburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Stryker, Jones & Prigic: Salt Lake City, Utah, 19-24.
 Simpson, Cheridsh (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 19-24.
 Schmitt, Louisa (Coney Island): Cincinnati, O., 19-24.
 Synonds, Lottie West (Lagoon): Ludlow, Ky., 19-24.
 Schreck & Rice (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 19-24.
 Slaely & Birbeck (Fontaine Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 19-24.
 Sabel, Josephine: Paris, Fr., indef.
 Samson, Arthur (Orpheum): Springfield, O., June 5, indef.
 Santell, The Great: En route with J. Frank Hatch Shows. See Midway Routes.
 Savoys, The: En route with Wallace's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Schmidt, Herr: En route with Meyer's Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Seeth, Julius (Luna Park): Coney Island, N. Y., indef.
 Sharrocks, The: En route with Wm. P. Hall's Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Silverlake & Hart: En route with the Continental Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 Smiths, The Aerial: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
 Snyder, Bud (Hammerstein's): New York City, May 29-Aug. 5.
 Stratton, Wm. D. (Palace): Chestnut Hill, Pa., June 12-July 1.
 Sturst (Hammerstein's): New York City, June 5, indef.
 Stih Bros. (Star): Iola, Kan., 18-24; (Forest Park) Little Rock, Ark., 26-27 July 1.
 Sullivan & Farnce (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 19-24.
 Slapofski (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Stewart & Raymond (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
 Troubadour Four (Merrymeeting Park): Brunswick, Me., 19-24.
 Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry (Fairland): Peterson, N. J., 26-27 July 1.
 Taylor, Erma (Capitol): Gleuna Falls, N. Y., indef.
 Teal, Raymond (Casino): Los Angeles, Cal., May 20-July 1.
 Texans Sisters (White City Park): Chicago, Ill., May 27, indef.
 Thardo, Claude (Bijou): Brooklyn, N. Y., indef.
 Thompson Sisters (Belvidere): San Francisco, Cal., May 28-July 22.
 Townsend, C. H. (Linn's Museum): Buffalo, N. Y., May 19, indef.
 Ty-Bell Sisters: En route with the Great Wallace Show. See Tent Show Routes.
 Touler, Edw. (Crystal): Anderson, Ind., 19-24.
 Tuiss (Bijou): LaCrosse, Wis., 19-24; (Unique) Eau Claire 26-27 July 1.
 Tuda (Oakwood Park): Pittsburg, Pa., 19-24.
 Teed & Laxell (Broadway): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24; (Mission) San Francisco 26-27 July 1.
 Travele & Landers (Lake Michigan Park): Muskegon, Mich., 25-27 July 1.
 Traak & Gladden (Manhattan Beach): Denver, Col., 18-24.
 Tarlton & Tarlton (O. H.): Brookings, S. D., 19-24; (O. H.) Aberdeen 26-27 July 1.
 Trueheart, Dillon & Burke (Star): Atlanta, Ga., 12-24.
 Teneau, Felix & Glaxton: Bockaway, L. I., N. Y., 19-24; (Dorner Park) Allentown, Pa., 26-27 July 1.
 Troubadours, Three (Lakeside Park): Akron, O., 18-24.
 Tabott & Rodgers (Spring Grove Park): Springfield, O., 18-24.
 Terry & Lambert (Empire): New Castle, Eng., 26-27 July 1; (Star) London 3-8; (Middlesex & Cambridge) London 10-16.
 Taylors, The (Lion Palace): New York City, 19-24.
 Vance, Christine (Standard): Ft. Worth, Tex., indef.
 Vane, Harry, Magician: En route with the Cosmopolitan Amusement Co. See Midway Routes.
 VonGofre & Cotrelly (Bellevue Park): Toledo, O., 18-24.
 Verneio & Co. (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 19-24; (Bijou) Marinette 26-27 July 1.
 Van, Billy (Proctor's): New York City, 19-24.
 Vardelles, The: Columbus, O., 19-24.
 Verna, Belle (Bijou): Calumet, Mich., 19-24.
 Walbourn & Whitney (Al Fresco Beach): Peoria, Ill., 18-24.
 Wilson, Earl E. (Casino Park): Kalamazoo, Mich., 18-24; (Sheridan Park) Ft. Sheridan, Ill., 25-27 July 1.
 Welch, Ben (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 19-24.
 Washer Bros. (Crystal): Pueblo, Col., 19-24.
 Whitesides, Ethel & Co. (Biver Park): Winnipeg, Man., 19-24.
 Welsh, Chas and Jewell (Midland): Ft. Dodge, Ia., 19-24.

Wahlund & Tekla (Mannion's Park): St. Louis, Mo., 19-24; (Chester Park) Cincinnati, O., 23-27 July 1.
Wiggins Bert (Galety): Springfield, Ill., 19-24.
Wills, Estelle X. (Carsonia Park): Reading, Pa., 26 July 1.
Ward & Coste (Family): East St. Louis, Ill., indef.
Ward, El Tom (Memphl): Memphis, Tenn., April 17, indef.
Watson's, Sam, Farmyard: En route with Barnum & Bailey's Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Wolfing's Stallions and Dogs: En route with Ringling Bros. Circus. See Tent Show Routes.
Wood, J. L.: Gordon, Ga., indef.
Wayne & Doane (Lake Conary Park): St. Joseph, Mo., 18-24.
Wilson Trio (National Hotel): Chicago, Ill., 18-24.
Willard, The Great (Adams): West Seneca, N. Y., 5 July 1.
Wormser Children (Schnetzen Park): Davenport, Ia., 19-24.
White, Irene (Crystal): Marion, Ind., 12-24.
Wilson, Alf and Mabel (Crescent Garden): Boston, Mass., 19-24; (Washington Park) Bayonne, N. J., 26 July 1.
Wilson & DeBonville (Burtis): Davenport, Ia., 19-24; New York City, 25 July 1.
Whelan & Searles (Park): Decatur, Ill., 19-24.
World's Comedy Four (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 12-24.
Wyan & Hart (Auditorium): Charlotte, N. Y., 19-24.
Williams & Melburn (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24; (Palace Roof Garden) New York City, 20-24 July 1.
West & VanSclen (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., 11-24; (Olympic Chicago, Ill., 25 July 1.
Warren & Gardner (Orpheum): San Francisco, Cal., 12-24; (Orpheum) Los Angeles 26 July 8.
Winter, Wiltona: Marsden Rock, Eng., 26 July 1; Sonderland 3-8.
West, Julia (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 18-24.
Walls, The (Base Point): Nahant, Mass., 19-24.
White & Simmons (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
Wills, Susanne (Wenona Beach Park): Bay City, Mich., 19-24.
Williams & Mayer (Empire): Freeport, Ill., 19-24.
Willig & Larkin (Wenona Beach Park): Bay City, Mich., 19-24.
Westcott, Eva (Celeron): Jamestown, N. Y., 19-24.
White & Stuart (Keith's): Boston, Mass., 19-24.
Wolf & Zedella (Lagoon): Ludlow, Ky., 19-24.
Young, Frank and Emily (Westwood): Cincinnati, O., indef.
Yackley & Bunnell (White Oak Park): New Britain, Conn., 19-24; (Hanover Park) Meriden 26 July 1.
Young American Quintet (Fort Sebridan Park): Hightwood, Ill., 19-24.
Young, Ollie and Brother (Ollsenum): London, Eng., May 1-June 30.
Youngs & Brooks (Pleasure Resort): Norwalk, O., 18-24; (Coney Island) Cincinnati 25 July 1.
Young & DeVoe (Olympic): Chicago, Ill., 19-24.
Young, Tot: Marion, Ind., 19-24; Anderson 28 July 1.
Yato Deo (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 19-24.
Zanels, The (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
Zimmerman, The (Campbell Island Casino): Moline, Ill., 19-24.
Zel, Raymond (Unique): Sheboygan, Wis., 19-24.
Zarrow Trio (Electric Park): Baltimore, Md., 12-24.
Zarell, Ben and Ella: En route with the Southern Carnival Co. See Midway Routes.
Zelena, The Mystic: En route with Lemon Bros.' Show. See Tent Show Routes.

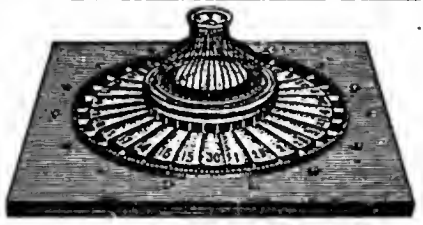
DRAMATIC ROUTES.

Adair, Gregg & Adair, Johnny Adair, mgr.: Grafton, W. Va., June 1, indef.
Albee Stock Co., E. F. Albee, mgr.: Providence, R. I., May 1, indef.
Alessar Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
An Aristocratic Tramp, Kilroy & Britton, mgrs.: Chicago, Ill., June 4, indef.
Arcade Stock Co.: Toledo, O., indef.
A Yankee Circus on Mars and the Balders: New York City, Apr. 13, indef.
Berry Stock Co., Mlea Berry, mgr.: Logansport, Ind., 19-24; South Bend 26, indef.
Baker Theatre Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., May 27, indef.
Belasco & Mayer Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., indef.
Belasco Theatre, Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
Bellows Stock Co.: Denver, Col., May 28, indef.
Benton's Comedians, Pierce B. Benton, mgr.: Muskogee, T., indef.
Bernard, Sam, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: New York City, May 1, indef.
Bljton Theatre: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.
Bishop's Players: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
Blair, Eugene: Toronto, Can., May 29, indef.
Bohman Stock Co.: New Albany, Ind., indef.
Bowdoin Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., indef.
Brandou, Howard, Stock Co., W. S. Schoonover, mgr.: Hayward, Wis., indef.
Broadway Dramatic Co., Frank Relcher, mgr.: Brooklyn, N. Y., May 29, indef.
Broadway Stock Co., Malcolm Williams, mgr.: Worcester, Mass., May 1, indef.
Burbank Stock Co.: Fall River, Mass., indef.
Burbank Stock Co.: Los Angeles, Cal., indef.
Benett-Moulton: Rutland, Vt., 19-24.
Brando, Howard, Theatre Co. (Eastern), Howard Brando, mgr.: New Richmond, Wis., 19-24; River Falls 26 July 1.
Brandon, Howard, Theatre Co. (Western), Howard Brando, mgr.: Frederick, Wis., 19-24; St. Croix 26 July 1.
Booth, Virginia, A. B. Crawford, mgr.: Cambridge Springs, Pa., 19-24.
Bessy, Jack, Stock Co.: Ottumwa, Ia., 19-24.
Clifford, Billy, C. F. Whitaker, mgr.: Birmingham, Ala., 19-24; Atlanta, Ga., 26 July 1.
Caldwell Stock Co.: Omaha, Neb., May 18, indef.
Calumet Stock Co., John T. Connors, mgr.: South Chicago, Ill., indef.
Castle Square Stock Co.: Boston, Mass., indef.
Cazelle's French Dramatic Co.: New Orleans, La., indef.
Central Stock Co., Belasco & Mayer, mgrs.: San Francisco, Cal., indef.
Clarke, Harry Carson: Pueblo, Col., May 30-July 8.
Clayton, Una, Stock Co.: Montreal, Can., indef.
Collier, William, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: London, Eng., May 29, indef.

Colonial Stock Co.: Cleveland, O., indef.
Columbia Stock Co.: Newark, N. J., indef.
Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., indef.
Columbia Theatre Stock Co.: Washington, D. C., indef.
Cook's Opera House Stock Co.: Rochester, N. Y., indef.
Court Square Stock Co., Robt. H. Keller, mgr.: Scranton, Pa., indef.
Courtney Stock Co., Wm. Courtney, mgr.: Albany, N. Y., May 1, indef.
Courtney Stock Co.: Duluth, Minn., indef.
Creighton, Bertha: Portland, Ore., June 5, indef.
Curtis Stock Co.: Denver, Col., indef.
Clark & Sexton's Comedians, Clark & Sexton, mgrs.: Mulberry, Ark., 19-21; Meua 22-24; Sallisaw, I. T., 25-27.
Drew, John, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: Oakland, Cal., 20-21; San Jose 22; Stockton 23; Sacramento 24.
Davis, Harry, Stock Co.: Pittsburg, Pa., indef.
DeVernon, Vail, Stock Co.: San Diego, Cal., indef.
DeVos, Flora (No. 2), J. B. Rotnour, mgr.: Ashland, Wis., May 29-Sept. 2.
Diamond Stock Co.: Holyoke, Mass., June 5, indef.
Diemer Theatre Stock Co.: Springfield, Mo., indef.
Diger-Cornell, W. E. Cornell, mgr.: Sayre, Pa., June 5-July 8.
Douglas, Byron, Stock Co.: Toledo, O., April 23, indef.
Eclipse Stock Co., Lloyd & Genter, mgrs.: Sedan, Kan., 21-22; Cedarvale 23-24.
Eckhart & Hawkins' Ideals: Tacoma, Wash., June 4, indef.
Empire Stock Co., Max Falkenheuer, mgr.: Cleveland, O., Feb. 20, indef.
Empire Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., indef.
Empire Theatre Stock Co.: Portland, Ore., indef.
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Greet, Ben, Players, Ben Greet, mgr.: Indianapolis, Ind., 20-21; Cincinnati, O., 22-24.
Grindell-Davis, D. E. Grindell, mgr.: Merrill, Wis., 19-24.
Hewitt, Morgan: Titusville, Pa., 19-24.
Hall, Don C.: Chicago, Ill., May 25-June 26.
Herald Square Stock Co., Ritter & Fanahawe, mgrs.: Machias, Me., 19-24.
Huot Stock Co., M. A. Huot, mgr.: Boyne City, Mich., 19-24; St. Ignace 26 July 1.
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Huntley Entertainers: Evansville, Wis., 19-21; Brodhead 22-24.
Henderson's, Maud, Attractions, Jos. Parent, mgr.: Argos, Ind., 19-21; Knox 22-24.
Hall, Laura Nelson: Columbus, O., May 29, indef.
Hamilton & Thompson's Stock Co.: Lynn, Mass., May 22, indef.
Hanford, Charles B., F. Lawrence Walker, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 29, indef.
Harper, Georgia & Co., Harper & Detrick, mgrs.: Santa Barbara, Cal., May 18, indef.
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Heath Stock Co., George Heath, mgr.: Rochester, N. Y., May 29, indef.
Heir to The Hoorah: New York City, April 10, indef.
Henderson Stock Co.: Marshalltown, Ia., indef.
His Father's Sin, Jed Carlton, mgr.: Sandwich, Ont., indef.
Holden Stock Co., Holden Bros., mgrs.: Indianapolis, Ind., May 15, indef.
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Hopkins' Stock Co., A. B. Morrison, mgr.: Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 19, indef.
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Howard Stock Co.: Chicago, Ill., April 24, indef.
Hort's Comedy Co., H. G. Allen, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 27-July 17.
Hunter-Bradford Players: Hartford, Conn., June 1, indef.
Huntington-DeDeyn: Lowell, Mass., May 22, indef.
Imperial Stock Co., Geo. H. Hamilton, mgr.: San Antonio, Tex., indef.
Imperial Theatre Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., May 20, indef.
Jeakins, Clara, J. W. Leigh and C. J. Moore, mgrs.: Yukon, Okla., 19-24; Tulsa, I. T., 26 July 1.
Joshua Simpkins: St. John, N. B., 22-24.
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Providence Dramatic Stock Co.: Providence, R. I., Oct. 10, indef.
Purchase Street Theatre Stock Co., Eugene A. Phelps, mgr.: New Bedford, Mass., Aug. 1, indef.
Ryan, Daniel: Albany, N. Y., April 24, indef.
Roberts, Florence, Fred Belasco, mgr.: San Francisco, Cal., May 21-July 8.
Rodney Stock Co.: Michigan City, Ind., June 10, indef.
Rujaro Stock Co.: St. Louis, Mo., indef.
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Spedden & Paige Co.: Topeka, Kan., indef.
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Sothern & Marlowe, Chas. Frohman, mgr.: Grand Rapids, Mich., 21; Dayton, O., 23; Asheville, W. Va., 24.
Robert, Katherine, Stock Co.: Fitchburg, Mass., May 30-June 24.
Sterling Dramatic Co., Seymour, Ind., 18-24.
Sites Stock Co., Sites & Gilbert, mgrs.: Williamsport, Pa., 19-24; Center Square 26 Aug 23.
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Temple Stock Co., Bellows & Coggeshall, mgrs.: Waverly, Ia., 19-24; Oelwein 26 July 1.
The Missouri Girl (Fred Raymond's Eastern), George Peder, mgr.: Oldtown, Me., 22; Brownsville 23; Dover 24; Guilford 26; Danforth 27; Houlton 28; Woodstock, N. B., 29.
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West End Stock Co., J. H. Washburn, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., May 2, indef.
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Wiedmann's Stock Co., Ed. Jacobson, mgr.: Seattle, Wash., indef.
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Yorkville Theatre Stock Co., David Weis, mgr.: New York City, Jan. 30, indef.

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All 'Round Chicago, Wm. A. Brady, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 15, indef.
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Cohan, Geo. M., in Little Johnny Jones, Sam H. Harris, mgr.: Chicago, Ill., May 29, indef.

Counting Thro' The Rye, Geo. W. Lederer, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 22, indef.

Creator's Band, Few & Gerth, mgrs.: Milwaukee, Wis., June 5-July 2.

Daniels, Frank, Chas. B. Dillingham, mgr.: New York City, April 24, indef.

DeGross, Maxm., Opera Co.: Philadelphia, Pa., June 3, indef.

Delamater Musical Comedy Co.: Atlanta, Ga., 18-24; Nashville, Tenn., 26-July 1.

Doss and his Band, Frederic Phinney, mgr.: Louisville, Ky., 10-23; Cincinnati, O., 24-July 15.

Elery Band, The: Cincinnati, O., May 27-June 23; Kansas City, Mo., 26-July 15.

Empire Musical Comedy Co.: Columbus, O., indef.

Fantana, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: New York City, Jan. 14, indef.

Florodora, Elber & Ryley, mgrs.: Boston, Mass., April 24, indef.

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Mayer's Adolph, Comic Opera Co.: Boston, Mass., June 5, indef.

Naval Reserve Band, V. Rosati, bandmaster: Jamestown, N. Y., June 12, indef.

Olympic Opera Co.: Mobile, Ala., June 12, indef.

Pryor and his Band: Astory Park, N. J., April 23, indef.

Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co., Joseph Muller, mgr.: Lincoln, Neb., 21-24; Duluth, Minn., 25-July 1.

Riverside Park Opera Co.: Boise, Ida., indef.

Roclan's Opera Co.: Winnipeg, Can., May 24, indef.

Royal Artillery Band of Italy, Joseph DeVito, mgr.: Baltimore, Md., May 18-Sept. 18.

Simple Simon, Single, Nixon & Zimmerman, mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, indef.

Slafer and his Band, Wm. Slafer, mgr.: Brighton Beach, N. Y., June 9, indef.

The Earl and The Girl, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Boston, Mass., May 15, indef.

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The Royal Chef, Shubert Bros., mgrs.: Philadelphia, Pa., April 17, indef.

Tivoli: San Francisco, Cal., indef.

The Mayor of Tokio, with Richard Carle: Chicago, Ill., June 5, indef.

Victor's Band, Col. John F. Bragg, mgr.: Cleveland, O., May 22, indef.

Wills Musical Comedy Co., John B. Wills, mgr.: St. Louis, Mo., May 23-June 26.

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Donnelly's, Tommy: Jack W. Stokes, mgr.: Mt. Vernon, N. Y., 19-23.

Chapman's Twentieth Century: Beaver Falls, Pa., 19-24.

Dumont's: Philadelphia, Pa., indef.

Kersand's, Billy, O. Jay Smith, mgr.: Louisville, Ky., 18-24.

Richards & Pringle's, Eusco & Holland, mgrs.: Grand Falls, N. B., 21; Fort Fairfield, Me., 22; Houlton 23; Presque Isle 24; Caribou 26; Woodstock, N. B., 27; Frederickton 28; Chatham 29; Millerton 30; New Castle July 1.

TENT SHOW ROUTES.

Barum & Bailey's: Flint, Mich., 21; Saginaw 22; Lansing 23; Ionia 24; Grand Rapids 25; Jackson 27; Battle Creek 28; Kalamazoo 29; South Bend, Ind., 30; LaPorte July 1.

Boerck's Trained Animal Show: Casey Island, N. Y., indef.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West, Fred B. Hutchinson, mgr.: Paris, Fr., April 2, indef.

Bayrooty Bros.: Flint, Mich., 21; Saginaw 22; Lansing 23; Ionia 24; Grand Rapids 25; Jackson 27; Battle Creek 28; Kalamazoo 29; South Bend, Ind., 30; LaPorte July 1.

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Campbell Bros., R. R.: Red Wing, Minn., 21; Austin 22; Mason City, Ia., 23; Ft. Dodge 24; Waverly 25.

Colorado Grant's Wild West: Pulaski, Ill., 21; Wetaug 23; Durand 24.

Floto's, Frank Tannean, gen. mgr.: Loveland, Col., 21; Longmont 22; Boulder 23; Colorado Springs 24; Cripple Creek 26; Buena Vista 27; Leadville 28; Salida 29; Florence 30; Pueblo July 1.

Fitzgerald's: Gloversville, N. Y., 19-24.

Hall's, F. W. Hall, mgr.: Nelson, Neb., 21; Guide Rock 22; Red Cloud 23; Riverton 24.

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Russell's, J. Hugerforth, mgr.: Philadelphia, Pa., June 5, indef.

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American Burlesques, E. D. Miner, mgr.: Washington, D. C., 19-24.

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Street Fairs Fairs Expositions

The testimony and the policy of the most successful fair associations tends to prove that the amusement attractions not only supplement the interest aroused by the exhibits, but are superior in effect.

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Give the people races and all the other attractions possible; they will imbibe the lesson of the exhibits unconsciously. The attraction is the relish, the influence of the exhibits solid food.

NO SECOND HAND SHOW AT SAN FRANCISCO

A report that the Lewis and Clark Exposition exhibits are to be moved to San Francisco and exhibited there after the close of the Western World's Fair, on October 15, next, is denied emphatically by the officials of the exposition, who say that such a thing is absurd. There is no building in San Francisco capable of holding one-tenth of the displays on exhibition in the seven big exhibit palaces and the many state buildings at Portland; while the government exhibit alone could not be contained in any building available for the purpose, even if Uncle Sam should decide to move the display, which, with the buildings in which it is housed, represents an expenditure of \$800,000.

The report appears to have originated in a rumor that California's exhibit, which is one of the finest at the fair, may be moved to the southern city, so that California people, who are unable to visit the coast may see what their state did to enhance its reputation.

California is well represented at the exposition, perhaps better than any other single state. The exhibition is in a building in the shape of a Greek cross, with each wing a replica of an old Spanish mission, is tastefully arranged. The city of San Francisco also has a display in the agricultural building. Californians visiting the Fair—and there are many of them—wear a yellow badge which distinguishes them and keeps the Golden State constantly in evidence. Judging from the early attendance from California, a majority of the people of that state intend visiting Portland's Fair.

FAIR SECRETARIES MEET

The secretaries of the associations belonging to the Kansas and Oklahoma Fair Circuit held a meeting at the Hotel Baldwin, Hutchinson, Kan., Friday, June 9, at which time matters pertaining to the circuit were discussed. A number of addresses were given, and it was the universal opinion that the prospects were much brighter for this season than ever before. The subject of railroad rates was referred to the secretary, and an appropriation for advertising was voted. On the subject of advertising the members were unanimous in their opinion that the best method of getting attractions was by advertising in The Billboard. After the details were all disposed of the meeting was adjourned to meet the second week in January, 1906.

The following secretaries were present: W. W. Bird, Anthony, Kan.; J. D. Humphreys, Kingman, Kan.; Geo. E. Moore, St. John, Kan.; W. P. Feder, Great Bend, Kan.; E. E. Potter, Sterling, Kan.; H. A. Rowland, McPherson, Kan.; J. T. Axtell, Newton, Kan.; A. L. Sponsler, Hutchinson, Kan.; H. M. Balch, Eldorado, Kan.; J. G. Kille, Harper, Kan.; Harry A. Thompson, Newkirk, Okla., and E. P. Blake, Blackwell, Okla. Mr. J. T. Axtell is presi-

dent of the circuit, and A. L. Sponsler, vice president, and Ed. M. Moore, Hutchinson, secretary and treasurer.

FAIR NOTES

Prof. Carl Myers, who was connected with the aerial exhibit at the St. Louis World's Fair, has been engaged to give exhibitions at the Fulton County (N. Y.) Fair to be held in Johnstown early in September.

The management of the Portland Exposition have arranged with several trans-Pacific steamship companies whereby visitors to the fair may visit Honolulu from Portland at excursion rates. Visitors will be allowed to will give them opportunity to visit all the main points of interest. The trip including hotel expenses upon the island, as well as upon the steamers, will not cost over \$180.

Mr. John M. Danforth, secretary of the Essex Agricultural Society, with headquarters at Peabody, Mass., writes as follows: The fair will be held Sept. 19-21. This is one of the oldest societies in the state, having been organized in 1818. The grounds are at Peabody, a town of 12,000 people, with the cities of Lynn and Salem adjoining, which brings 175,000 people within one carfare. We endeavor to run the fair upon a more agricultural basis than most fairs, while at the same time we have attractions and entertainment for all. Our object is to give a clean fair with no objectionable features and plenty of attractions.

STREET FAIRS CARNIVALS

WEAVER SELLS INTEREST

Mr. E. W. Weaver, general manager of the St. Louis Syndicated Amusement Co., has sold his half interest in that company to Mr. Richard Peeler, who in the future will be equal owner

and manager with Mr. Lew Nichols. The name of the company has been changed to the Chicago Amusement Enterprise. The company is playing Harrisburg, Ill., this week.

Mr. Weaver has announced his intention to embark in another line of business.

AERONAUT HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Albert Palnaude, the well-known aeronaut, and one of the brothers who was successful in the balloon races at the St. Louis World's Fair, came near losing his life by drowning at Mount City, Ill. The ascension was a success and was witnessed by a large crowd. However, the parachute dropped into the Ohio river and came near enveloping the aeronaut in its folds. A fisherman near the spot rescued the drowning man.

EXCEPTION TAKEN

Baltimore, Md., June 17, 1905.

Editor The Billboard,
Dear Sir—In reply to the notice of E. Brown in The Billboard of June 8, in which he claims to be in sole charge of the concessions and publicity, we desire to state that his connection with the Greater Baltimore Exposition and Carnival was simply as a solicitor of exhibitors and nothing more, and that his statement in your paper to the contrary was false and unwarranted. B. R. Johnson is sole general manager and amusement director of the project. W. S. Layton has entire charge of the concessions and privileges and James E. Hare has charge of the advertising and publicity. Furthermore, E. Brown is not now in any way connected with the exposition and carnival, and this notice is to counteract any false impression he may have created.

(Signed) B. R. JOHNSON,
W. S. LAYTON.

STREET FAIR NOTES.

Mr. Claude P. House, advance agent, writes that business is good with the K. G. Barkout Carnival Co.

Brown Brothers & Northcut have signed their merry-go-round with the Chicago Amusement Enterprise.

Mr. Harry B. Danville is general agent for the Chicago Amusement Enterprise, and P. W. Demilly is secretary and treasurer.

DeVeide and Zeld, artistic equilibrists, are in their twelfth weeks as a feature of the stadium with the Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co.

Dowagiac, Mich., would like to have a big carnival company for a week in August

or September. L. E. Larkins is secretary of the committee on arrangements.

The merchants of Petersburg, Ill., held a successful street fair week of June 4. The U. S. Carnival Co. put on the attractions, every one of which took good money.

Happy Hi Hubbard is doing special advertising ahead of the American Carnival Co. and is making good. C. B. Turner, general agent, reports that his company has not had a bloomer so far this season.

Nichols & Peeler report that business with the Chicago Amusement Enterprise was big at Harrisburg, Ill. They play upon the main streets of Flora, Ill., week of July 8, under the auspices of the Red Men.

The Ping Pong Girls with the Great Gaskill Carnival Co., have been taking top money, according to the announcement which Manager L. M. Gorman makes to The Billboard. Mr. E. O. Boelker is music and stage manager.

How is this for a good one? The management of the Duluth (la.) Fall Festival and Carnival Co. writes that it received responses from nearly every show on the road as a result of their recent ad. in this paper. They are delighted with the results received from their small ad.

Mr. A. F. Gorman, agent of the Hoss & Naumann Carnival Co., writes as follows: We have been doing some very nice business lately. At Mansfield this week we are meeting with good business. We have ten shows and a Ferris wheel, besides our free acts. We are booked up solid for twenty weeks in Ohio, Michigan and New York, and then go South.

The committee at work on the Fourth of July celebration at Tipton, Indiana, seems to know how to get up an event of this kind. There is naught that is niggardly in their preparations. They have booked a fine line of free attractions and contemplate spending about \$1,200 on this feature alone. They go on the principle—big investment, big success.

Citizens of Stearns, Ky., are preparing for a big time July 4. They want a number of attractions in the street fair line and would be glad to correspond with people with a view of contracting for that day. Last year the event on July 4 was a notable one, and a big time was had. Reduced rates on the railroad bring an immense crowd to Stearns on that day. People having that date open might do well by corresponding with Edward G. Gatties.

The Iowa State Firemen's Tournament, at Council Bluffs, Ia., June 6-9, was the largest in the way of attendance and attractions ever held in the state. Special trains brought thousands of people into the city from all over the state, and it was estimated that fifty thousands people visited the city during the event. The Bogan Shows had the street concessions, and did excellent business. The program consisted of display drills of firemen, running contests and other features of firemen's tournaments. Barney Oldfield was the big attraction and endeavored to break the world's five mile record. Mr. F. Montgomery promoted the enterprise.

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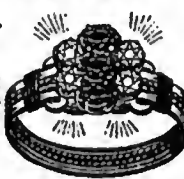
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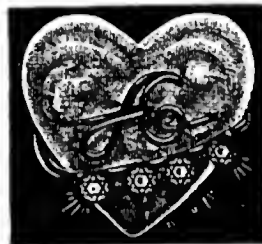
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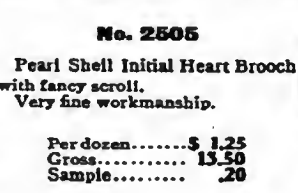


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Thomas, D. E.
Thompson, Thos.
Thompson, Walter L.
'Thornton, Fred.
Thornton, C. M.
Three Cousins' Big City Show, Mgr.
Todd, Wm.
Trick Cyclist
Tolley, Geo.
Tospeo, Vasile
'Tracey, Harry C.
Trip to the Orient, Mgr.
Trip to Chinatown Co.
'Troutman, Paul
Tryon, Dr. Fred F.
Tryon, Arthur
Nagel, Henry
Nello, Mr. and Mrs.
Nester, H. L.
Newman, W. P.
New Century Entertainers, Mgr.
Nicholls, Chas.
Nickler, Mr.
Nibley, Sol
Nix Family Jolliers, Mgr.
Nix, Frank
Nixon, Harry
Nixon, Geo. E.
Nixon, B. E.
Noel, O. P.
Nohee, John
'Noie, Al. E.
'Norman, Howard
Norva, Dr. R.
Noyes, Harry S.
Nugent, James
Odum, C. D.
Ogden's U. T. C. Co.
Omerod, E.
Ongre, Fred H. (Comedy Cyclist)
Orr, Charlie
Osborne, Doc H.
Osborn Dramatic Co.
Otte Tr. Animal Co., Big
Overton, Harry
Owens, Wm.
Owens, John T.
P. B. A.
Palmquist, G. L.
Parlman, Prof. Ernest
Parlmen, Red
Parsons, Lewis (Adv. Agt.)
Pascoe, S. W., Mgr.
Patton, W. E.
'Peck, Geo.
Perry, Thos. R.
Peters, Frank
Phillips, Clyde
Phillips, E. S.
Phillips, Frank D.
'Phillipi, H. L.
Phihams, The
Pitca, C. F.
Pickett, David
Poindexter W. K.
'Ponty, H.
'Pontis, Albert
Poole, Boy S.
'Porter, Wm. Jr.
'Porter, Herbert
'Porter, J. H.
Potts & Potts
Preston, Jno. A.
Proto, Arthur
Pujo, F. P.
Quinlan, The
Quinn Trio, The
Railroad Jack's Shows, Mgr.
Rainboldt, V. H.
Rattessel, J. N.
Raver, Chas.
Raymond, Chas. J.
Raymond & Tricey
Raymond, Chas.
Record Stock Co., Mgr.
Reid, Tom O.
Reed's European Show
Reed & Wright
'Reed, Chas. A., Mgr.
Wallace Stock Co.
Reeder, Frank L.
Rehm, Geo.
Reid, Harold
'Reiss, Nat.
'Reiss, C. W.
Reynolds, The
Rhine, E. M.
Rial, Jay
Riddell, M. W.
Right, Harley
Rinaldo, G. R.
Ring & Williams
Ritzert, John H.
Roberts, C. Blake
Roberts, Luther M.
Roberts, Norman
Rodgers, Ed.
Rodney & Kellogg
Rodney Stock Co.
Rogers, Jack (Whitney)
Rogers, Wilson
'Rogers, Geo. J.
Rondeau, H. H.
Rosa, Emil
Rose & Ellis (Barrel Jumpers)
Rose, Col. C. H.
Rose, Jimmie
Rosenthal, D. H.
Ross, John
Ross, Walter (Everett & Ross Med. Co.)
Rossi, Three Bros.
Roosmy, Holly
'Royal Reception Co., Mgr.
Ruckers, Wm. Maurice
'Russell, T. J.
Bath, Scott, Al.
St. Claire, Chas.
St. Ange, Fred.
Saffer, Geo.
Sander, Sam
'Sanford, Walter
Sangford, Kid
Sapp, Joe (Musician)
Saragen, Edmund
Satterlee, Gale
Sawcrants & Bartlett's Show
Schaeffer, The Talker
Schmelz, F. C.
Schultz, Ed.
'Scodlie, Nasbit
Scott, W. W.
Scott, W. M.
Scott's City Shows, G. W., Mgr.
Scottie, Mr. (Canvas Bose)
Seaggs, Edgar A.
Seeman, N. H. "Pop"
Seers, A. S.
Seety
Seward, Fred
Seywell, Thos. H.
Seymour, Edgar
Shackelport, Sterling
Shah, Manek
Shannon, Walter

- Turner, Frank
Tuttle, J. C.
Tuxedo Band, Mgr.
Tyler, Fred
Unita & Paul
VanAllen, E. W.
Vanduyck, Max
Vandergrift, Mr.
Vandervort, E. B. (Loop Rider)
Van, L. H.
Vaughan, T. W.
Velare, Jack
Velare Mr. and Mrs.
Curtis
Vest, Deal (Black Face Comedian)
Veymonr, C. G.
Vogel, Christopher
Voris, Geo. M.
Vorner, A. S.
Wade, L. (Photographer)
Wagner, Al.
Walker, Fred B.
Walker, M.
Wallace, Bert W.
Wallace, W. F. (Glass Show)
'Wallas, Billie
Walters, Al.
Warren, W. Y.
'Washburn, Leon
Washburn & DeAlma
Waters, Charlie
Waters, Harry (Rastus)
Weaver, J. Paul
Webber, Geo. H.
Webster, Fred.
Weite, John M.
Welton, Wm.
Wentworth, Chas.
Westman, John
West, Robt.
Weston Air Brake Co.
'Wewhoff, Orving
Weyman, F. W.
Whalen, John
Wheeler, H. B. (French)
White, Charlie
White, Mr. (White's Colored Minstrels)
White, Eddie W.
White Slave Co., Mgr.
Whitney, A. P.
Whitney, John (Musician)
Whittier, H. H.
Whitman, Henry
Whitman Comedy Co., mgr.
Wight, Jack
Wikenight, Joe
Willard, Frank A.
Willard, Geo. M. L.
Williams, Vand. Circus
Williams, W. C.
Williams Show, Wal-lace, Mgr.
'Wise, Charley
Wilson, Geo. B.
Wilson, Sam
Wimmer Pub. Co.
Winnemore, A. L.
Winnert Concert and Am. Co., Don M.
Winstock, Melvin G.
Wiseman, Clint J.
Wolf, Maurice
Wolfe, Harrison J.
Woo-ya Show, Wm., Mgr.
Woodruff, Vernon
Woolley, Concert Co., Mgr.
Workman, F. C.
Wright, Edna E., Mgr.
Wulizer, Tarry
'Yas Aubrey Vard-ster)
Young, Norman H. (Specks)
'Young, Ed. O. 2c
Yunter, Frank
Zantour, Salale
Zarlington, Frank
Zerro (Illud-triast)

President Loubet's mother wanted to give him a musical rather than a classical education. He showed, when a very small boy, musical capacity, and at the age of eleven composed a march and some hymn accompaniments and melodies.

An exhibition of cinematograph pictures representing life in the infernal regions has been stopped by the Munich police at the instance of the bishop, who protested against the "profanation of hell."

Punch Wheeler relates an amusing story about a magician's manager, who wrote the professor for funds. The man of magic replied as follows: "I send you the expose of the trick, 'How to get money out of the air into a silk hat.' I ruined my plug hat last night trying to bake a welsner schuitzel in it, so take your own hat and get what money you require, and while you are about it please get \$18 for me to pay a hotel bill here."

"Beg pardon, madame," said the clerk, "but what did you say your name was?" "I did not say," snapped the actress, who had just completed her seventh matrimonial venture, "all you need to know is what my name is."

"He had a play produced by an amateur company the other night, I believe. Who was the hero of it, do you know?" "I was, I sat through it."

Surazel and Razall closed their engagement over the Bijou Circuit June 19, at Marquette, Mich. Their act, entitled "A Klondyke Trip, is a big hit, so they inform us, and they are booked solid until January.

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O, SO TIRED!

No use trying to conceal the fact—we have had an awful bump! The consolidation of the two billposting plants in New York City has been effected, and the logical head of the new corporation, Mr. Sam Pratt, was dumped. Read the news in another column.

We are unable to say why Mr. Van Beuren threw his old partner. Pratt was the guiding spirit of the Van Beuren Company for years, and his management brought it up to its present state of efficiency and earning capacity. All that we have said in the past about the merits of the Van Beuren business is fully borne out by the result of the auditor's examination, which awarded to it 66 per cent. of the stock of the new company. During the last ten years Mr. Van Beuren has given very little attention to the business; therefore, it must have been Pratt who did the work. He was entitled to better treatment from his controlling partner from a purely business standpoint; but there may be personal reasons, of which nothing is known, that actuated the deed.

It was a great victory for Barney, O'Mealia and Gude. They have at last thrown Pratt, and are now in the big town right. It was better for them to have accomplished their ends as they have than to have attempted the "secondary franchise" game.

In the event that the fight against Pratt is to be continued, then we may look for some high old times in New York. With the present plants owned by one company the town is wide open for a new billposting plant. This is possible in New York as in no other city in the country. There is lots of good space and plenty of business for an opposition, as is shown by past experience. Harry Munson was squeezed out of the Van Beuren Co. some years ago, and within five years owned a plant that was as good as any of them. It now forms the greater part of the New York Billposting Co.'s plant. Pratt may not go to this length, but there's the opening and he has other interests to protect.

Probably the most satisfied man of the lot is O. J. Gude. He will now be able to appear on the floor of the billposters' conventions with clear credentials. Heretofore he has had to represent a small town in Jersey and one that was not clearly entitled to its franchise. Now he will represent New York City, stepping into Pratt's shoes. The novelty of the situation will just tickle him right down to the ground.

Pratt will still be there—he owns Newark and a score of towns in Jersey, and will not greatly miss his one vote for New York City. Now that he has become practically a "small town billposter," he would be the logical leader of a movement on the part of the "small towns" to reorganize the Associated Billposters, so that it will serve the general interests of its members rather than of the big cities. The "small town guys" need someone to show them how it is done, and no one knows the curves better than Pratt.

Who shall say now that Peter Mylius was not wise. Peter got out in May because he felt trouble coming. He knew that the Gude-O'Mealia-Link combination had no love for him and would reach for his scalp first thing, so Peter side-stepped.

The new deal means that Gude will dominate the commercial billposting business of the country—unless something unforeseen should again happen. After this one may look for almost anything to occur. We do not know that the hatchet has been buried all 'round, and that Mr. Pratt will be content to be

"second vice-president." But what's the use of "guessing;" let's wait, like Mr. Maccauber, for something else to turn up. The New York situation has passed into history.

A billposter from Missouri calls our attention to the fact that the resolutions jumping on The Billboard, which were adopted by the Tri-State Association, did not appear in the official organ as promised in the official minutes sent out by the secretary of that association. He says that he does not place any stress upon the McAlinney resolution, as the convention would have passed anything unless some one had been there to make a fight against it. He also calls attention to the Indiana resolutions, and remarks that the Indiana members must be tired of "Pullman cars, big cigars and high balls."

Ohio has held its State Convention, and, so far as we are informed, did not adopt a boycott resolution. How is this; we thought we had some friends in Ohio. Probably it was because the press representative was not there—he sent his regrets.

Two weeks from now will find the billposters on their way to Montreal, and the annual convention of the Associated Billposters. It will be a great event for the Canadian billposters. It will be the first big convention of billposters held on Canadian soil, and the Canadians will turn out in full force. The moral effect will be of great assistance to the Canadian Association, as it will give it a forward impulse that will be equal to five years of ordinary growth. Unfortunately the customs barrier prevents the fullest exchange of business between Canada and this country, or there would be large quantities of paying business for the billposter cross the line both ways. The convention will help some.

BUTTINSKI

OHIO BILLPOSTERS

The annual meeting of the Ohio Billposters' Association was held at Findlay, Ohio, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 13 and 14, in the assembly room of the court house. An address of welcome was delivered by Mayor Metcalf. President Bryan presided. Secretary Rugg reported 151 members in good standing, and Secretary Riblet said there was \$331 in the treasurer's custody. Ten new members were elected, and one member was expelled for bad work.

At the election of officers everyone was so well pleased with the old officers that all were re-elected without opposition. George Chennell and W. W. Rugg were elected delegates to the Montreal Convention, with Major H. H. Tyner and Charles O. Miller as alternates. Charles F. B. Bryan, W. W. Rugg, F. B. Oliver, H. H. Tyner and George Chennell were elected members of the board of directors for the year.

P. B. Oliver, Findlay's billposter, prepared a splendid reception for the members including a social session at Elk's Hall.

DAUBS

The Wellston Distributing Co. is a new firm of distributors at Wellston, Ohio.

W. E. Burkhart of Local No. 26, Sioux City, Ia., would like to have all brothers write to him at, care of the Grand Opera Buffet, Sioux City.

L. H. Ramsey has sold his interest in the plant at Ironton, Ohio, to G. C. Kelcey, the opera house manager and a son-in-law of Joe, England, of Zanesville.

The Exclusive Distributors held their convention at the Grand Hotel, Indianapolis, Ind., on June 21 and 22. This association is even stronger than the old I. A. of D., which was captured and disbanded by the Associated Billposters years ago.

Here's a new one: "Billboard rally at Philadelphia, N. Y., Tuesday, June 13, 1905, a 1 o'clock p. m. Music, speeches and erection of board the principal features. State Chairman J. H. Durkee, of Rochester, will make an address. Men, women and children invited." Who is starting a plant in Philadelphia, N. Y.?

The annual meeting of the British Billposters Association will be held at Chester, beginning Monday, August 14. Chester is a famous old town in the west of England, and in the midst of some of the finest natural scenery of which England can boast. An elaborate programme has been arranged for sightseeing, including a visit to the factory of Lever Bros., at Port Sunlight.

H. B. Elmore, of Sheffield, Ala., finds local billposting growing rapidly. One local

firm has placed thirty-one eight sheets in Sheffield and Florence for a six months' showing. He considers this good in a town where billposting was languid at three years ago. The boards at Sheffield are carrying Dr. Pepper, Meunier's Powder, Memphis races, Gold Dust, 20-Mule Team Borax and other good national business. Elmore has also placed distributing for a long list of advertisers. Looks rather busy in the South.

PRATT DUMPED

Billposting Plants in New York City Are Now Combined.

VanBeuren Sells the Controlling Interest in the New Corporation to Link, Fay and Others, Leaving Pratt in the Minority—Officers Elected—Plants To Be Operated Separately for a Time.

(Special to The Billboard)

New York, June 15.—The unexpected has happened in connection with the much-talked-of combination of the plants of A. Van Beuren & Co. and the New York Billposting Co. of this city. The auditors recently completed their work and announced that the firm of A. Van Beuren & Co. was entitled to 66 per cent. of the stock of the proposed new company and the New York Billposting Co. 34 per cent. This would have given Mr. Van Beuren and his partner, Samuel Pratt, a clear controlling interest in the consolidated company, as was generally expected.

The unexpected happened when it came to the organization of the company. Without the knowledge of Mr. Pratt, Mr. Van Beuren sold his common stock, sufficient to carry with it the control of the company, to Barney Link and W. P. Fay, representing the New York Billposting Co., which action turned the control over to those interests. This left Mr. Pratt, who held but \$92,000 worth of the stock, in the hopeless minority.

Upon the election of officers being held Alex Clark was elected president; Pratt, second vice-president; O. J. Gude, treasurer; J. F. O'Mealia, secretary; and Barney Link, general manager.

The new company's name is the Van Beuren & New York Billposting Co. For a time the plants will be operated separately, being designated as the "Van Beuren & Co. Branch," and the "New York Billposting Co. Branch." The company is incorporated for \$494,200 with the following directors: Robert C. Campbell; J. F. O'Mealia, A. R. Kennedy, Raymond Ballantine, Abraham Brown, John J. Welner and Barney Link.

Mr. Van Beuren's share of the stock as originally allotted was \$232,000. He retained his preferred stock, but received \$116,000 for his common or voting shares.

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- GEO.—Atlanta—M. P. Roughton, box 554.
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- Palmyra—A. C. Farmer.
- IND.—Huntington—Benjamin Miles, 2 Everett st.
- Indianapolis—Indianapolis Adv. Co., 915 Stevenson Bldg.
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- Muncie—Muncie Adv. Co.
- Terre Haute—O. M. Barlett.
- Winamac—E. O. Burroughs.
- IOWA.—Des Moines—W. W. Moore, Licensed Doods—Union B. P. and Adv. Co. Mason City—Henry Wehl.
- IDA.—Boise—R. G. Spaulding.
- KAN.—Atchison—City Billposting Co. Osawatimie—E. F. Fisher.
- LA.—Lafayette—E. E. Girard & Co.
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- MICH.—Ann Arbor—Andrew J. Bloomfield. Jackson—W. B. Solomon.
- MINN.—Morris—George B. Lawrence, B. P. and Dist.
- MO.—St. Louis—S. A. Hyde, 2136 Eugenia st.
- NEB.—Fairbury—Robert J. Christian. Schuyler—Rus & Rolman.
- N. YORK.—Ogdensburg—E. H. Bracy. Fort Jarvis—A. C. M. Mealer. Pousdam—Edson Taylor, 20 Waverly st. Schenectady—Chas. H. Benedict, 121 Jay st.
- Syracuse—James Mulongher, Currier Bldg.
- N. CAR.—Statesville—Rowland Adv. Co.
- OHIO.—Cincinnati—J. J. Murphy & Co. Columbus—S. A. Hyde. Fostoria—W. O. Terr- & Co., 116 W. Tiffin st. Martin's Ferry—J. F. Blumenburg. Youngstown—M. Gieger.
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- S. CAR.—Columbus—J. O. Ringley (at Charleston). Phoenixville—C. U. Tibble.
- TENN.—Cordale—P. D. Bancroft, Opera House Bldg. Harriman—Harriman B. P. and Adv. Service.
- TEX.—Amarillo—J. L. Summers. Hillsboro—H. F. Jones. Sherman—W. J. Harvey, box 169.
- UTAH.—Salt Lake City—John M. Walden.
- WIS.—West Superior—C. A. Marshall, West Superior Hotel.
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The most practical brush made. Copper wired and protected corners.

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Quaker City, 9-inch, \$2.50 doz., \$2.75 each. Excelsior, 9-inch, \$3.50 doz., \$3.25 each. Black, Extra, 9-inch, \$4.00 doz., \$3.75 each.

BLACK CHINESE BRISTLES. No. 1, Royal, 9-inch, \$2.50 doz., \$2.60 each. No. 2, Royal, 9-inch, \$2.50 doz., \$3.00 each. No. 3, Royal, 9-inch, \$3.50 doz., \$3.50 each. 8-foot Curved Handles, 50 cents each.

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Tent Shows

Circus
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Menagerie
Wild West

Rain, rain, rain! Reports from all parts of the country bring complaints against the elements. The plethora of rainfall is unusual. Floods, washouts, and inundations have resulted everywhere. A few of the big shows have been doing fairly good business, but the smaller ones have suffered losses that are proportionately great.

SELLS STRIKES IT RICH

Humble, Texas, June 17, 1905.

Editor The Billboard,

Dear Sir: Humble, Tex., is the greatest oil field in the world. The camp is only six months old, and there is over eight thousand people here now. I have some fine property here, and will send you a picture of my first oil well. I have made more money since I have been in this field, the last three months, than I have in all my life before in the circus business. The picture I am mailing you of my well is one of a well that is producing sixteen thousand barrels of oil per day.

Now, then, if you will write a simple little notice, about the enclosed matter, and insert the picture of the oil well at the same time you can mail me your bill and I will remit the money for same.

Yours in haste,
WILLIAM SELLS.

HEADS OR TAIL?

With his characteristic humor Ople Read thus describes an amusing incident he once witnessed at a circus:

"A countryman came in under the influence of strong drink. He was a great, big, strapping young fellow, with his jeans stuffed into the tops of his boots. He was much of a man physically, and had just enough of the mountain dew in him to banish all such thing as fear. He ran spang against the big pachyderm and fell sprawling. When he got up about twenty feet away and staggered to his feet he saw the elephant. He knew it had something to do with the fall and resented it. The fact is, the report quickly got circulated that it had knocked him down with its trunk. Anyhow, he looked at the elephant for a moment in disgust, and then, shaking his clenched fist at it, he said: 'Look here, you two-tailed scoundrel, if I jist knowed which end your head wuz on I'd knock your derved brains out'n it.'"

FLOTO SHOWS UNDER NEW TOP

When the Floto Shows opened in Denver June 19 for a two days' engagement in the home town, it was under a brand new top and behind the first and only illuminated Marquee front that ever went out of the shops of Thomson & Vandiveer. The city took cognizance of the return of the Floto Shows, and welcome home streamers were seen in all parts of the city. The Cook Drum Corps of seventy buglers and drummers headed the opening parade.

A PERILOUS FEAT

The perils of looping the loop in an automobile, such an act as is featured with the Barnum & Bailey Show this season, are illustrated in the death of Mlle. Randel, who performed the feat at the Casino de Mars, in Paris.

Before her last attempt to loop the loop in a motor car was made, experiments were tried with dummy figures in the car. They were decapitated in nearly every case. Then a pig was placed in the car and sent round the circle. The animal was so severely injured that it had to be slaughtered.

The first time Mlle. Randel looped the loop she fainted. She pluckily attempted it again, and again she fainted. A doctor told her that she was undertaking a highly dangerous performance, which would eventually kill her by causing a tremendous rush of blood to the head, and he predicted that she would not survive ten performances.

Mlle. Randel kept up her performances for some time, in spite of the terrible strain on her nerves. But she died after the twenty-ninth.

The management of the loop apparatus, and the managers of the Casino, are now being prosecuted by the state for the death of the performer, as it is argued that the expert testimony shows that death was due to internal lesions brought on by shock and hastened by hemorrhage of the brain.

CIRCUS GOSSIP.

The Bodkin Brothers are playing to big business on Chicago lots.

The Orloff Trio is one of the feature acts with the Hagenbeck Show.

It is reported that one of the Gentry Shows will soon play Chicago lots.

The Gollmar Brothers Show played Jamestown, N. D., during G. A. B. week.

Fred Green is twenty-four-hour man and special representative of the Hargreaves Show.

James Dewolf is getting a wonderfully fine lot of press notices for the Wallace Show.

Forepaugh-Sells have four dates in Iowa, the lucky ones being Iowa Falls, Esterville, Denison and Sioux City.

Friends of Mr. A. L. Bagby, formerly of the Great Floto Shows, will be interested in the fact that he is now working at the Lewis and Clark Exposition in Portland.

Professor Rice, of dog and pony show fame, has just completed a handsome rest-

GLADYS HOCUM



The above is a good likeness of little Miss Gladys Hocum, who for the past three seasons has made a hit as mouster in a carrying act with her father. She made her first appearance at the age of four with the Campbell Brothers' Show, and appeared with the Walter L. Main and the Great Wallace Shows.

dence and barns at New Albany, Ind. The show is one of the standard attractions of its class.

Mr. C. W. Heckman, in charge of car No. 4 with the John Robinson Ten Big Shows, is doing some fine billing in the eastern states. The paper is also said to be some of the best ever put on the boards.

Al. Armer, of the Armers, with the Floto Shows, sustained injuries by falling while giving his act at Baker City, Ore., recently, and was forced to lay off for a week. This time was spent in Chicago.

During the engagement of the Ringling Bros. Show in Waterbury, Conn., Sig. Carlos was entertained by Mr. Jas. H. Gline, an old friend of Prof. Carlos, and the Waterbury correspondent for The Billboard.

Miss Ellen Richards writes that she has joined the Hagenbeck Show for the season, and is making good. She informs us that the show is a big success in every town they visit, and that they will stay out until October.

Barnum & Bailey received some very flattering press notices in Cleveland, Ohio; in fact some of the best ever given a tented organi-

zation. Mr. Dan S. Fishell has many friends among the newspaper fraternity of the lake city.

Forepaugh-Sells did a record breaking business at Wausau, Wis., June 3, in spite of a heavy downpour of rain. The show will in all probability exhibit in Wausau again next season, should their route carry them in that direction.

Millie Savoy, wife of James Savoy, principal clown with the Great Wallace Shows, underwent an operation at the St. Louis Hospital, Chicago, June 15. The operation was successful, and Miss Savoy will rejoin the show at Fond du Lac.

Our correspondent at Hagerstown, Md., writes that the Cumberland valley eagerly craves an opportunity to receive a visit from one of the big ones. Lewis' Dog and Pony Show has been the only one up the valley and they did a good business.

Mr. J. O. Talbot, of the Wallace Shows, has left the Mercy Hospital, Bay City, Mich., whither he had been taken after he was stricken with appendicitis. An operation was not necessary, and Mr. Talbot has resumed his position with the show.

Mr. Ed. E. Daley, the well-known press representative with the Gentry Brothers' No. 2 Show, will be interested in a big theatrical production that will open at the close of the circus season. Ed. has been doing some very good work for the Gentrys.

W. H. McFarland, manager of the Great Wallace Show annex who had been on the sick list for several days, was in Chicago last week and engaged the All Ben Dib troupe of Oriental dancers. Mr. McFarland rejoined the Wallace Show Saturday, 17.

The advance forces of the Norris & Rowe and the Gollmar Brothers Shows have been having some merry times billing points in North Dakota for the past few weeks. The "opposition" cars of both shows have had their hands full, billing their respective attractions.

The Floto Shows, at Baker City, Ore., on Decoration Day placed a fine marble monument over the grave of Alexious Priskorn, a performer who died in that city after the shows left there last August. The show's band also participated in the local parade in Baker City on that day.

Ike Ellis, in advance of the Hargreaves Show, is showing them up in Massachusetts how to bill while you wait. Ike jumps into a town, orders an elaborate breakfast for himself and his men, and before the chefs have finished their work Ike has the town billed from center to suburb.

Mr. P. W. Harrell is in charge of advance car No. 1 of the Hagenbeck Trained Animal Show. He has twenty men, all union and in good standing. Mr. Jack Scott, steward of the car, had the misfortune to run a nail into his foot at Marshalltown, Ia., June 9. His injuries compelled him to lay off for a few days. Doc Day, of Pittsburgh, is handling the lithographs with the car. "Nnf Sed."

Notes from the Geo. W. Hall Show: In spite of continued rains and mud the show has made some money in Illinois. We closed the show at Kirkland, Ill., for one week and went into winter quarters to rest up. We opened the following week at Paoli, Wis., and the show is doing a fine business. Three days of last week we played to S. R. O. business. Mr. Wm. Milliken, principal clown, is still with the show, as is also Uncle Dan Castello, who is working the trained stock.

Notes from the Andrew Downie Shows: The show is now in its sixth week out, and business has been very satisfactory at every stand. In some instances people have been turned away. The show has been greatly enlarged in every department, and with a street parade nearly a mile in length, we present an imposing appearance. It is now conceded by all who have seen the show that we have the largest and best wagon show in the business. We are giving satisfaction, too.

Notes from the Lemon Brothers Show: On June 3 and 4 we made a run of 552 miles from Perth, Ont., to McAdam Jct., N. B., arriving at the latter place at 4 a. m. Monday. The train was handled in two sections by the Canadian Pacific Ry. and good time was made. The stock was fed at Megantic, P. Q. As the lot at St. John, N. B., was under water we made no attempt to stop, but went to Fredericton, and did a big business. Sells & Downs are billed for the same place June 23.

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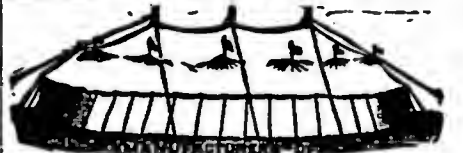
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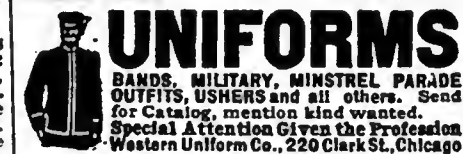
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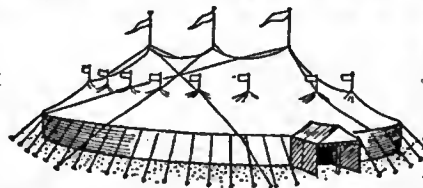
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Claude P. House, advance agent of the K. G. Barkont Amusement Co., visited the Sig. Santelle Shows, June 10, at New Kensington, Pa., and writes that he was very much surprised at the magnitude of the show. Concerning the show Claude writes: "They carry a very fine lot of horses and a very extensive menagerie, and I must say that they do put up a swell parade. It is a big circus in size, variety and quality. I was entertained at dinner by Governor Santelle and Treasurer Foster, and am in debt to Clinton Newton, press agent, who helped to make my visit a pleasant one. I must congratulate Mr. Santelle for being so

liberal. At Vandiver, Pa., Almee, the lion queen, was attacked and badly bitten before assistance reached her. The run from Bellefonte, Pa., to Elmira, N. Y., a distance of 190 miles, was made in six and a half hours. We traveled in four sections and were hauled by six engines. At Canandaigua, N. Y., we were favored with a visit from Bob Buchanan, who was boss canvasman of this show from 1861 to 1875. At Geneva, N. Y., we marched to the grave of "Doc" Colvin and held services, distributing floral wreaths over the grave. At Camden, N. Y., we had as our guest Mr. G. W. Reed, who served as general agent of this show in 1846-47. At Cortland, N. Y., Miss Mary Rhodes slipped and fell from her high ladder. She landed head first in the reserved seat section. Fortunately not a bone was broken and her injuries were confined to some slight bruises. At Ithaca we were highly honored by the college boys, who turned out en masse and delivered their college yell. We experienced a severe storm at Bloomington. Our canvas stood the test, though only a short distance from the grounds a number of houses were unroofed. At Oneonta, N. Y., Larry Judge was thrown from his horse while doing his Roman standing act and miraculously escaped death. We are all well and happy. The Ten Big Shows have no complaint to make.

to his occasional visits to the pleasure parks in his vicinity. The new features attract him. Of these there must even be a sufficient variety to furnish zest to his divertimento. When an attraction ceases to justify the name it should be replaced.

That is one of the advantages of vaudeville. With a weekly change of program it always constitutes a real and a potent attraction, provided the acts are good, and the theatre comfortable, airy, commodious and inviting. Musical comedy by a good company of repertoire singers has the same qualities to recommend it to park managers. It has all the essentials of change from week to week. In some cities a good repertoire dramatic company is well patronized by the park patrons.

The point is to draw the people to the resort. A loss on the attraction itself does not signify a real deficit if it serves this one purpose.

Give the people what they want and the manager will get what he wants. It is only a question of reciprocity. One principle governs the entire system—a good investment brings satisfactory returns.

PARK NOTES.

Manhattan Beach, New York, opens June 22 with Pain's fireworks spectacle, "Port Arthur."

During a recent electrical storm a camel at Ingersoll Park, Des Moines, Ia., was struck by lightning and killed. The animal was valued at \$500.

The summer theatre at Sacandaga Park, Gloversville, N. Y., will open July 3 when Gorman's Gibson Girl will appear in an up-to-date musical comedy.

Rice's Dog and Pony Show put in a good engagement at Lagoon Park, Cincinnati, last week. The same attraction will play a week at Coney Island (Cincinnati) in August.

One of the interesting attractions now on the park circuits is the young Danish Hercules, whose feats are said to be wonderful. He appears at Gala Park, North Beach, week of July 3.

Vinewood Park, Topeka, Kan., continues to draw big crowds all week, as well as Sunday. The people are proving their pride in the resort by visiting it in immense crowds every day.

Highland Park, at Punxsutawney, Pa., opened its season June 11 to fair business. Managers Harris & Gilmore have the affairs of the resort well in hand, and have the confidence of the people.

Lakeside Park, Dayton, Ohio, will soon have in operation its shoot the chutes. The theatre and scenic railway are proving to be worth their weight in gold according to the statement of Manager Kirk.

Hoosac Valley Park, North Adams, Mass., opens its season June 30th. Manager Meade has a strong list of vaudeville acts booked, and many patrons of the well-known resort are expecting a big season.

The new Electric Theatre, Parsons, Kan., is opening up with excellent business under the management of Mr. H. C. Morehead. The Morrison Stock Co. is playing an engagement at the resort which will probably extend through the summer.

Mr. Harry Morrison, advertising manager for Luna Park, Cleveland, Ohio, is getting considerable notice for his resort through the efficient handling of one, four, eight and sixteen sheets. Over 10,000 of them have already been put on the boards. If advertising will get the business Harry is determined to have it.

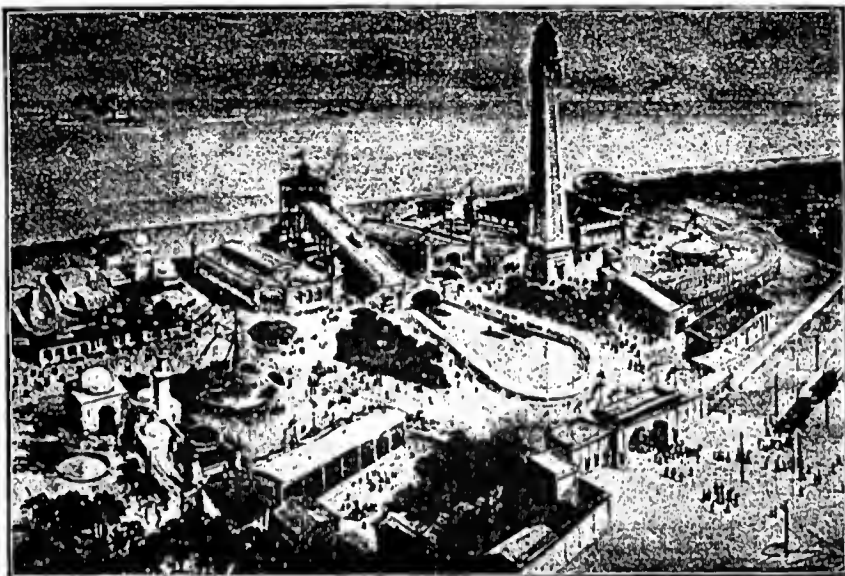
Burgman's Park, Logansport, Ind., opened under the management of Gregg A. Frelinger, June 12, to large business. The pretty location of the resort as well as its nearness to the city are much in its favor; and under the excellent management of which Mr. Frelinger is capable, the park should prove a winner this summer.

Mr. Chas. L. Grove is filling a four weeks' engagement at Riverside Park, Indianapolis, being located in the Palace of Illusions. He writes as follows: "Riverside Park is under the management of Mr. S. J. Sandy, one of the finest men I ever met in the amusement business. It is one of the finest parks in the country. Business is big and increasing steadily."

Manager Ward, of Fairview Park, Dayton, Ohio, advises that business is exceeding all previous records. The concerts held by the Third Regiment Band every Sunday are proving great drawing cards, in fact the excellent service of the People's Ry. Co. is taxed to the limit. The season at Fairview is in full blast, and the nightly attendance is near the capacity mark for all attractions.

Wheeling's Coney Island opened its season June 11 with an attendance of over 20,

WHITE CITY, CLEVELAND



Notwithstanding very inclement weather on June 10, the White City on the Lake, Cleveland, Ohio, opened with a blaze of glory and gave to the Ohio city another touch of metropolitanism of which her pleasure-loving inhabitants are justly proud. Fully 20,000 people attended White City the opening day, and if business continues as it has since the opening, the success of the resort will know no bounds. The magical drawing powers of White City can not be assigned to any one cause, for the reason that every end of the business has received the most careful attention. One of the most charming retreats for the weary is the Japanese Tea House, where the many wants of the patrons are well cared for by Mrs. Geo. Francis Kerr House, where the many wants of the patrons are well cared for by Mrs. Geo. Francis Kerr House, where the many wants of the patrons are well cared for by Mrs. Geo. Francis Kerr House.

What is gathered from the above description does not in any manner do justice to the resort, which as an enterprise for the dispersion of entertainment, is complete in every detail. Mr. Edward O. Boyce, who designed White City on the Lake, has placed himself in the highest position as an amusement architect. It took less than ten weeks to build White City, which fact causes us to marvel after glancing at the above illustration. Mr. Joseph Zimmerman is general manager of White City. He has able assistants in Vice President Caswell and Director of Publicity, Geo. Francis Kerr.

lucky as to secure Mr. Newton, who is indeed a valuable man.

Notes from the Wm. P. Hall Shows: We showed to fine business at Sedalia and Nevada, Mo., and from all indications we will fill the tent today at Lamar. The country people are coming in from all directions. Harry Clark, principal clown, was tendered a banquet by his brother Elks at Nevada, and after the evening performance at that place the entire roster of the company was invited down to Lake Springs, about a mile from town, and over a hundred went in bathing. The Elks recently purchased these grounds for \$50,000. They are going to build a large hotel thereon and establish a fine summer resort. Del Fengo, clown, was bitten by one of the large monkeys yesterday, which may necessitate his losing two fingers. While in Sedalia, Manager Hall purchased fifty fine horses, paying on an average of \$250 for them. Some of them will be used for the parade.

Notes from the John Robinson Shows: We have been in the rain belt ever since opening—only a few fair, clear days. Despite this condition business has been pheno-

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In this department all legal questions pertaining to domestic relations, wills, contracts, criminal and general theatrical law, will be answered. Communications should be addressed to Law Editor, The Billboard, 1440 Broadway, New York City, and must bear full names and addresses of inquirers. Names will not be published under any consideration.

(New York law will be given where questions do not specify a particular state.)

A gambling or swindling party came to a city and went outside of the city limits with a circus, and when a man tried to stop his friends from gambling one of the swindlers struck him and then ran away and hid. Could the police arrest him or hold the circus with which he was traveling responsible? What can be done with the circus if they will not give up the man? J. A. G., St. Louis.

The swindler would undoubtedly be liable to prosecution for assault, but if the matter took place outside of the city limits it would be within the jurisdiction of the county sheriff, and not within the jurisdiction of the city police. The sheriff and his deputies should attend to the matter. The mere fact that the swindler was traveling with the circus, even though he was employed by it, would not give any power to arrest the manager of the circus, though they might be liable in a civil action for damages. As to the last sentence of the question, would say that if the members of the circus hide the swindler and refuse to give him up, they themselves might be prosecuted for assisting the escape of a criminal, or for resisting an officer, as the case might be.

I mailed a letter offering to sell certain goods to Jones at a certain price. Jones mails a letter to me accepting my offer, and then finding that the contract is not advantageous, sends a telegram declining the offer. I receive the telegram before the letter. Can I hold Jones to the contract? R. V. W., Jersey City.

Yes. A man cannot overtake a letter with a telegram, any more than he can recall words.

I found a bag in the road, which had been dropped from a wagon, to which a tag was attached. I tore off the tag without looking for the name and kept the bag. Does this constitute theft? L. J. M., Boston.

The taking of the bag, with the tag attached, would be larceny. In spite of the fact that the bag was actually lost, when a finder takes possession of an article with a clue to it, and with the intention to appropriate it regardless of

the fact that the owner might be found, is held to constitute larceny. But if there be no tag, the bag would have been without a clue, and the act would not have been criminal.

Can royalty be collected on a play that is advertised and sold in printed book form for twenty-five cents, even though a notice appears on its title page that it must not be produced without permission of certain parties? T. F. M., Detroit.

It all depends upon your contract with those parties. From your question I understand you to be the author and the other parties to be your publishers or financial backers. If you sold the play to them outright, you cannot, of course, claim royalty. The fact that the title page contains the notice you mention does not affect your rights in the matter, provided, however, you had previously agreed regarding those rights. If the play was copyrighted by you, as the author, you would, in the absence of any agreement, be entitled to royalty, notwithstanding the above notice. My opinion is that the notice applies to strangers and not to the author; at any rate this notice seems to protect the author as well as the parties. If this does not answer your question write more fully.

Can both the husband and wife get a divorce in New York, and under what conditions? If so, can both marry again? What constitutes legal separation? R. G. M., en route.

Either husband or wife may obtain a divorce in New York. The only cause for absolute divorce in this state is unfaithfulness. Divorce leaves the plaintiff free to marry again, but the defendant cannot remarry within the state during the plaintiff's life, excepting to the plaintiff, unless the court modifies the decree after the lapse of five years, and allows the defendant to marry, which it may do if the plaintiff has meanwhile married again, and if the conduct of defendant has been uniformly good. The defendant may, however, leave the state and remarry in another state, and if the marriage is valid there it will be valid in New York. Legal separation or divorce from bed and board, not freeing from the marriage bond, may be given for cruel and inhuman treatment, conduct rendering it unsafe and improper to live with the defendant, abandonment, or the husband's refusal or neglect to provide for the wife.

Kindly inform me if suicide is a crime. F. W., en route.

Theoretically, it is. It is as much murder as is the killing of another man. The fact that the crime itself removes the perpetrator as well as the victim beyond the pale of human laws does not relieve the act of its criminality. One who assists another to commit suicide

is an accessory to the crime of murder quite as much as one who assists another to kill a third person, and the law treats them both alike. Attempted suicide is a statutory criminal offense in New York.

Additional Performers' Dates.

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- Armlinta & Burke (Proctor's 23rd St.): New York City, 19-24.
- Atlanta, The Great (Pleikert Springs Casino): Montgomery, Ala., 19-24.
- Ash & Phillips (Canoble Lake Park): Lowell, Mass., 26-July 1.
- Alma, Mlle.: Savannah, Ga., 10-24.
- Avolos, The Four (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Ardelle, Jean & Co. (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Axtell & Howard (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Alexander, George (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Appleton & Perry (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
- Avolo, Chas. (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 19-24.
- Dates & Ernest (Lyric): Lincoln, Neb., 20-July 1.
- Burgoyne, Harry (Monro Park): Toronto, Ont., 19-24.
- Benton, Elwood & Maggie (Avon Park): Youngstown, O., 18-24.
- Brooks, Franklin A. (Pavillon): Sea Breeze, N. Y., 18-24.
- Bonavita, Capt. Jack (Dreamland): Coney Island, N. Y., Indef.
- Bevan & Desmond (Lexington Park): Lexington, Mass., 19-24.
- Bentley, Irene (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
- Baker, Ward (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Bryant & Saville (Alameda Park): Butler, Pa., 19-24.
- Barry & Johnson (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, O., 25-July 1.
- Bernstein, Annie (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
- Christopher (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24. (Bell) Oakland 26-July 1.
- Christy & Willis (West End Park): New Orleans, La., 25-July 8.
- Courtney & Jeannette (Majestic): Aurora, Ill., 19-24.
- Cottons, The (Empire): Oakland, Cal., 19-24.
- Campbell & Brady (Orpheum): Webb City, Mo., 19-24.
- Coltons, The (Olympia): Springfield, Ill., 19-24.
- Coco & Marcel (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 12-24.
- Clark & Florette (Summer Theatre): Medford, Mass., 19-24.
- Oullens, The Four (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Carmen Sisters (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Campbells, Ten (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Carr & Jordan (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
- DeGraus, The Great 2 1/2 (Unique): Minneapolis, Minn., 19-24; (Ideal) Fond du Lac, Wis., 26-July 1.
- Doss & Nadolny (Ondar Point): Sandusky, O., 18-24; (Hamona Park) Grand Rapids, Mich., 25-July 1.
- Dixon, Burt & Leon (Lake View Park): Terre Haute, Ind., 19-July 1.
- Dorsch & Russell (Meyer's Lake Park): Canton, O., 25-July 1.
- Dorgeral, Therese (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 26-July 1.
- Dida (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
- Dooley, Bremmer & Marsh (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Earl & Wilson (Casino Park): Muskegon, Mich., 19-24; (Ft. Sheridan Park) Highland, Ill., 26-July 1.

- Elmore & Cottrell (Bijou): Green Bay, Wis., 19-24; (Bijou) Mariette 26-July 1.
- Epworth, Doris (Shea's): Buffalo, N. Y., 19-24.
- Edgertons, The (Coney Island): Wheeling, W. Va., 18-July 8.
- Felds & Hanson (Chutes): San Francisco, Cal., 19-24; (Unique) San Jose 26-July 1.
- Glenroy & Russell (Grand): Vancouver, B. C., 19-24; (Grand) Victoria 26-July 1.
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- Goodman, The Musical (Norumbega Park): Auburndale, Mass., 19-24.
- Golden & Hughes (Lion Palace): New York City, 19-24; (Valley Park) Syracuse, N. Y., 26-July 1.
- Gillette Sisters (Olympic Park): Newark, N. J., 19-24.
- Gray & Graham (Mercer Park): Trenton, N. J., 19-24.
- Grand Opera Trio (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
- Gordon, Cliff (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
- Gallitte's Monkeya (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Gallardo (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Horan, Eddie (Monro Park): Toronto, Ont., 19-24.
- Hylands, The Three (Crystal): Colorado Springs, Col., July 3-8.
- Hart, Willie and Sadie (Steeplechase Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 19-24; (Lyceum) Philadelphia, Pa., 25-July 1.
- Henger Sisters (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 26-July 8.
- Harrington, Dan J. (Componce Lake): Southington, Conn., 19-24.
- Haskell, Loney (Woolworth's Roof): Lancaster, Pa., 19-24.
- Hogan, Ernest & Co. (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
- Hickey & Nelson (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
- Hiekmaus, The Three (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Huen, Musical (Proctor's 125th St.): New York City, 19-24.
- Holcombe, Curtis & Webb (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
- Heidelberg Cadets (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
- Hoover Sisters (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
- Kyle, Ingram (Coney Island): Wheeling, W. Va., 11-24; (Union Park): Clarksburg 26-July 1.
- Keely Sisters (Pleasure Park): Norwalk, O., 19-24; (Terrapin Park) Parkersburg, W. Va., 26-July 1.
- Kartell (Bennett's): London, Ont., 19-24.
- Kent, Clarence E. (Empire): St. Paul, Minn., 19-July 1.
- Keane, J. Warren (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
- Knickbocker Quartet (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
- Kelly & Reno (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 19-24.
- LaDelle (Crystal): Salida, Col., 19-24; (Empire) Colorado Springs 26-July 1.
- LaZelle, Edw. (Kenosia Park): Danbury, Conn., 19-24.
- Leipzig, Nate (Keith's): New York City, July 3-8.
- Magee, Jack E. (Wildwood Park): Putnam, Conn., 19-24.
- McEvoy & May (Bennett's): London, Can., 12-24; (Unique) Sheboygan, Wis., 26-July 1.
- Massey & Kramer: Taunton, Mass., 19-24; (Relian) Nabant 26-July 1.
- Maxsmith Duo (Monro Park): Toronto, Ont., 19-24.

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Mason's Society Belles (Ingersoll Park): Des Moines, Ia., July 3-8.
Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Mark: East Selauket, L. I., N. Y., 19-24; (Proctor's 23rd St.) New York City 25-July 1.
Meakin, Lawrence & Dale (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
Mosher, Houghton & Mosher (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 19-24.
Napp, Viola (Star): Muncie, Ind., 19-24.
Norman, Miss Mary (Farm): Toledo, O., 19-24.
Novelty Comedy Four (Lakemont Park): Altoona, Pa., 19-24.
O'Day, Miss Ida (Meyer's Lake Casino): Canton, N. O., 25-July 1.
Pope, J. C. and Dog (Fountain Ferry Park): Louisville, Ky., 18-24.
Percy & Wilson (Steeplechase Pier): Atlantic City, N. J., 19-24.
Powers & Freed (Novelty): Denver, Col., 26-July 1.
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Parker's Dogs (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
Quinlan & Mack (Proctor's): Newark, N. J., 26-July 1.
Raymond, Ruby (Masonic): Ironton, O., 25-July 1.
Reno & Richards (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
Russell & Tillyou (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
Reeves, Eddie (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
Star Trio (Grand): Tacoma, Wash., 19-24; (Orpheum) Seattle 26-July 1.
Somers & Wible (Baseball Park): Chester, Pa., 26-July 1.
St. Onge Bros. (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
Stellabright, The (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
Thatcher, Eva (Bijou): Duluth, Minn., 19-24; (Unique) Winnipeg, Man., 26-July 8.
Thompson & Serida (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
Taylor, Bessie (Chester Park): Cincinnati, O., 19-24.
Tye & Jermom (Music Hall): Brighton Beach, N. Y., 19-24.
To-To (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
Theresta, LaBelle (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 19-24.
Union Gating Guards (Sheedy's): Newport, R. I., 19-24; (Henderson's) Coney Island, N. Y., 26-July 1.
Vanos, Two (Mountain View Park): Roanoke, Va., 19-24; (Rivermont Park) Lynchburg 26-July 1.
Vistaro Troupe (Wistaria Grove): New York City, 19-24.
Voss, May & Co. (Keith's): New York City, 19-24.
Williams & Stevens (Star): Portland, Ore., 19-24.
Washer Bros. (Crystal): Denver, Col., 19-24.
Welch, Lew (Steeplechase Park): Bridgeport, Conn., 19-24.
Woodland Nymphs (Paradise Roof): New York City, 19-24.
Weston Sisters (Pastor's): New York City, 19-24.
Zimmer (Henderson's): Coney Island, N. Y., 19-24.
Zarano & Sisters Hess (Shellpot Park): Wilmington, Del., 19-24.

ADDITIONAL ROUTES.

(Received too late for classification.)
American Carnival Co., Cleveland & Turner, mgrs.: Basic City, Va., 19-24; Front Royal 26-July 1.
Barkout Amusement Co., K. G. Barkout, mgr.: New Kensington, Pa., 19-24; Charleston 26-July 1.
Cole & Rogers' Circus, Augustus Jones, mgr.: Huntington, W. Va., 24.
Ely's, Geo. E., Circus: Bem, Mo., 24; Bland 26; Belle 27.
Hall's, W. P., Shows: Independence, Kan., 21; Winslow 22; Wichita 23; Newton 24; Emporia 25-26; Ottawa 27; Lawrence 28; Leavenworth 29.
Hess & Nsumam United Shows: Lima, O., 19-24; Kenton 25-July 1.
Monarch Amusement Co., G. E. Meyers, mgr.: Pueblo, Col., 19-24; Fort Collins 26-July 1.
Pawnee Bill's Wild West: Hudson, Mich., 21; Albion 22; Charlot 23; Fenton 24; Detroit 26; Mt. Clemens 27; Pontiac 28; Owosso 29; Greenville 30; Alma July 1.
Peter's Pavilion Players, Will Jay Peters, mgr.: Burr Oak, Kan., 19-24; Mankato 22-24.
Proctor's Minstrels (under canvas), Geo. H. Proctor, mgr.: Fairbault, Minn., 19-24; Chippewa Falls 26-July 1.
Southern Carnival Co., Nat Reiss, mgr.: Tacoma, Wash., 19-July 1.
Silver's, Bert, Circus, Bert Silver, mgr.: Stanwood, Mich., 21; Morley 22; Lakerville 23.
Welder, Will H., Carnival Co.: Chicago Junction, O., 19-24; Byesville 26-July 1.

Correspondence

ILLINOIS

SPRINGFIELD.—The Chatterton (Geo. W. Chatterton, res. mgr.) The season and the Van Dyke-Eaton Stock closed at this house with the presentation of Carmen 11; only fair patronage. Manager Chatterton is now in New York where he will remain several weeks, booking. The Gaiety (Smith & Burton, mgrs.) Fun and Merriment go gallantly on, and it would appear at this writing that patronage was heavy enough to justify a summer's continuation of open doors would greet the offerings presented. Week 12: Lewis and Chapin; Raymond Merritt, Whitehead and Diamond, Master Rocco Vocco, Gordon Elford, and motion pictures.

The Olympic (John Berriman, mgr.) Week 12: LaBelle Dixon, Kittle Stanton, Great Vivian, Geo. and Laura Lewis, Vesta Moutrose and others.

The Empire (John Connors, prop. and mgr.) Bill week June 12: Bessie Crawford, Lillian Elliott, Gertrude Frey and Ida Sordt, Ida Owens, Stuart and Simonds, Marie Hofer and Minnie Fayette.

MASSACHUSETTS

SPRINGFIELD.—Poll's Theatre (Chas. W. Fonda, mgr.) Week June 12. Poll's Own Stock Co. presents The Henrietta, Frederic Bond scoring a pronounced success as Nicholas Vanalstine. Despite the hot weather, electric fans keep the theatre delightfully cool, and business continues excellent. Next week the company will present Bonicault's Forbidden Fruit.

DAVID M. PROCTOR.

MONTANA

HELENA.—Edson Theatre (J. J. Clark, mgr.) Bill for week 11: Billy Van, comedian; Mr. and Mrs. Gottlob & Co. in Government Bonds; The Hazellet Trio in singing and dancing; pleased large audiences.

NEW JERSEY

ATLANTIC CITY.—This has been another big week here. The Annual Floral Parade was the feature of the week and excursions on all the railroads brought in the crowds.

Young's Pier is doing a tremendous business with band concerts, vaudeville, deep-sea diving, aquatic sports and gymnastic exhibitions.

Savoy Theatre. Mamie Fleming Co. week June 5, did a big week's business, as both the star and company are favorites here. Checkers week 12, with Thos. W. Ross and a company of 150 people.

Johnston Flood is packed at every performance. Many new electrical effects and features have been added which makes it more attractive and entertaining.

Tillyou's Steeplechase Pier. Manager Giles Clements has many new surprises in store for his patrons. The vitagraph, vaudeville, minstrel, cakewalks, band concerts and dances please crowds of tremendous proportions.

The Old Mill, Carouseb, Figure Eight Roller Coaster, Illinisture Railroad, Palace of Illusions, and Submarine Exhibition are all doing a great business.

The Baby Incubator is still drawing large crowds at all times.

New Aerial Park, with its airship, flying swings, Ferris Wheels and many other attractions is doing a fine business.

Dentzel's Galloping Horses and Amusement Palace is crowded at all times. Manager Wm. Dentzel is here for a few days' rest after setting up three new outfits, one at Wonderland Park, Minneapolis; one at Luna Park, Cleveland, Ohio; one at Valley Park, Johnsontown, Pa.

Free Arcade, with its many new machines and automatic novelties, attracts big crowds. All the Penny Arcades and Machine Parlors are doing fine.

Governor's Pavilion Theatre opened June 12 with a big bill of polite vaudeville to S. B. O. Fighting The Flames. This is the biggest success ever known here; S. B. O. sign is nightly displayed.

Garrick Theatre. Stock Co., with an entire change of bill weekly, is meeting with success.

The inlet pavilion dance hall and theatre has been leased by William Hyman, who will install a band and orchestra and will give a vaudeville bill. They are preparing for an early opening.

Doyle's Theatre will open June 19.

The Battle of Gettysburg is doing a great business and pleases everyone who visits this popular attraction. During the Floral parade they entered their light artillery and ammunition wagons, drawn by little girls and boys dressed in full military uniform. By their splendid showing and unique appearance they captured a beautiful silver trophy, and received much advertising for their attraction.

Dr. O. DeGarmo Gray was a welcome visitor here June 9, and will sojourn by the seashore for a few days' rest and recreation.

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NEWARK.—Proctor's (J. Austin Fynes, gen. mgr.) Carlton Macy and Maud Edna Hall, two stock favorites of this city, received a cordial reception last week at this house. Souvenir photographs of Miss Hall were distributed. Conductor: George W. Leslie & Co., Pat Rooney and Marion Bent, Ben Welch, Carls Day and Piccaninies, Williams and Elliott, Trolley Car Trio, Barr and Evans, and the motion pictures.

Greater Electric Park (C. A. Dunlap, gen. mgr.) High-class vaudeville. Miss Winifred Stewart, The Gagnoux, Whittely and Bell, Lydia Hall, McCarthy and Keina, Merritt and Rosella, Jack Sheehan, and the cinematograph. The headline act of last week's bill was Miss Franca Gerard, who is a soprano of exceptional ability. Little performing dogs were featured last week on the open-air stage, and are held over this week. A number of interesting midway attractions have been installed, and since the advent of favorable park weather business has been brisk. A distinct feature of the open-air amusements is the Dunlap Electric Fountain which is greatly improved this season.

Hillside Pleasure Park (Harry S. Healey, dir. of amuse.) Kemp's Wild West, May 27-July 29. A new and sensational feature has been introduced in the shape of daily balloon ascensions by Prof Joseph Bush of Chicago; business is fair.

Olympic Park (Hans Wevers, mgr.) Vaudeville and Gohman's high diving horses; business good. Item—Edwin Stevens, late of Belasco's Sweet Kitty Bellairs Co., appeared June 19 at Proctor's Theatre in a new and original monologue.

HARRY BONNELL, Greater Electric Park.

OHIO

TOLEDO.—The week 11-17, marked the closing of the Byron Douglas Stock Co. after a decidedly successful run of eight weeks at the Arcade Theatre. During its Toledo visit the company has made many close friends and admirers, and has made many close friends and admirers, and rumors of a strictly stock theatre are rife for the fall. The Arcade, prior to the engagement of the Douglas Co., was a vaudeville house and as such

it will open in September. Pink Dominoes was on the bill as the last attraction and the farce comedy was exceptionally well received and acted.

At the Casino, Manager Kilves presented the following high-class list of acts 11-17: Hal Davis and Inez Macanley in Mr. Davis' neat little skit The Unexpected; Norcross, Blain and Le Mair's original conception of a three-man minstrel show; The Dollar Troupe of really wonderful acrobats who come near to being the best in the business; Polardo, Casey and LeClair, and Mooney and Holbein. All through the week the attendance has been excellent.

The Farm had a bill of top-notchers 11-17, and some of the best known acts in vaudeville were put on. Charlie Case was the hit of the program with his easy going and laughable monologue. He was encored repeatedly. Eva Westcott & Co. appeared in An Episode of Modern Life, and mixed pathos and humor in an entertaining fashion; Whistling Tom Browne is the same Tom as when he was here last with the Kate Dan Daly in The New Clown in 1890. As a whistling artist he is the premier of them all. John Geiger does some seemingly impossible stunts on the violin, and Eckert and Berg, with their well known act, close a good bill.

B. Q. LUSTIG.

SANDUSKY.—Johnson's Island Pleasure Resort (C. L. Goodsite, mgr.) Hoyt's A Texas Steer week 11, by the stock company, a fair business.

Cedar Point Pleasure Resort (Geo. A. Boeckling, mgr.) Bill at theatre week 11: Jessika, singing comedienne; McIntyre and McAvoy, singers and dancers; Leonhardt, juggler, and Campbell, Dillon and Campbell, musical artists, to good business. Items—Miss Mayme Sprau has joined the Oscar F. Cook Stock Co. * * Dave H. Woods is managing the theatre at Cedar Point. * * Miss Burton Nixon has been engaged for the stock company at Johnson's Island.

WASHINGTON

SEATTLE.—Grand Opera House (John Cort, mgr.) Barney Bernard in The Financier, June 16-17; J. O. U. 18-21; The Beauty Shop 22-25.

Seattle Theatre (John P. Howe, mgr.) The Watson Co. in The Man From Mexico broke all records and the public are realizing the work of this excellent company. June 11-17 same company in Faust. The Plungers 18-20; Kidnapped 21-24.

Third Avenue Theatre (Russell & Drew, mgrs.) Cass A. Taylor's splendid company in Queen of The Highway 11-17; splendid business all the week.

Star Theatre (S. Morton Cohn, mgr.) Vaudeville. This week's bill is exceedingly good, consisting of Cole and Waldron, Hellman, the great magician; Juggling Jordans, Herb Bell, the biograph. Mr. and Mrs. John T. Chick, and Leslie Pomeroy.

Orpheum Theatre (Thomas Conditine, mgr.) Vaudeville: Douglas and Ford, Crawford and Duff, Nancy Rice, Darish, Cleary and Russell, Wm. H. Hoyt, and moving pictures.

Central Theatre (Don C. Fowler, mgr.) Vaudeville: After a thorough renovating and overhauling this splendid little theatre has opened up again and a strong bill was presented this week including The Wise and Milton Co., German Brothers, Mack and Elliott, Kretore, The Hein Children, Edna Foley, and new motion pictures.

Salamagundi.

Manager Jas. E. Finnegan, of the White City Amusement Co., writes as follows: "We closed a successful week at Casino Park, Huntsville, Ala., June 10th, and opened at New Decatur, June 12. We are getting along like our happy family. Since last report we have placed Milton Dowell with his Merry-go-Round."

While en route from St. Joseph, Mo., to Topeka, Kan., June 8, three cars belonging to the Gaskill Carnival Co. were derailed near Atchison and considerable damage done. Five employees of the show were injured and a number of fronts were completely demolished. Several animals were in the derailed cars, but escaped without injury. With the assistance of the wrecking crew the show arrived in Topeka in ample time to open Monday. Our correspondent writes that the company pleased the people of Topeka. The attendance was extraordinarily large, a number of the shows playing to turn away business. Messrs. Gaskill & Shields won the people by their accommodating manners, and will be welcomed back in the Kansas city next week. Major T. J. Hurd, manager of the Zoo Park, but was able to resume work in Topeka. Mr. James Harrington has the cane rack and knife board privileges with this show. He is also lecturer on the Pala de la Morta. Messrs T. L. Hunt and Carl W. Somers signed their mysterious Zelda with the company at St. Joseph. They have been in the northwest for the past forty week, and are getting good money with the Gaskill Show.

The American Carnival Co. hold a free street fair and carnival at Front Royal, Va., June 20 to July 1, under the auspices of the city Bremen.

Dr. Horace Grant writes that he has signed contracts with the Great J. Frank Hatch Shows to do the press work and promoting. He says the company is undoubtedly one of the best on the road, having sixteen paid shows besides five free acts, including the loop the loop, Prof. Hix, high diver, a Japanese troupe, electric flying ship and the Banda Rosa Italian band. Mr. E. J. Morley has booked several splendid cities, and the season promises to be the greatest Mr. Hatch has ever experienced. The company is booked to play Washington, D. C., two weeks under the auspices of the National Guards.

The Wright Exposition Co., H. W. Wright, manager and proprietor, played to different business in Sullivan, Ind., week of June

5, owing to continued rain. Our correspondent writes that the shows are all of the first class and would have made good had they not been prevented from so doing by adverse weather. The company is in Charleston, Ill., this week.

Notes from the Capitol Amusement Co.: We did the biggest business we ever did in our history at our home town, Lansing, Mich. The ministerial brethren tried hard enough to keep us out, but the business men were all with us, and we opened with flying colors. Before the week was over the preachers had an ice cream stand in full operation. We have ten paid shows, a Ferris wheel and a merry-go-round and a better set of fronts was never exhibited.

The Mundy Carnival Co. had a big week at Logansport, Ind., beginning June 5. Fully fifty thousand people paid admission, according to the statement of our correspondent, and the attraction pleased much more than in previous years. Continuing, he says: "Col. Mundy is certainly to be congratulated on the excellent staff he carries. Everyone of his men proved themselves gentlemen of the highest type. The attractions were better patronized than in former years, but the hippodrome and the Gibson Girl won the crowds. Logansport people will always have a good word for Col. Mundy and his company."

The Duluth, Minn., fall festival and enclosed carnival, which is to be held the week beginning August 12, will be provided with attractions by the Cosmopolitan Carnival Co., contracts having been signed to that effect. Mr. L. Stellenberger, who conducted the fall jubilee in Superior last year, will have charge of the Duluth event. The carnival will be given under the auspices of the Third Regiment Band of Duluth, and everything points to success.

The E. L. Dodge Amusement Co. opened at Sun Springs, a well-known resort of Kansas, June 12, for a three weeks' engagement. Mr. Dodge carries three paid shows, two free attractions and a steam riding gallery. He has prospects for a good season.

The Turn Verien Society, of Erie, Pa., will hold its premier carnival week of July 3. All the local fraternal organizations will assist to make the occasion a worthy one, and the Great J. Frank Hatch Co. will furnish all attractions. The merchants and manufacturers are arranging to give a magnificent trade and industrial parade.

Cedar Point, Cleveland, Ohio, opened its season June 10 to business sufficiently large to surprise its management. The new hotel, The Breakers, is a work of art in itself, and it occupies a commanding position over the waters of Lake Erie. The Laughing Gallery, Faries in the Well, Roller Toboggan, Merry-go-Round, Palace of Illusions, bowling and dancing and Prof. Cook's band of twenty-three pieces are some of the attractions to be found at this resort. Mr. Geo. A. Beckling is manager of the park, which has gained for itself the appellation, Queen of the West.

To Mr. Edward J. Austen belongs the honor of originating two of Coney Island's best attractions. Mr. Austen, it will be remembered, originated the scenograph and kinetorama style of stage performances, but his Johnston Flood, first produced at the Buffalo Exposition, and his New York to the North Pole added greater stability to his reputation. In this last scenic performance Mr. Austen depicts the adventures of Arctic explorers. The scene begins at the Brooklyn Bridge, and takes one to the frigid zones, in the meantime delineating the grandeur of the scenery between these two widely different points. These two attractions alone are a sufficient inducement to take any one to Coney Island. They are both enjoying an exceedingly prosperous run at the well-known resort.

Hoffman & Weyman's Circus and Vaudeville Shows opened their season at Philadelphia, Pa., June 5. They play around that city for eight weeks, after which they go to the coast.

Notes from the Gentry Brothers No. 2 Show: Every city and town visited this year has turned out in capacity crowds at both performances, and all unite in saying that the performance this year far eclipses any other trained animal performance ever given. J. D. Newman, our general agent, and Ed. E. Daley, our genial press representative, visited the show in Marietta and Parkersburg last week.

Notes from the McDonald Brothers' Show: The show continues on the even tenor of its way, and fine weather is prevailing. Joe Brothers, is spending a week with the show. Joe likes to visit and he is always welcome. He borrows a touba horn and is always seen in last week. Joe Rosella, formerly with Teets and May McAlister joined at Morristown, Tenn., the band.

McNatti, Keegan and Mullaney continue to meet with big success playing the eastern houses.

The Burton Bell Ringers, who have played with success all the large cities of the west, are fitting out a show of their own. They are booked in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas.

Baby Owen & Co. will be seen shortly in one of the leading New York vaudeville houses in her new act, which has created such a favorable impression in the west.

Mr. Robert A. Brackett, manager Lyman H. Howe's Moving Picture No. 3, left New York June 17 for St. Paul, where he will spend the summer with his people at Lake Minnetonka. Mr. Brackett returns to Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 15, to make preparations for next season's tours.

WANTED QUICK—To hear from carnival companies, privilege people, percentage shows, free attractions, racehorse men, etc., for Great Hopkins County Fair. Jas. A. Franceway, Sec., Madisonville, Ky.

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ILLINOIS

Belleville—St. Clair County Fair. Oct. 3-7. Jas. McCollough, sec.

INDIANA

LaPorte—Laporte County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Dr. H. H. Martin, pres.; Vene Dorland, treas.; J. E. Bowell, sec.

MINNESOTA

Ada—County Fair. July 28-29. Wm. B. Bosworth.

Rusa City—Chicago County Fair. Sept. 20-22. Jno. C. Carlson, pres.; Thos. W. Malcolm, sec.; Jas. J. Flynn, treas.

TENNESSEE

Dunbar's Cave—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10-12. Shelbyville—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 6-9.

Rome—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 14-16.

VIRGINIA

Wytheville—Wythe County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 6-8. S. S. Cassell, Rural Retreat, Va., R. F. D., pres.; U. S. Browning, treas.; L. F. Krenning, sec.

WEST VIRGINIA

Belington—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 22-24. A. F. Rohrbough, sec.

Buchannon—Sept. 19-22. W. H. Young, sec. Clarksburg—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. N. Hess, sec.

Elkins—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-31. W. E. Baker, sec.

New Martinsville—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 14-17; J. R. Thorn, sec.

List of Fairs

ALABAMA

Birmingham—Alabama State Fair. Oct. 4-14. R. M. Williams, sec.

ARKANSAS.

Rogers—Arkansas State Fair. Sept. 20-29. J. W. Walker, pres.; Jno. E. Walker, treas.; A. M. Buckley, sec.

CALIFORNIA.

Colusa—National Trotting Fair. Dates not set. W. R. Merrill, pres.; Tennant Harrington, treas.; Jas. W. Scoggins, sec.

Tulare City—Tulare Fair. Dates not set. H. Whaley, pres.; W. T. Ingmerson, sec.

COLORADO.

Grand Junction—Mesa Co. Fair. Sept. 18-22. W. P. Els, pres.; M. M. Shares, treas.; O. D. Fisher, sec.

Lamar—Prowers Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. A. N. Parrish, pres.; W. C. Geild, treas.; Chas. Maxwell, sec.

Montrose—Western Slope Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. O. Redding, pres.; Jno. E. Peiton, treas.; Charles L. Blake, sec.

Pueblo—Colorado State Fair. Sept. 11-15. J. E. Topping, pres.; Thos. H. Devine, treas.; Thos. E. Hoffmire, sec.

CONNECTICUT.

Danbury—Danbury Fair, Oct. 2-7. Samuel T. Ruette, pres.; Jno. W. Balon, treas.; G. W. Bunde, sec.

Harwinton—Harwinton Fair. Oct. —. Lewis E. Catlin, supt. priv.; R. F. D. No. 2, Torrington, Conn.

Lyme—Lyme Grange Fair. Dates not set. Wm. Mariou, pres.; Hamburg; H. B. Sisson, treas.; Hamburg; J. W. Stark, sec.

Nangrattuck—Beacon Valley Grange Fair. Sept. 4. W. J. Noble,

Lewiston-Lewiston Clarkston Fair. Oct. 16-21. G. H. Kester, pres.; Jno. T. Ray, treas.; Chris F. Omers, sec.

ILLINOIS.

Aledo-Mercer Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. Lee, pres.; W. D. Emerson, sec.
Alanta-Logan Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. B. Jordan, sec.
Avon-Avon Fair. Sept. 12-15. D. B. Bouton, pres.; W. G. Mings, treas.; Julian Churchhill, sec.

Sterling-Mineral Springs Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. T. Williams, pres.; J. Harpham, treas.; W. Kilgour, sec.
Urbana-Champaign Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. C. Dallenbach, pres.; Champaign; J. B. Busey, treas.; W. W. Lindley, sec.

INDIANA.

Anderson-Anderson Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. B. Orr, pres.; Wm. Boland, treas.; W. H. Heritage, sec.
Angola-Steenen Agri. Fair. Oct. 10-12. Clyde W. Griffin, pres.; Henry Linder, treas.; Orville Goodale, sec.

Osgood-Bipley Co. Fair. Aug. 1-4. Wm. Bo-sengarn, pres.; Robt. Crengille, sec.
Portland-Jay Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. J. G. Crowell, pres.; Waller M. Hayes, treas.; Jas. F. Gives, sec.

IOWA.

Allison-Butler Co. Fair. Aug. 29-25. L. J. Rogers, sec.
Algona-Kossuth Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. H. Wadsworth, sec.
Alta-Buena Vista Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. O. E. Cameron, sec.

Manson-Calhoun Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. T. Griffin, pres.; B. E. Sebern, treas.; C. G. Kasper, sec.
Marengo-Iowa Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. C. C. Clements, sec.
Marion-Inter-State Fair. Aug. 21-25. E. H. Parsons, sec.

KANSAS.

Anthony-County Fair. Aug. 7-12. W. W. Bird, sec.
Belleville-Republic Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Chanale-Chanute Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. A. E. Timpane, sec.

Paola-Miami Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Bradberry, sec.
Riley-Riley Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Jno. W. Cone, sec.
Salina-Central Kansas Fair. Sept. 18-22. H. B. Wallace, sec.
Seneca-Nemaha Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. V. B. Fisher, pres.; C. O. Scoville, treas.; W. H. Fitzwater, sec.

KENTUCKY.

Barbourville-Knox Co. Fair. Jno. C. Matthews, pres.; F. R. Barner, treas.; W. W. Tinsley, sec.
Bardonia-Nelson Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Ben Johnson, pres.; E. C. Cherry, sec.
Broadhead-Rockcastle Co. Fair. Aug. 16-18. Granville Owens, sec.
Crab Orchard-Crab Orchard Fair. July 19-21. Danville, pres.

LOUISIANA.

Alden Bridge-Bossier Parish Fair. Oct. 27-28. Arcadia-Belvile Fair. Oct. 10-12.
Cathoun-North Louisiana Fair. Sept. 12-15. Clinton-East Feliciana Fair. Oct. 19-21. L. D. Wall, pres.

MAINE.

Acton-Shapleigh and Acton Fair. Dates not set. Z. G. Horn, pres. Horn's Mills, N. H.; Elsie Bray, treas.; Ross Corner; Fred K. Bodwell, sec.
Amherst-Northern Hancock Fair. Dates not set. A. N. Jewett, sec.
Andover-Northern Oxford Fair. Dates not set. Jno. F. Talbot, sec.

Gorham-Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. Joe. L. Robinson, pres. So. Windham; F. D. Seaman, treas.; C. H. Leighton, sec., Cumberland Hills.
Hartland-East Somerset Fair. Oct. 5-7. E. A. Webber, sec.
Lee-Lee Union Fair. Dates not set. Geo. B. Lowell, sec.
Lewiston-Maine State Fair. Sept. 12-15. B. J. Libby, pres.; N. J. Eveleth, treas.; J. L. Lowell, sec., Auburn.
Livermore Falls-Androscoggin Co. Fair. Aug. 29-31. J. W. Maxwell, sec., Sabattus.

MARYLAND.

Bel Air-Harford Co. Fair. Dates not set. Jno. W. Rouse, pres.
Easton-Eastern Shore Fair. Dates not set. M. B. Nichols, pres.
Frederick-Frederick Co. Fair. Oct. 17-20. O. N. Hargett, pres.; D. V. Stauffer, treas.; J. Roger McBerry, sec.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Amesbury-Amesbury and Ballsbury Fair. Sept. 12-14. Edw. W. George, sec.
Amherst-Hampshire Fair. Sept. 19-20. S. J. Reed, sec.
Athol-Worcester Northwest Fair. Sept. 4-5. Albert Ellisworth, sec.
Barnstable-Barnstable Co. Fair. Aug. 29-31. T. C. Day, sec.
Barre-Worcester Co. West Fair. Sept. 28-29. Math. Walker, sec.
Blanford-Union Fair. Sept. 13-14. E. W. Golse, sec.

Sturbridge-Worcester South Fair. Sept. 14-15. C. V. Corey, sec.
Taunton-Bristol Co. Fair. Sept. 28-29. Jas. I. Dunn, sec.
Uxbridge-Blackstone Valley Fair. Sept. 22-23. Dr. M. K. Sharpe, sec.
West Tibury-Martina Vineyard Fair. Sept. 19-21. F. A. Look, sec.
Worcester-New England Fair. Sept. 4-6. B. W. Potter, pres.; L. F. Herrick, treas.; M. M. Rich, sec.

MICHIGAN.

Adrian-Lenawee Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. H. Fairbanks, sec.
Allegan-Allegan Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. H. Foster, pres.; Boy Wilcox, treas.; W. H. Warner, sec.
Bad Axe-Huron Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. M. D. Dibb, pres.; Chas. E. Thompson, treas.; Finley D. McGregor, sec.
Capac-Capac Agri. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Geo. Chapman, pres.; H. B. Hitchings, treas.; Alvin Balden, sec.
Charlotte-Eaton Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Jas. H. Gallery, pres.; Frank Ward, treas.; Geo. Decker, sec.

MINNESOTA.

Albert Lea-Freedom Co. Fair. Sept. 18-20. D. K. Stacy, pres.; C. H. Freeman, treas.; Robt. J. Tweedy, sec.
Arlington-Sibley Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Theo. Streisguth, pres.; V. F. Schmoll, treas.; F. F. Mansfield, sec.
Austin-Mower Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. J. J. Furlong, pres.; Geo. Robertson, treas.; J. E. Davidson, sec.
Canby-Yellow Med. Co. Fair. Sept. 13-15. John Rowe, pres.; S. J. Forbes, treas.; F. E. Millard, sec.

MISSISSIPPI.

McComb City-McComb City Fair. Oct. 17-21. W. T. Dorman, pres.; T. W. James, treas.; D. C. Lenair, sec.

MISSOURI.

Albany-Gentry Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. S. W. Clark, sec.
Belton-Belton Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. A. Hill, sec.
Bowling Green-Pike Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Jas. E. McKee, pres.; Ed. Briggs, treas.; H. M. Strother, sec.
Brookfield-Brookfield Fair. Aug. 15-19. Gus Cannon, sec.

Hamilton-Hamilton Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. R. W. Napier, pres and mgr.; T. D. George, treas.
Harris-Agri. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. T. O. Johnson, sec.
Harrisonville-Cass Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. H. V. Hurst, pres.; J. E. Vanderventer, treas.; Duncan Russell, sec.
Herman-Gasconde Co. Fair. Sept. 1-2. Aug. Begman, sec.
Hermitage-Hickory Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. M. Beville, pres.; W. H. Morton, treas.; E. D. Blair, sec.

Boseman-Inter-State Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. F. L. Kenpe, pres.; H. L. Casey, treas.; J. M. Smith, sec.
Helena-Montana State Fair. Oct. 2-9. H. Berg, pres.; Jno. W. Pace, sec.

NEBRASKA.

Albion-Boone Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Neal, pres.; Jos. Greene, treas.; H. I. Brooks, sec.
Aurora-Hamilton Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Dan L. Machamer, sec.
Battle Creek-Race Meeting. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. George W. Losey, pres.; Thos. M. Morris, sec.
Beaver City-Furnas Co. Fair. Sept. 28-29. C. E. Hopping, pres.; C. E. Smith, treas.; W. C. Lumley, sec.
Broken Bow-Custer Co. Fair. Dates not set. E. E. Purcell, sec.
Creighton-Knox Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. W. C. Galt, pres.; T. J. Buckmaster, sec.
Lincoln-Nebraska State Fair. Sept. 1-8. W. E. Mellor, pres.; Loup City, Neb.; Ed. McIntyre, treas.; Seward, Neb.; Robt. W. Furnas, sec.; Brownville, Neb.
Hubbell-Driving Park Assn. Sept. 19-22. Nelson-Nunkolls Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Osceola-Polk Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. L. K. McGaw, pres.; Peter Nelson, treas.; G. T. Ray, sec.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Claremont-Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 8-5. Jno. M. Howe, pres.; Edw. J. Rossiter, treas.; Jno. B. Ayer, sec.
Concord-State Fair. Sept. 12-15. Nashua-Nashua Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. J. Doyle, pres.; M. C. Mullen, sec.; J. Tolia, treas.
Rochester-Rochester Fair. Sept. 28-29. Geo. E. Wallace, pres.; Chas. M. Bailey, sec. and treas.; W. G. Bradley, gen. mgr.

NEW JERSEY.

Trenton-Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-29. M. R. Margerum, sec.
Mt. Holly-Great Mt. Holly Fair. Oct. 8-6.

NEW MEXICO.

Albuquerque-Albuquerque Racing Fair. May 28-31. C. E. Newcomer, pres.; F. F. McCanna, sec.
Albuquerque-New Mexico Territorial Fair. Sept. 18-23. W. H. Greer, pres.; J. E. Herndon, treas.; D. K. B. Sellers, sec.
Bowling-Bowling Fair. Dates not set. Lucius Dills, sec.

NEW YORK.

Albion-Orleans Co. Fair. Sept. 15-17. L. H. Beach, sec.
Afton-Afton Driving Fair. Sept. 26-29. Fred. Church, pres.; P. S. Krum, treas.; I. W. Seely, sec.
Altamont-Albany Co. Fair. Aug. 23-25. Robt. J. McCauley, pres., Albany; Edw. G. Cranell, treas.; E. I. Weaver, sec.; Angolica.
Angolica-Allegany Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. E. E. Bartlett, Belmont; Henry C. Morgan, treas.; Geo. H. Swift, sec., Cuba.

Ballston, Spa.—Saratoga Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Eugene Wiswall, pres.; W. L. Cavert, treas.; N. V. Witbeck, sec.

Batavia—Genesee Co. Fair. Sept. 19-23. Jno. Lons, pres.; H. H. Bostwick, treas.; Albert E. Brown, sec.

Bath—Steuben Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. J. McCarrick, pres.; Chas. James Fancett, jr., treas.; Chas. A. Shultz, sec.

Binghamton—Binghamton Fair. Sept. 26-29. G. T. Rogers, pres.; Henry S. Martin, sec.; J. P. E. Clark, mgr.

Boonville—Boonville Fair. Sept. 5-8. Henry McClosky, pres.; E. B. Palmer, treas.; H. J. Vollmar, sec.

Brookport—Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 27-30. Chas. J. White, pres.; Warren B. Conklin, treas.; Geo. B. Harmon, sec.

Brookfield—Brookfield-Madison Co. Fair. Sept. 25-28. H. L. Spooner, pres.; B. G. Stillman, treas.; N. A. Crumb, sec.

Cairo—Greene Co. Fair. Sept. 22-24. Francis G. Walters, pres.; Harvey S. Olmstead, treas.; Frank D. Cole, sec.

Cambridge—Cambridge Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jerome B. Rice, pres.; Henry A. Qoa, treas.; E. B. Norton, sec.

Canandaigua—Ontario Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Jno. M. Ladd, pres.; Victor; Jas. S. Hixox, treas.; Milton A. Smith, sec., Victor.

Canton—St. Lawrence Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Albert T. Martyn, pres.; J. Fred Hammond, treas.; Jas. E. Johnson, sec.

Cape Vincent—Cape Vincent Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. T. Steel, pres.; P. S. Judd, treas.; Frank T. Denesoguel, sec.

Carmel—Putnam Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. Weeks, pres.; C. C. Townsend, treas.; J. N. Walker, sec.

Chatham—Columbia Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Geo. McClellan, pres.; W. B. Starke, treas.; W. A. Dardess, sec.

Cobleskill—Cobleskill Agri. Fair. Sept. 25-28. D. C. Dow, pres.; Leland Hodge, treas.; S. H. VanNoes, sec.

Cooperstown—Otsego Co. Fair. Sept. 25-27. O. M. Allison, pres.; L. E. Walrath, treas.; Eugene D. Stocker, sec.

Cortland—Cortland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. W. J. Greenman, sec.

Cuba—Cuba Fair. Sept. 13-16. E. G. Wasson, pres.; H. C. Morgan, treas.; Geo. H. Swift, sec.

Delhi—Delaware Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. J. Nicoll, pres.; J. E. W. Thompson, treas.; F. W. Youmans, sec.

Deposit—Deposit Fair. Aug. 22-25. C. P. Knapp, pres.; O. E. Martin, treas.; Delos Axtell, sec.

Downsville—Downsville Fair. Aug. 15-18. M. Meinhold, sec.

Dryden—Dryden Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. Cole, pres.; D. T. Wheeler, treas.; J. B. Wilson, sec.

Dundee—Dundee Fair. Oct. 3-5. S. R. Harpending, pres.; Chas. J. Watson, treas.; Howard L. Woodruff, sec.

Ellenville—Ulster Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. T. Cookingham, pres.; W. Kelly Shook, treas.; W. S. Doyle, sec.

Elmira—Chemung Co. Fair. Sept. 18-22. Frank J. Cassada, pres.; E. J. Young, treas.; Geo. McCann, sec.

Fonda—Montgomery Co. Fair. Aug. 29-31. Wm. B. Charles, pres.; Edw. L. Edwards, treas.; J. B. Martin, sec.

Ft. Edward—Washington Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. A. DeForest, pres.; Geo. W. L. Smith, treas.; Smith's Basin; Rodney Van Wornor, sec.

Franklinville—Agri. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 3. W. N. Sill, sec.

Fredonia—Chataqua Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. H. M. Clarke, sec.

Fulton—Orwego Co. Fair. J. W. Rigley, pres.; Edw. Quirk, treas.; H. L. Platt, sec.

Gouverneur—Gouverneur Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. S. F. Hartley, pres.; F. T. Whitney, treas.; Edw. W. Duffie, sec.

Greene—Riverside Fair. Sept. 12-15. L. E. St. John, pres.; E. S. Walker, treas.; C. Winston, sec.

Hamburg—Erie Co. Fair. Sept. 13-16. Jno. A. Kloepper, pres.; W. H. Abbott, treas.; J. C. Newton, sec.

Haverstraw—Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. T. W. Springsteen, pres.; Tallmans; D. T. Ingles, treas.; Elbert Talman, sec.; Spring Valley.

Hemlock—Hemlock Union Fair. Sept. 4-6. E. A. Thurburn, pres.; W. B. Thurston, treas.; F. A. Thurburn, sec.

Herkimer—Herkimer Co. Fair. Aug. 28-31. H. Edick, jr., pres.; B. Manion, treas.; I. P. Rasbach, sec.

Hornellsville—Hornellsville Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. L. D. Whiting, pres.; Charles Adsit, treas.; Clyde E. Shultz, sec.

Hudson—Columbia Agri. Fair. Sept. 12-14. Jacob P. Mestek, pres.; Fred S. Hallenbeck, treas.; Noah H. Browning, sec.

Ithaca—Tomkins Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Fred E. Bates, pres.; W. B. Georgia, treas.; A. G. Gemlog, sec.

Johnstown—Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. J. L. Getman, pres.; Groversville; C. P. Willard, treas.; Elmer J. Dorn, sec.

Little Valley—Chattaugus Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. C. R. Rodes, pres.; E. L. Campbell, treas.; J. H. Wilcox, sec.

Lockport—Niagara Co. Fair. Sept. 7-10. E. N. Roberts, sec.

Lowville—Lewis Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. John L. Smith, pres.; Constableville; Ira Sharp, treas.; W. S. Windecker, sec.

Lyons—Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 6-9. Wm. T. Jordan, pres.; Lock Berlin; Charles Smart, treas.; E. D. Kippel, sec.

Malone—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Edw. W. Lawrence, pres.; Thomas Adams, treas.; Walter J. Mallon, sec.

Margaretville—Catskill Mountain Fair. Aug. 22-25. H. M. Coulter, pres.; Wm. Mungie, treas.; Thos. Winter, sec.

Middleton—Orange Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Ang. Denniston, pres.; Washingtonville; Henry M. Howell, treas.; David A. Morrison, sec.; Newburgh.

Mineola—Nassau Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. Geo. W. Smith, pres.; Hempstead; Thos. G. Bacon, treas.; Oyster Bay; Lott Van de Walter, jr., sec.; Hempstead.

Monticello—Sullivan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. L. Pelton, pres.; Fred M. Crain, treas.; Leon P. Stratton, sec.

Moravia—Cayuga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Geo. W. Pitts, pres.; Dreesville; Henry A. Wheat, treas.; Willis Kiborne, sec.

Morris—Morris Fair. Oct. 3-5. T. O. Dureo, pres.; New Lisbon; J. W. Shaw, jr., treas.; D. C. Winton, sec.

Naples—Naples Union Fair. Sept. 19-22. F. P. Byington, pres.; D. J. Doughty, treas.; C. L. Lewis, sec.

Nassau—Agri. Fair. Sept. 4-7. W. D. Barnes, pres.; Brainard; C. E. Hoested, treas.; Delmar Lynd, sec.; East Shodorak.

Newark—Newark Fair. Sept. 21-23. J. Dulpha Reeve, pres.; P. B. Sleight, treas.; W. H. Hyde, sec.

Newark Valley—Northern Tioga Fair. Aug. 29-31. Chas. H. Barnes, pres.; E. F. Beldon, treas.; G. E. Porple, sec.

New City—Rockland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Chas. M. Stafford, pres.; Spring Valley; Jno. C. Schmersahl, treas.; A. A. Vanderhilt, sec.

Norwich—Chenango Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. E. White, pres.; Chas. H. Hale, treas.; L. D. Smith, sec.

Ogdensburg—Oswegatchie Fair. Dates not set. Wm. H. Daniels, pres.; Wm. M. Stebbins, treas.; C. B. Herriman, sec.

Oneida—Oneida Fair. Sept. 20-23. A. L. Nixdorf, pres.; G. L. Schudie, treas.; C. C. Tower, sec.

Oneonta—Oneonta Union Fair. Sept. 18-21. Walter L. Brown, pres.; Henry M. Bard, treas.; S. L. Huntington, sec.

Orangeburg—Rockland Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. W. Springsteen, pres.; Talman; D. T. Ingalls, treas.; Spring Valley; Elbert Talman, sec.; Spring Valley.

Owego—Tioga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Lewis S. Leonard, pres.; A. W. Parmelee, treas.; L. W. Kingman, sec.

Palmyra—Palmyra Union Fair. Sept. 28-30. Chas. D. Johnson, pres.; H. G. Chapman, treas.; E. S. Averill, sec.

Perry—Silver Lake Fair. Sept. 26-29. S. W. Hart, sec.

Penn Yan—Yates Co. Agri. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. J. Hinson, pres.; Geo. H. Remer, treas.; Jno. E. Watkins, sec.

Phoenix—Onondago Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. O'Brien, pres.; N. A. Hughes, treas.; C. K. Williams, sec.

Plattsburgh—Clinton Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. H. A. Wood, pres.; W. L. Pattison, treas.; W. T. Burielgh, sec.

Port Richmond—Richmond Co. Fair. Dates not set. Edw. P. Doyle, sec.

Potsdam—Berkett Valley & St. Regis Valley Fair. Sept. 6-9. A. D. Heath, pres.; Geo. W. Fuller, sec.; R. H. Bryns, sec.

Poughkeepsie—Dutchess Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. M. Booth, sec.

Prattsburg—Prattsburg Union Fair. Sept. 12-15. Henry G. Sklaner, pres.; Wm. B. Pratt, treas.; Leverage Thomas, sec.

Reed Corners—Gorham Fair. Dates not set. G. W. Elwell, pres.; G. W. Powell, treas.; T. Benton Pierce, sec.

Richfield Springs—Richfield Springs Fair. Sept. 11-13. M. O. Towne, pres.; O. A. Chamberlain, sec.; Jno. Gyer, treas.

Riverhead—Suffolk Agri. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Edw. Thompson, pres.; Northport; Harry Howell, treas.; Harry Lee, sec.

Rome—Oneida Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Henry Barnard, jr., pres.; L. Mittenmaier, jr., treas.; J. B. Cushman, sec.

Sandy Creek—Sandy Creek Fair. Aug. 22-25. Ward W. Stevens, prop.; G. T. Smith, treas.; H. Lonis Wallace, sec.

Sandy Hill—Fair. Aug. 8-11. Schenevus Valley—Fair. Aug. 16-18. H. Bernard, pres.; E. J. Goddard, treas.; W. A. Pier, sec.

Schoharie—Schoharie Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. Geo. A. Vroman, pres.; Middleburg; Arthur Sholtes, treas.; Clyde H. Proper, sec.

Syracuse—New York State Fair. Sept. 11-16. Wm. Bruce, New York City; C. A. Watling, vice-pres.; Cobleskill; S. G. Shaver, sec.

Troupsburg—Southern Steuben Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. Simpson, pres.; H. L. Peirce, treas.; E. H. Austin, sec.

Trumansburg—Union Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. William T. Biggs, pres.; Horace A. Mosher, treas.; Guy O. Hinman, sec.

Vernon—Vernon Fair. Sept. 26-28. F. A. Cody, pres.; D. W. Hart, treas.; C. G. Simmonds, sec.

Walton—Delaware Valley Fair. Sept. 5-8. A. F. Reynolds, pres.; W. A. Shepherd, treas.; P. S. McNeely, sec.

Warsaw—Wyoming Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. W. H. Roeper, pres.; Irving G. Botaford, treas.; Wm. E. Webster, sec.

Warrensburg—Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Henry Griffing, pres.; Louis E. Reoux, treas.; Fred J. Hayes, sec.

Waterloo—Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. A. W. Huff, pres.; H. B. Becker, treas.; Edward Nugent, sec.

Watertown—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. H. K. Cole, pres.; Evans' Mills; E. C. Maxson, treas.; Adams Center; W. E. Skeels, sec.

Watkins—Schuyler Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14. Frank Wangh, pres.; W. S. Wangh, treas.; Arthur N. Goltry, sec.

Wellsville—Wellsville Fair. Aug. 22-25. Oak Duke, pres.; Jno. B. Jones, treas.; F. D. Rice, sec.

Westport—Essex Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jas. M. Graef, pres.; C. E. Stevens, sec.; A. J. Daniels, treas.

West Sand Lake—Rensselaer Co. Fair. Aug. 23-28. Henry J. Best, pres.; Fayette Thomas, treas.; Oscar J. Lewis, sec.; Castleton.

Whitney's Point—Broome Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Robt. S. Parsons, Ellinghamton; P. H. Landers, treas.; Fred. E. Allen, sec.

White Plains—Westchester Co. Fair. Sept. 25-30. Moses ... Gaylor, pres.; Jos. B. Lee, treas.; Edw. B. Long, sec.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Crystal—Tri-County Fair. July 3-5. W. J. Greenwood, pres.; Jno. F. Appleton, treas.; Fred. W. Stafford, sec.

Grand Forks—N. D. State Fair. Dates not set. D. V. Moore, sec.

OHIO.

Akron—Summitt Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. Jno. F. Moore, pres.; Copley, E. F. D. No. 39; G. W. Brewster, treas.; O. J. Swinehart, sec.

Athens—Athens Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. A. Murphy, pres.; E. R. Walker, treas.; H. R. Hanning, sec.

Attica—Attica Union Fair. Sept. 26-29. H. M. Kaufman, pres.; J. Nelson Starr, treas.; Dr. D. V. Huke, sec.

Bantam—Clermont Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Bellefontaine—Logan Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Jno. A. Horner, pres.; Jno. P. Aiken, sec.

Berea—West Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. O. B. Stone, sec.

Bianchester—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. J. R. Ross, pres.; E. Goodwin, treas.; Miner Swan, sec.

Boston—Clermont Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. G. M. Roodenush, pres.; Newtonstown; J. C. Rapp, treas.; John Rowan, sec.; 2118 Monroe ave., Norwood.

Bowling Green—Bowling Green Fair. Sept. 26-30. R. S. Sweet, sec.

Bucyrus—Crawford Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. J. W. Stockman, pres.; W. A. Blucks, treas.; D. W. Hurr, sec.

Burton—Geauga Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. S. Ford, sec.

Cadiz—Harrison Co. Fair. Oct. 3-5. E. B. Kirby, sec.

Canal Dover—Tuscarawas Co. Fair. Oct. 17-20. Carrollton—Carroll Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. M. O. Cooper, pres.; Magnolia; T. J. Salsman, treas.; C. A. Tope, sec.

Candfield—Mahoning Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. B. L. Manchester, Salem.

Celina—Mercer Co. Fair. Aug. 21-25. C. F. Kroger, pres.; W. H. Romer, treas.; St. Henry; Fred Helby, Ft. Recovery.

Chagrin Falls—Cuyahoga Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. F. C. Gates, sec.

Chandlersville—Muskingum Co. Fair. Dates not set. G. K. Browning, pres.; A. F. Vest, treas.; B. Y. White, sec.

Chillicothe—Scioto Valley Fair. Aug. 23-26. F. M. DeWeese, pres.; F. Earl DeWeese, sec.

Cincinnati—Hamilton Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. D. L. Sampson, sec.

Clarksville—Clinton and Warren Co. Fair. Aug. 8-10. Warren A. Brady, pres.; F. L. Miller, treas.; Mrs. V. A. Gorham, sec.

Columbus—Ohio State Fair. Sept. 4-8. W. W. Miller, sec.

Coshocton—Coshocton Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. W. Simons, pres.; W. B. Miller, treas.; Robt. Boyd, sec.

Croton—Hartford Central Fair. Sept. 13-15. W. E. Hatfield, pres.; Centerburg; C. L. McCracken, treas.; W. H. Siegfried, sec.

Dayton—Montgomery Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. Eaton—Preble Co. Fair. Sept. 11-15. Noah Miller, pres.; West Manchester; C. F. Brooks, jr., treas.; G. W. Dangerty, sec.

Elyria—Lorain Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. E. Miller, pres.; L. D. Hamlin, treas.; Anthony Neiding, sec.

Findlay—Hancock Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2. Wm. Demland, sec.

Gallipolis—Gallia Co. Fair. Aug. 16-18. W. M. Doffy, pres.; Point Pleasant, W. Va.; F. G. Mungrove, sec and treas.; Point Pleasant, W. Va.

Greenville—Great Dark Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. M. Brown, pres.; Arcanum; Ed. Ammon, treas.; Gordon; J. M. Hall, sec.

Jefferson—Ashtabula Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. W. H. Dodge, pres.; Dodgeville; C. C. Babcock, treas.; J. M. Roberts, sec.

Kenton—Hardin Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. M. Thompson, sec.

Kinsman—Kinsman Fair. Aug. 29-31. H. J. Wald, pres.; J. A. Hamilton, treas.; H. J. Fobes, sec.

Lancaster—Fairfield Co. Fair. Oct. 11-14. W. T. McGlenaghan, sec.

Lebanon—Warren Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. A. D. Smith, pres.; Geo. W. Carey, sec.

Lisbon—Columbiana Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. F. Moore, sec.

Lima—Allen Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. A. States, pres.; West Cairo; G. B. Fetter, treas.; T. E. Bowersock, sec.

Lima—Lima Fair. June 27-30. F. E. Baxter, sec.

London—Madison Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. McConnellsville—Moran Co. Fair. Sept. 26-28. Benj. F. Reed, pres.; Harry M. Finley, treas.; Geo. H. Black, sec.

Mansfield—Richland Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. W. H. Shylock, pres.; Jno. Hale, treas.; Jno. H. Coes, sec.

Marietta—Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Hiram True, pres.; Lower Salem; C. W. Zimmerman, treas.; Stanleyville; Jas. F. Hovey, sec.

Marion—Marion Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. A. Knapp, sec.

Marysville—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. O. Johnson, pres.; Homer Sootbard, treas.; W. F. Broderick, sec.

Mason—Mason Fair. Dates not set. J. A. Rebold, pres.; J. W. Buck, treas.; W. H. Williamson, sec.

Medina—Medina Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. O. O. Van Dusen, sec.

Ottawa—Fulton Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. D. W. Williams, sec.

Middleburg—Butler Co. Fair. Oct. 3-6. Montpelier—Williams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-16. Jacob Fayer, pres.; C. C. Lattanner, sec.

Mount Joy—Scioto Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. T. Blackburn, pres.; Barden; W. A. McGeorge, sec.

Napoleon—Napoleon Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Haous, pres.; E. B. Heller, treas.; J. L. Hatter, sec.

Newark—Licking Co. Fair. Oct. 3-7. W. H. Kussenmand, pres.; Greenville; E. M. Sigler, treas.; Homer; J. M. Farmer, sec.

New Bremen—New Bremen Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Theo. E. Tangeman, sec.

New Lexington—New Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Chas. C. Chappellear.

Ottawa—Putnam Co. Fair. Oct. 3-7. W. J. Varner, pres.; Sam Cartwright, treas.; A. F. Sandles, sec.

Paulding—Paulding Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Allen Bybee, pres.; Jno. A. Jenkins, sec.

Richmond—Richmond Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. L. Horn, pres.; L. P. Albright, treas.; H. C. Duke, sec.

Richwood—Richwood Tri-Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. L. Horn.

Ripley—Ripley Fair. Aug. 8-11. L. H. Wilhams, sec.

Rome—Rome Fair. Sept. 29-29. Jno. Gregg, sec.; Sunbury.

Russellville—Russellville Fair. Oct. 12. J. D. Selp, pres.; T. M. Sallibur, treas.; J. C. Miller, sec.

St. Clairsville—Belmont Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. D. S. Creamer, pres.; W. T. Judkins, treas.; J. H. Taylor, sec.

Sandusky—Erie Co. Fair. Sept. 12-13. T. H. Zerbo, sec.

Sardinia—Brown Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Farmer-Kennedy, sec.

Sidney—Sbelby Co. Fair. Sept. 12-13. D. J. Gargill, pres.; Jno. Dnncean, treas.; J. E. Russell, sec.

Smithfield—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 27-29. Alonzo Hagan, pres.; Adena; Chas. McKinney, treas.; J. O. Hayoe, sec.

Somersett—Northern Perry Co. Fair. Oct. 18-30. J. H. Yarnell, sec.

Springfield—Clark Co. Fair. Aug. 23-26. S. Van Bird, sec.

Summersfield—Summersfield Fair. Sept. 19-22. W. W. McClintock, sec.

Sycamore—Sycamore Fair. Oct. 17-20. J. L. Curlls, pres.; Geo. A. Klahr, treas.; M. Vance, sec.

Tiffin—Seneca Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. H. Knapp, pres.; Republic; E. T. Winsted, treas.; Morgan E. Ink, sec.; Republic.

Upper Sandusky—Wyandot Co. Fair. Oct. 2-4. H. E. Hedger, pres.; Peter Frank, jr., treas.; A. F. Schoenberg, sec.

Urbana—Champaign Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. Van Wert—Van Wert Fair. Sept. 12-15. E. F. Leslie, pres.; Conroy; E. B. Gilliland, treas.; E. V. Walborn, sec.

Wapakoneta—Auglase Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Chas. Frazier, pres.; Unopolls; T. E. Bowsher, treas.; A. E. Schaffer, sec.

Warren—Trumbull Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. M. A. McClain, sec.

Washington—Guernsey Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. J. F. St. Clair, sec.

Washington Co. H.—Fayette Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. G. Allen, sec.

West Union—Adams Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. T. W. Ellison, sec.

Willington—Clinton Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Wellington—Wellington Fair. Aug. 22-25. Woodstock—Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 1. W. C. Mooney, pres.; Geo. F. Dorr, sec.

Wooster—Wayne Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Jno. O. McClaren, pres.; W. A. Wilson, treas.; G. J. Embright, sec.; Shreve.

Xenia—Greene Co. Fair. Aug. 8-11. Zaneville—Muskingum Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Geo. K. Browning, pres.; R. Y. White, sec.; Chandlersville; A. F. Vest, treas.

OKLAHOMA.

Blackwell—Blackwell Inter-State Fair. Oct. 16-22. Wm. Bockholz, pres.; W. H. Thompson, treas.; E. P. Blake, sec.

Deer Creek—Grant Co. Fair. Oct. 10-18. A. T. Dungan, pres.; T. J. Hartman, treas.; C. F. Eberle, sec.

Newkirk—Kay Co. Fair. Oct. 9-12. E. Spore, pres.; Harry Thompson, sec.

Oklahoma City—Oklahoma Co. Fair. Oct. 23-25. Shawnee—Pottawatomie Co. Fair. Nov. 6-11.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Allentown—Lehigh Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Hoo. Jeremiah, pres.; Milton J. Kern, treas.; H. B. Schall, sec.

Bedford—Bedford Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Jno. Line, pres.; Wm. I. Eicholtz, sec.

Bethlehem—Pennsylvania State Fair. Sept. 6-8. J. Walter Lovatt, pres.; W. M. Applegate, treas.; H. A. Gorman, sec.

Bloomsburg—Columbia Co. Fair. Oct. 10-13. E. P. Hagenbuch, pres.; A. N. Yost, sec.

Brookville—Jefferson Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. B. Heuderson, sec.

Burgetstown—Union Fair. Oct. 2-5. D. J. Dowden, mgr.; W. A. Coryson, treas.; R. P. Stevenson, sec.

Butler—Driving Park and Fair. Aug. 22-25. Geo. A. Schaffner, pres.; E. W. Bingham, treas.; I. J. McBride, sec.

Cambridge Springs—Cambridge Fair. Aug. 22-25. E. E. Humes, pres.; J. O. Sherrerd, treas.; Albert S. Faber, sec.

Carlisle—Cumberland Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. E. M. Mullin, pres.; W. H. McCrea, sec.

Clarion—Clarion Co. Fair. Sept. 5-11. Conneaut Lake—Conneaut Lake Fair. Aug. 28-Sept. 1. Cuaa. T. Byers, sec.

Corry—Corry Fair. Sept. 11-14. J. J. Desmond, pres.; Manly Crosby, treas.; S. D. Horn, sec.

Dayton—Dayton Fair. Sept. 26-29. Wm. Gallagher, pres.; O. H. Good, treas.; W. O. Marshall, sec.

Edinboro—Edinboro Fair. Aug. 15-17. C. W. Billings, sec.

Forkville—Sullivan Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Fred. Newell, pres.; A. G. Little, treas.; Ulysses Bird, sec.

Gratz—Gratz Fair. Sept. 15-18. C. A. Hoff, pres.; Lykins; T. S. Klinger, treas.; D. S. Klinger, sec.

Hanover—Hanover Fair. Sept. 12-15. E. M. Wirt, pres.; T. J. Little, treas.; M. O. Smith, sec.

Honesdale—Wayne Co. Fair. Dates not set. W. L. Ferguson, pres.; Seelyville; J. V. Starnes, treas.; Bethany; E. W. Gammell, sec.

Huntington—Huntington Co. Fair. Sept. 5-9. L. R. Lester, pres.; H. D. Bolner, treas.; Hugo Mayer, sec.

Indiana—Indiana Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. M. F. Jamison, pres.; A. W. Mabon, treas.; David Blair, sec.

Johnstown—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 12-15. Chas. Young, pres.; Geo. C. Jordan, treas.; Dr. M. C. Kohler, sec.

Kittanning—Armstrong Co. Fair. Aug. 15-18. E. J. McGiven, pres.; O. J. Jessop, treas.; W. E. Noble, sec.

Lehighton—Carbon Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. E. Brinkman, pres.; W. H. Obert, treas.; A. F. Greenwall, sec.

Lewisburg—Union Co. Fair. Sept. 26-29. Geo. B. Frederick, pres.; Renben Kline, treas.; Bucknell; C. Dale Wolfe, sec.; Bucknell.

Madisonville—Lackawanna Grange Fair. Sept. 23-29. J. A. Yrager, pres.; E. J. Mansfield, treas.; Lionel Winslip, sec.; Moscow.

Mansfield—Mansfield Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. M. Clark, pres.; W. D. Husted, treas.; H. E. Hoard, sec.

Milton—Great Milton Fair. Oct. 3-6. Wm. H. Hackenburg, pres.; Edw. Paul, sec.

Montrose—Susquehanna Co. Fair. Sept. 15-18. F. I. Lott, pres.; R. E. Bosa, treas.; F. A. Davis, sec.

Nashville—Northampton Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. C. S. Messenger, pres.; Latapp; J. E. Reinheimer, sec.

Newport—Perry Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. D. H. Sheffley, pres.; T. H. Buttkuf, treas.; J. C. F. Stephens, sec.

Oxford—Oxford Fair. Sept. 27-29. S. E. Nivlin, pres.; Landenburg; F. G. Andrews, treas.; H. C. Thomas, sec.

Palaski—Palaski Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Punksutawney—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Ben Record, sec.

Reading—Great Reading Fair. Oct. 3-4. Jas. McGowan, pres.; Gieger's Mills; Milford N. Etter, treas.; H. Seidel Throm, sec.

Stoneboro—Stoneboro Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Vernon, pres.; Robt. F. Cann, treas.; Geo. H. Fowler, sec.

Stroudsburg—Monroe Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. J. S. Williams, pres.; O. F. Phillips, treas.; F. B. Overfield, sec., East Stroudsburg.

Towanda—Bradford Co. Fair. Sept. 20-29. William J. McCabe, pres.; M. E. Horton, treas.; Chas. Culvert, sec.

Troy—Troy Fair. Sept. 12-15. Liston Bliss, pres.; L. H. Oliver, treas.; D. F. Pomeroy, sec.

Williams' Grove—Grange Inter-State Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. R. A. Thomas, pres., Mechanicsburg.

Youngwood—Westmoreland Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. D. Barnhart, pres.; Mt. Pleasant; D. B. Fisher, treas.; F. M. Waughman, sec., Harrison City.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Columbia—State Fair. Oct. 23-27. G. A. Guignard, pres.; A. Gamewell LaMotte, treas.; A. W. Love, sec.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Belle Fourche—Belle Fourche Fair. Dates not set. Frank R. Cook, pres.; A. H. Maxwell, sec.

TENNESSEE.

Alexandria—DeKalb Co. Fair. Sept. 7-8. D. D. Overall, pres.; J. W. Wood, treas.; Bob Roy, sec.

Chattanooga—Merchants' Fair. Sept. 23-30. Clarksville—Montgomery Fair. Dates not set. Jas. F. Shelton, pres.; W. R. Shelton, treas.; W. R. Beach, sec.

Cleveland—Farmers' Fair. Dates not set. M. V. Jones, pres.; Jno. W. Cate, sec.

Columbia—Maury Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. Gallatin—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 9-12.

Murfreesboro—Rutherford Co. Fair. Aug. 30-Sept. 2.

Newport—Appalachian Fair. Oct. 10-12. James R. Stokely, pres.; J. M. Jones, treas.; K. W. Hooper, sec.

Trenton—Gibson Co. Fair. Oct. 11-14. T. J. Hapell, pres.; W. B. McRae, treas.; Chas. L. Wade, sec.

Union City—West Tennessee Fair. Sept. 20-30. W. C. Farris, pres.; H. Dietz, treas.; J. W. Woodley, sec.

TEXAS.

Arady—Trans-Colorado Exposition. July 3-8. H. H. Doss, sec.

Bryan—Central Texas Fair. Oct. 17-20. W. R. Howell, pres.; H. A. Burger, treas.; Tom A. Seary, sec.

Dallas—Texas State Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 15. O. A. Keating, pres.; J. B. Adoue, treas.; Sydney Smith, sec.

Greenville—Hunt Co. Fair. Sept. 26-30. J. O. Hayter, pres.; Jas. Ormsted, treas.; H. L. Carpenter, sec.

Correllana—C. T. N. Fair. Aug. 9-12. G. Phillips, sec., box 484.

Kerrville—West Texas Fair. Sept. 7-9. Charles Reel, sec.

Llano—Llano Co. Fair. Sept. 28-30. S. D. Rauntee, pres.; C. L. Boynton, sec.

San Antonio—San Antonio Fair. Oct. 21-Nov. 1. Jno. W. Kokernot, pres.; S. B. Weller, treas.; J. M. Vance, sec.

Taylor—Taylor Fair. July 4-6. John F. Black, sec.

UTAH.

Salt Lake City—Desert Agrl. and Mfg. Fair. Oct. 2-7. J. G. McDonald, pres.; Wm. Batsman, sec.

VERMONT.

Bradford—Bradford Fair. Aug. 29-31. T. J. Albee, pres.; E. W. Cunningham, treas.; M. A. Jenkins, sec.

Brattleboro—Valley Fair. Sept. 27-28. G. W. Pierce, pres.; F. C. Adams, treas.; D. E. Tasker, sec.

East Hardwick—Caledonia Grange Fair. Sept. 23. Geo. Lovejoy, pres.; F. B. Fay, sec. and treas.

Manchester—Battenkill Valley Fair. Sept. 12-14. E. B. Smith, pres.; D. H. Dyes, treas.; Dr. J. F. Page, sec.

Middlebury—Addison County Fair. Sept. 5-8. Frank C. Dyer, pres.; W. Salisbury; C. E. Finney, treas.; Fred L. Hamilton, sec., West Salisbury.

Morrisville—Lamville Valley Fair. Aug. 29-31. G. M. Powers, pres.; O. M. Waterman, sec.

Northfield—Dog River Valley Fair. Sept. 19-21. Geo. B. Colby, pres.; Williamstown; A. E. Denney, treas.; F. G. Fisher, sec.

Rutland—Rutland Co. Fair. Sept. 12-14. D. W. Temple, pres.; W. R. Kinsman, treas.; Walter A. Clark, sec.

Albany—Franklin Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. C. W. Gates, pres.; Franklin; C. A. Glover, sec.; S. P. Twigs, treas.

St. Johnsbury—Caledonia Co. Fair. Sept. 19-21. E. M. Taft, pres.; H. A. Stanley, sec. and treas.

Springfield—Springfield Fair. Sept. 12-13. E. C. Crosby, pres.; Geo. F. Leland, treas.; Fred C. Davis, sec.

Waterbury—Winoochi Valley Fair. Sept. 12-14. G. E. Moody, pres.; W. B. Elliott, treas.; Chas. Keene, sec.

Woodstock—Windsor Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. A. R. Fuller, pres.; C. H. English, treas.; C. J. Paul, sec.

VIRGINIA.

Lynchburg—Inter-State Fair. Oct. 3-4. Carter Glass, pres.; S. T. Withers, treas.; Frank Lovelock, sec.

Norfolk—Norfolk Fair. Oct. 16-21. C. O. Wren, pres., P. O. box 296.

Tasley—Tasley Fair. Aug. 8-11.

Tappahannock—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8-11. J. W. Blackstone, pres.; Wm. Hopkins, sec.

WASHINGTON.

Everett—Seaboard Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. T. F. Oliver, pres.; Jos. A. Swallow, treas.; Dan Currie, sec.

North Yakima—Washington State Fair. Oct. 2-7.

Puyallup—Valley Fair. Oct. 3-8. W. J. Bowman, pres.; W. D. Cotter, treas.; J. P. Nevins, sec.

Spokane—Spokane Inter-State Fair. Oct. 9-15. Howell W. Peck, pres.; E. J. Dyer, treas.; Robt. H. Cogrove, sec.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Martinsburg—Inwood Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. J. F. Thompson, pres.; F. E. Willson, treas.; C. W. Boyer, sec.

Middlebourne—Tyler Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. S. Stanley, pres.; W. E. Kirchner, treas.; ture. Sept. 11-15. Geo. McKerrrow, pres.; J. New. Martinsville—Weiser Co. Fair. Aug. 14-17. Justus Eackin, pres.; J. A. Fyles, treas.; J. R. Thora, sec.

Pennsboro—Pennsboro Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. E. E. Wells, pres.; Wm. A. Strickler, sec.

Shepherdstown—Morgan's Grove Fair. Sept. 5-8. Weynon, pres.; John P. Kearfoot, treas.; E. T. Licklider, sec.

Weston—Lewis Co. Fair. Sept. 11-14.

Wheeling—Exposition and State Fair. Sept. 11-15. A. Reymann, pres.; Geo. Hook, sec.

WISCONSIN.

Amberst—Portage Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. W. J. Niven, pres.; Sheridan; L. A. Pomeroy, treas.; A. J. Smith, sec.

Antigo—Langlade Co. Fair. Sept. 10-12.

Appleton—Appleton Agrl. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. Jos. Kofland, Jr., sec.

Ashland—Ashland Co. Fair. Aug. 22-24. W. G. Nohl, sec.

Augusta—Eau Claire Co. Fair. Dates not set. Geo. Billis, pres.; A. E. Brandford, treas.; Birt Fredericks, sec.

Baraboo—Sauk Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Chas. Wild, pres.; Frank Shultz, treas.; S. A. Pelton, sec.

Beaverdam—Dodge Co. Fair. Sept. 25-29. A. L. Wallace, pres.; H. B. Drake, treas.; C. W. Harvey, sec.

Beloit—Inter-State Fair. Aug. 15-18. Geo. G. Cram, pres.; D. H. Tanock, treas.; T. D. Corcoran, sec.

Berlin—Berlin Agrl. Fair. Aug. 22-25. H. W. Tempe, pres.; E. Grant Bunce, treas.; W. J. Clement, sec.

Black River Falls—Jackson Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. Jno. Bolger, pres.; O. F. Olson, treas.; E. L. Ormsby, sec.

Boscobel—Boscobel Fair. Oct. 4-6. Jacob Scott, pres.; Joe E. Nanert, treas.; Louis B. Euka, sec.

Cedarburg—Cedarburg Fair. Sept. 21-23. Jacob Dietrich, sec.

Chilton—Calumet Co. Fair. Aug. 31-Sept. 2. Fred. Horman, pres.; New Holstein; Winfield S. Lloyd, treas.; Gregory Dorschel, sec.

Chippewa Falls—Northern Wisconsin State Fair. Aug. 28-31. Robt. B. Clark, sec.

Cumberland—Cumberland Fair. Sept. 6-8. A. H. Larson, sec.

Darlington—Lafayette Co. Fair. Aug. 22-25. Geo. Ward, sec.

Dodgeville—Jowa Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Jno. I. Hahn, sec.

Elkhorn—Walworth Co. Fair. Sept. 18-23. H. C. Norris, sec.

Elroy—Elroy Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. P. A. Cleary, sec.

Evansville—Rock Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. W. Gillies, sec.

Fond du Lac—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. W. Watson, sec.

Galesville—Galesville Fair. Aug. 29-31. S. C. French, sec.

Gay's Mills—Central Agrl. Fair. Dates not set. Atley Peterson, pres.; Soldiers' Grove; N. Jurgeson, treas.; E. G. Briggs, sec.

Hillsboro—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 12-15. A. N. Jones, sec.

Hortonsville—Outagamie Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. A. L. Murphy, sec.

Iron River—Bayfield Co. Fair. Sept. 5-7. Geo. W. Ripley, sec.

Jefferson—Jefferson Co. and Rock River Valley Fair. Sept. 26-29. W. H. Carlin, pres.; O. F. Boester, sec.

Kilbourn City—Lac Seul Co. Fair. Oct. 2-5. Nat. Wetzel, pres.; D. Wintermote, treas.; Geo. H. Campbell, sec.

La Crosse—Inter-State Fair. Sept. 25-30. T. H. Spence, pres.; E. M. Wing, treas.; C. B. VanAuken, sec.

Lancaster—Grant Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Geo. A. Moore, sec.

Lodi—Lodi Union Fair. Sept. 12-14. A. E. Hinds, sec.

Madison—Dane Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. M. W. Terwilliger, sec.

Manitowoc—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. Chas. G. Hacker, sec.

Marshfield—Central Wis. State Fair. Sept. 18-21. Geo. W. Welton, sec.

Medford—Taylor Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. F. M. Shaw, pres.; L. A. Malar, treas.; W. G. Toone, sec.

Merrill—Lincoln Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. H. R. Fehland, pres.; Wm. F. Peterman, treas.; J. W. Bruce, sec.

Menominee—Dunn Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. J. B. Chierling, pres.; F. A. Vasay, treas.; Geo. Gallaway, sec.

Milwaukee—Wisconsin State Board of Agriculture. Sept. 1-15. Geo. McKerrrow, pres.; J. J. Kempf, treas.; Jno. M. True, sec.

Mineral Point—Southern Wis. Fair. Aug. 15-18. T. M. Pringley, sec.

Mondovi—Buffalo Co. Fair. Sept. 20-22. C. E. Otis, pres.; N. A. Peeso, treas.; M. O. Fisher, sec.

Monroe—Green Co. Fair. Sept. 18-19. W. Ludlow, pres.; L. A. Honger, treas.; Willart T. Saucerman, sec.

Neillsville—Clark Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. J. W. Hommel, pres.; G. L. Redmond, treas.; H. C. Clark, sec.

New Richmond—New Richmond Fair. Sept. 19-22. O. J. Williams, pres.; F. E. Winter, treas.; L. A. Baker, sec.

Oconto—Oconto Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. E. Chase, sec.

New London—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 20-29. Phillips—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 20-29. F. K. Randall, sec.

Platteville—Big Badger Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. C. H. Gribble, sec.

Plymouth—Sheboygan Co. Fair. Sept. 4-7. Otto Gaffron, sec.

Portage—Columbia Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8. J. H. Wells, pres.; B. N. McConchie, treas.; J. E. Jones, sec.

Reedburg—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 5-8. W. A. Sholte, sec.

Richland Centre—Richland Co. Fair. Sept. 20-29. J. W. Martin, pres.; Gotham, Wis.; M. C. Lybrand, treas.; W. F. Fogo, sec.

Rome—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 14-16.

Seymour—Seymour Fair. Sept. 28-30. Peter Tinba, pres.; H. J. VanVuren, sec.

Shelbyville—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 6-9.

Spring Green—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 20-22. E. M. Davis, sec.

Viroqua—Vernon Co. Fair. Sept. 12-15. F. M. Almsdahl, pres.; J. M. McLeese, sec.

Watson—Marathon Co. Fair. Sept. 5-8.

Wautoma—Agrl. Fair. Sept. 27-29. F. F. Wehmer, sec.

West Bend—Washington Co. Fair. Sept. 18-20. W. P. Rix, sec.

Westfield—Marquette Co. Fair. Aug. 29-Sept. 1. W. P. Fuller, Jr., sec.

Weyauwega—Waupaca Co. Fair. Sept. 19-22. E. M. Hill, sec.

WYOMING.

Cherrone—Frontier Park Fair. Sept. 4-6. Edw. Hoffman, pres.; J. L. Murray, treas.; C. B. Richardson, sec.

CANADA.

Alexander—County Fair. Sept. 21. C. F. Macdonald, sec.

Alvinston—Fair. Oct. 3-4.

Almyer—Canada's Great Co. Fair. Sept. 4-8. D. H. Price, sec.

Bowmanville—West Durham Fair. Sept. 29. M. A. James, sec.

Braudon, Man.—Western Man. Fair. Aug. 1-4. F. J. Clark, mgr.

Brigden—Fair. Oct. 3.

Brockville—Co. Fair. Sept. 21. R. H. Field, sec.

Calgary, N. W. Ter.—Inter-Western Pacific Ex. July 19-20. Chas. W. Peterson, sec.

Campbellford—Campbellford Fair. Sept. 29. G. A. Hay, sec.

Carberry, Man.—Norfolk Fair. July 19-20. C. H. Brooks, sec.

Carman, Man.—Dufferin Agrl. Fair. July 6-7. T. Kernighan, sec.

Cartwright, Man.—Cartwright Fair. July 18-19. A. W. Bagwell, sec.

Chatham—West Kent Dist. Fair. Sept. 26-28. A. J. Dolan, pres.; E. G. Fleming, treas.; Henry Robinson, sec.

Collingwood, Ont.—Great Northern Exhibition. Sept. 26-27. W. A. Hogg, pres.; Jas. Gullfoyle, treas.; J. W. Archer, sec.

Crambo—Blenheim Fair. Sept. 26-27. T. B. Telfer, sec.

Crystal City, Man.—Mountaia Agrl. Fair. July 13-14. W. G. Duff, sec.

Cypress River, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 21. Jas. McDoie, sec.

Danphin, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8. T. Whitmore, sec.

Deloraine, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 20-21. P. C. Sheppard, sec.

Dunville—Dunville Fair. Sept. 26-27.

Edmonton, N. W. Ter.—Industrial Ex. June 29-July 1. F. Fraser Tims, sec.

Elkhorn, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 17-18. W. M. Cushing, sec.

Forest—Fair. Oct. 5-6.

Gladstone, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Bridge, sec.

Glenco—Fair. Sept. 26-27.

Hanmiota, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 11. A. D. McConnell, sec.

Hartney, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 18-19. T. B. Woodhall, sec.

Kemptville—Oxford Fair. Sept. 24-25. L. H. Guest, sec.

Killarney, Man.—Southern Man. Fair. Aug. 8-10. J. Schubar, sec.

Kingston, Ont.—Kingston Dist. Fair. Dates not set. Mayor R. McFarland, pres.; C. W. Wright, treas.; J. Morgan Shaw, sec.

London—Western Fair. Sept. 8-16. Capt. W. J. Reid, pres.; D. Mackenzie, treas.; J. A. Nelles, sec.

Milton—Milton Fair. Oct. 13. Wm. Hurbottle, sec.

Morden, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 20-21. M. C. Rumball, sec.

Morris, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 10-11. L. J. Elliot, sec.

Nelson, B. C.—Nelson Fair. Sept. 27-29. Jan. J. Johnstone, pres.; J. J. Malone, treas.; J. E. Aushole, sec.

Oak Lake, Man.—Lausdowne Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10. W. J. Hellwill, sec.

Orillia—Orillia Fair. Sept. 14-16. A. B. Thompson, sec.

Ottawa, Ont.—Exhibition. Sept. 8-16. E. McMahon, sec.

Owen Sound—North Grey Fair. Dates not set. G. Mackey, sec.

Paisley—Paisley Fair. Sept. 26-27. J. E. Sheppard, sec.

Paris—North Great Exposition. Sept. 22-29. H. C. O'Neill, sec.

Peterborough—Industrial Exhibition. Sept. 25-27. D. Hughes, pres.; F. J. A. Hall, sec.

Petrolia—Fair. Sept. 21-25.

Portage La Prairie, Man.—Portage & Lakeside Fair. July 18-19. W. Sheppard, sec.

Reufew—Reufew Agrl. Fair. Sept. 26-28. W. S. Smallfield, sec.

Richmond—Richmond Fair. Sept. 26-27. W. McElroy, sec.

Sarnia—Fair. Sept. 25-27.

Sault Ste. Marie—East Algoma Fair. Oct. 3-4. Jno. Dawson, pres.; Wm. Brown, treas. and sec.

Sherbrooke, Ont.—Canada's Eastern Exhibition. Sept. 2-9. C. A. French, pres.; Wm. Tomlinson, sec.

Shoal Lake, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 8. Frank Dobbs, sec.

Strathclair, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 9. A. R. Sutherland, sec.

Strathroy—West Middlesex Fair. Sept. 18-20.

Swan River, Man.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 10. E. J. Darroch, sec.

Toronto—Canadian National Exhibition. Aug. 26-Sept. 12. J. O. Orr, sec.

Watson—Fair. Sept. 25-29.

West London—Fair. Sept. 3-16.

Vankeel Hill, Ont.—Prescott Co. Fair. Sept. 21-23. Alex. A. LeBoy, pres.; Fred. W. Thistlewaite, sec.

Westbourne, Man.—Agrl. Fair. July 21. D. Buage, sec.

Winchester, Ont.—Winchester Fair. Sept. 6-7. Col. F. Ault, pres.; W. Ladamme, sec. and treas.

Champaign, Ill.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Paterson & Brainerd Carn. Co., attr.

Coffeyville, Kan.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. G. W. Parker Am. Co., attr.

Colorado Springs, Col.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Great Gaskill Shows, attr.

Lawrenceville, Ill.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Chicago Am. Ent., attr.

Lima, O.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Hoss & Naumann Shows, attr.

Little Falls, N. Y.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices Exempt Firemen's Assn. Dates not set. W. H. Norris, sec.

Memphis, Mo.—Street Fair. Aug. 2-5. L. P. Roberts, sec.

Seattle, Wash.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Southern Carn. Co., attr.

Sharon, Pa.—Carnival. Auspices Aerle of Eagles, July.

Stanley, Wis.—Street Fair and Carnival. Auspices Merchants and Business Men. Sept. —. (Mo. D. Bartlett, Louis Johnson, Jos. Waldorf, exec. com.)

Sullivan, Mo.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Royal Am. Co., attr.

Tacoma, Wash.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Southern Carn. Co., attr.

Taylorville, Ill.—Carnival and Street Fair. Auspices Merchants Assn. E. R. Logan, sec.

Toronto, Ont.—Big Charity Carnival. Auspices Local Lodge of Elks. June 26-July 1. Great Mundy Shows, attr.

Troy, O.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Hoss & Naumann Shows, attr.

Upper Sandusky, O.—New Street Fair. Auspices Red Men's Lodge No. 145. July 10-15. J. C. Drum, sec. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.

Vidcon, Ill.—Street Fair. July 3-8. Great Bauscher Carn. Co., attr.

Wilmington, N. C.—Carnival. Auspices Eyata Tribe No. 5. I. O. R. M. Oct. —. W. L. West, sec.

Street Fairs and Carnivals.

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Alpena, Mich.—Street Fair. July 10-15. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Alpine, Mich.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Anley, Mich.—Fourth of July Celebration and Farmers' Carnival. July 4. Richard Chapman, sec.

Baltimore, Md.—Rebuilding Celebration. Sept. 10-16. J. Harry Tregoe, pres. assn.

Barberton, O.—Street Fair. June 19-24. O. C. Moon, sec. F. O. E. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Baxter Springs, Kan.—Big Baxter Reunion. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Chas. L. Smith, priv. man.

Bay City, Mich.—Street Fair. July 5-8. Capitol Am. Co., attr.

Barry, Ill.—Street Fair. Aug. 8-12. Baldwin Bros.' Shows, attr.

Bellaire, O.—Carnival. June 19-24. Gem Am. Co., attr.

Belleville, Ont.—Street Fair and Reunion. July 24-25. Arthur McGlinnis, sec.

Billings, Mont.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Collins' Am. Co., attr.

Blackwell, Okla.—Great Mid-summer Jubilee. July 3-8. G. M. Warlener, sec.

Boonville, Mo.—Street Fair. Auspices Eagles. Aug. 14-19. M. J. Koontz, sec.

Bridgeton, N. J.—Fourth Annual Festival and Carnival. Auspices Bridgeton Hospital and Bridgeton Athletic Assn. June 26-July 1. Collins' Am. Co., attr.

Canton, Ill.—K. of P. Carnival. Oct. 2-7. Geo. C. Hoyt, sec.

Canyon City, Tex.—Old Soldiers and Cowboys' Reunion. July 10-15. S. H. Heysler, gen. mgr.

Carroll, Ia.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Great Carthage, Mo.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Great Alamo Shows, attr.

Caruthersville, Mo.—Free Street Fair. July 3-8. G. W. Dashman, sec.

Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Ninth Annual Carnival and Horse Show. Oct. 2-7. G. K. Barton, mgr.

Charleston, Ill.—Uniform Rank K. of P. Carnival Assn. Dates not set.

Chicago Junction, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices F. O. Eagles. June 19-24. W. G. Gulling, sec. Will H. Welder Carn. Co., attr.

Chippewa Falls, Wis.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.

Clinton, Ill.—Street Fair. Auspices Eagles' Club. June 19-24. Lachman-Keetch Shows, attr.

Clyde, Kan.—Fifth District M. W. A. Log Rolling and Watermelon Carnival. Aug. 31-Sept. 1. E. J. Wiese, sec.

Connellsville, Pa.—Military Band Carnival. June 19-24. Continental Am. Co., attr.

Coshocton, O.—Old Home Week. Aug. 7-12. Geo. S. Cato, sec.

Council Bluffs, Ia.—Fourth Annual Street Fair and Carnival. Sept. 4-9. E. A. Troutman, sec.

Covington, Ind.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Monarch Carn. Co., attr.

Fibeam Broa. United Carn. Co., attr.

Cripple Creek, Col.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Dayton, Ky.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Robinson Am. Co., attr.

Decorah, Ia.—Carnival. June 26-July 1.

Denver, Col.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Great Gaskill Shows, attr.

Duluth, Minn.—Enclosed Carnival. Auspices Third Regiment Band. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.

Dumont, N. J.—Firemen's Fair and Carnival. Oct. 3-7. W. S. Shedman, gen. mgr.

Emporia, Kan.—Street Fair. Auspices Neosho Tribe No. 4 Bed Men. Sept. 4-9. L. A. Newton, Jr., sec.

Eric, Pa.—Carnival. Auspices East Erie Turners. July 3-8. Great J. Frank Hatch Shows, attr.

Eric, Pa.—Odd Fellows' Carnival. Auspices I. O. O. F. Temple Assn. July 17-22. C. F. Hummel, Dr. C. H. Harvey and B. B. Brown, L. G. Sternett, committee on arrangements. Great Mundy Shows, attr.

Eric, Pa.—Summer Festival. Benefit of the Hospital. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. L. G. Starrett, mgr.

Fairbury, Ill.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Monarch Carn. Co., attr.

Fargo, N. D.—Street Fair. July 24-29. Collins' Am. Co., attr.

Fairbault, Minn.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Cosmopolitan Am. Co., attr.

Findlay, O.—Free Street Fair. Auspices Pathfinders' Lodge. July 3-8. W. L. Teal, sec. Welder's Carn. Co., attr.

New Street Fairs.

Carlinville, Ill.—Street Fair. June 19-24. Great Bauscher Carn. Co., attr.

Carrollton, Ill.—Street Fair. June 26-July 1. Great Bauscher Carn. Co., attr.

Cartersville, Ill.—Free Street Fair. June 19-24. Alabama Carn. Co., attr.

Flint, Mich.—Golden Jubilee. June 7-8. J. D. Dori and E. O. Wood, sub-committee. Ford City, Pa.—Fifth Annual Street Fair. Auspices Hose Co. No. 1. Aug. 14-19. Chas. T. Keller, sec.

Sheboygan, Wis.—Free Carnival. Aug. 14-20. Sheffield, Ala.—Street Fair. Dates not set. Seymour, Ind.—State Log Rolling, Foresters Encampment and Carnival. Sept. 4-9. L. E. Jennings, sec.

CHAUTAQUAS.

Alabama. Talladega—July 17-Aug. 1. Wellington J. Vandiver. Arkansas. Eureka Springs—July 9-Aug. 6. Homer T. Wilson.

Vincennes—July 29-Aug. 13. E. E. Carr. Winona Lake—July 5-Sept. 1. Sol. C. Dickey, 118 Monument Place, Indianapolis.

Kansas. Beloit—July 16-26. Rev. T. H. J. Taggart, Concordia. Cawker City—Aug. 3-13. E. L. Hockell.

Franklin—Miami Valley Chautauqua. July 21-Aug. 7. F. Gillum Cromer, 13-14 N. Main st., Dayton.

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TENNESSEE.

Monteagle—July 3-Aug. 25. Capt. M. B. Picher, Nashville, Tenn.

VIRGINIA.

Purcellville—Aug. 2-7. C. C. Gaver, Hillsboro, Va.
Shenandoah Valley—July 20-Aug. 4. A. P. Funkhouser, Harrisonburg, Va.

TEXAS.

Waxahachie—July 18-23. Rev. C. C. McConnell, Whiteboro, Tex.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Wheeling (Moundsville)—Aug. 11-18. Rev. C. B. Graham.

WISCONSIN.

Chetek—July 14-24. J. W. Bell.
Delavan—Aug. 12-13. W. A. Cochran.
Janesville—July 28-Aug. 6. H. M. Holbrook, Oak Park, Ill.
Marquette—Aug. 4-18. Geo. W. Hanley.
Madison—Monon's Lake. July 20-Aug. 2. Jas. E. Moseley, Madison.
Racine—July 15-24. Jas. H. Shaw, Bloomington, Ill.
Waupaca—Camp Cleghorn Assembly. Aug. 8-25. H. A. Larson.

EXPOSITIONS.

Baltimore, Md.—Greater Baltimore Exposition and Carnival. June 12-July 1. B. R. Johnson, Piper bldg.
Boston, Mass.—International Electrical Exhibition. Auspices Natl. Association of Electrical Contractors and Electrical Contractors' Assn. of Mass. July 15-22. Chester I. Campbell, mgr., 5 Park sq.
East St. Louis, Ill.—Red Men's Mid-summer Exposition. July 2-9; Edgemont Park. Phil H. Trabant.
Milan, Italy—Exposition. April-Nov., 1905. Signor L. Sabbatini, sec., Mt. Sannese; M. H. Mitchell, S. D.—Seventh Annual Corn Palace Exposition and Free Street Attractions. Sept. 25-30. L. O. Gale.
Norfolk, Va.—Jameson Tercentenary Exposition. May 1 to Dec 1, 1907. C. Brooks Johnson, chrm. exec. com. pro tem.
Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition. June 1-Oct. 15. H. W. Goode, pres.; Henry E. Reed, sec.
Toronto, Can.—Industrial Exhibition. Aug. 28-Sept. 11.
Washington, D. C.—Central American Exposition. Sept. 11.

HORSE SHOWS.

Berryville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 22-24.
Brockton, Mass.—Brockton Fair Horse Show. Oct. 8-6.
Charlottesville, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 8-4.
Culpeper, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 4-5.
Fredericksburg, Va.—Fredericksburg Horse Show. July 12-13. Clarence B. Howard, sec.
Front Royal, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 21-22.
Georgetown, Ky.—Elks' Fair and Horse Show. July 12-13. S. J. Pulliam.
Harrisonburg, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 15-17.
Logansport, Ind.—Horse Show. July 4.
Long Branch, N. Y.—Horse Show. July 26-29.
Lynchburg, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Oct. 3-6.
Macon, Ga.—Macon Fair Assn. Horse Show. Oct. 25-27. Winship Cabaniss.
Manassas, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 28-27.
Norfolk, Va.—Va. Horse Show Association. Oct. 16-21. C. O. Wrenn, pres.; O. W. Smith, mgr., box 247.
Orange, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. July 31-Aug. 1.
Portland, Ore.—Lewis and Clark Exposition, Horse Show. Aug. 23-Sept. 8.
Richmond, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Oct. 10-15.
Warrenton, Va.—The Virginia Horse Show Assn. Aug. 30-31.

LIVE STOCK SHOWS.

Buffalo, N. Y.—National Live Stock Assn. June 29-July 1. C. W. Baker, 153 Exchange bldg., Chicago.
Portland, Ore.—Lewis & Clark Exposition Stock Show. Sept. 19-29.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENTS.

Armour, S. D.—State Firemen's Assn. Tournament. June 20-23. C. W. Glills, Mitchell, S. D.
 Binghamton, N. Y.—Aug. 24.
 Blackduck Minn.—Northern Minn. Firemen's Tournament. June 20-23. L. G. Townsend, sec.
 Rice Lake, Wis.—State Firemen's Tournament. June 21-23. Harry L. Bone.
 Wauson, O.—Northern Ohio Firemen's Tournament. June 19-24. Smith Greater Am. Co. Webb City, Mo.—June 19-24.

BENCH SHOWS.

Dumont, N. Y.—Bench Show. Oct. 3-7. W. S. Shedman.

PICNICS.

Bonner Springs, Kan.—Picnic. July 3-5. H. M. Wise, mgr.
Cleveland, O.—Third Annual Picnic of Knights of The Golden Eagle of Niles. June 24; Luna Park. Wm. Lethbridge, capt.
Chester, W. Va.—Tenth Annual Picnic of K. G. E. of Niles. O. July 6; Rock Springs Park.
Clinton, La.—Myrtle Workers of the World Natl. Picnic. July 22. J. E. Adams, sec., Piano, Ill.
Lafayette, Ky.—C. N. & C. Mutual Aid Assn. June 24. West's Garden.
Louisville, Ky.—Shepherds of Bethlehem. Woodland Grove. June 22. Mrs. Carrie Robinson, 614 E. Kentucky st.
Oak Ridge, Pa.—13th Annual Harvest Home Picnic. Aloha, Grove. Aug. 23-26. Bank Imp. Co., New Bethlehem.
Osceola, Neb.—Polk County Fraternal Picnic Assn. Aug. 22. W. H. Weeden.
Osterburg, Pa.—Twentieth Annual Grangers' Encampment and Picnic. Aug. 15-18. Oster's Grove. Geo. W. Oster.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Odd Fellows' Orphans. June 21-22. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Sixteenth Ward Public Schools. June 26. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Augustine's Church and School. June 27. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Homewood Schools. June 29. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Braunton Schools. June 30. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Michael's Church. July 12. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Herron Avenue Presbyterian Church. July 14. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Knights of The Mystic Chain. July 27. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Forty-sixth Street Baptist Church. Aug. 8. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Letter Carriers. Aug. 19. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—St. Joseph's Orphan Home. Aug. 8. Luna Park.
Pittsburg, Pa.—Observatory Hill Christian Church Sunday School. July 18. Luna Park.
Walnut, Ia.—M. W. A. Picnic. Aug. 17. W. O. Genthman.
York City, Pa.—The O. H. Beneficial Society. July 4. Brookside Park.
York City, Pa.—Lutheran Sunday School of Dover. July 8. Brookside Park.
York City, Pa.—Reformed Sunday School of Dover. July 15. Brookside Park.
York City, Pa.—Mystic Chain Reunion. July 22. Brookside Park.
York City, Pa.—St. Mark's Lutheran Sunday School. East York. July 29. Brookside Park.
York City, Pa.—Memorial Reformed Sunday School. June 24. Cold Spring Park.
York City, Pa.—Ridge Avenue Methodist Episcopal Sunday School. July 1. Cold Spring Park.
York City, Pa.—Haymakers' Assn. July 4. Cold Spring Park.
York City, Pa.—Fifth United Brethren Sunday School. July 8. Cold Spring Park.
York City, Pa.—Emigsville Sunday School. July 22. Cold Spring Park.
York City, Pa.—Young People's Christian Union and the Fifth United Brethren Church of North York. Sept. 4. Cold Spring Park.
York, Neb.—Fraternal Societies of York County Picnic. Aug. 24. A. G. Prullitt.
Youngstown, O.—Massillon P. H. C. July 26; Avon Park.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS.

Abingdon, Ill.—Will Edmondson.
Agency, Ia.—Milo Reno.
Alameda, Cal.—Alameda Advancement Assn., O. S. Neal.
Allegheny, Pa.—Alliance, Neb.
Akron, Ill.—F. C. Krans, chrm.
Annandale, Minn.—Anniston, Ala.—Appleton, Wis.—Aurora, Ind.—Auspices Firemen, I. W. McMahon.
Barnesville, Ohio.—J. H. Reed.
Bellingham, Wash.—Merchants' Assn.
Bessemer, Col.—Pioneer Club.
Bismark, N. D.—Boulder, Col.—Brazil, Ind.—Arthur Davis.
Brockton, Mass.—John A. Billings.
Brookville, Ind.—T. F. Linegar.
Burden, Kan.—Commercial Club.
Canal Dover, O.—Modern Workmen of America.
Carlinville, Ill.—Auspices Old Soldiers and Sailors.
Carthage, N. Y.—Caruthersville, Mo.—Celebration and Free Street Fair. G. W. Dashman.
Charleston, W. Va.—F. O. E., A. O. Potts.
Chicago, Pa.—Chillicothe, O.—B. P. O. E.
Clearfield, Pa.—J. Oliver Kancher.
Columbus, Neb.—Corydon, Ind.—M. W. of A. W. H. Roose.
Coshocton, Ohio.—L. Brendel, pres.
Covington, Ind.—Cripple Creek, Co.—Danville, N. Y.—Danville, Pa.—Auspices City Firemen.
Dayton, O.—Defiance, O.—Dedication New Library Building.
Delaware, O.—Ancient Order of Hibernians.
Des Moines, Iowa.—In connection with Chautauqua.
Dixon, Ill.—Wm. Kennedy, sec.
Doylstown, Pa.—Fire Company.
East Moline, Ill.—Volunteer Firemen.
Edgewood, Ia.—Eldora, Ia.—W. E. Rathbone.
Elmira, N. Y.—Senator's Club.
Eminence, Ky.—Lodge No. 140, I. O. O. F.
Enley, Ala.—J. O. U. A. M.
Evansville, Ind.—M. W. A.
Findlay, Ohio.—L. W. Cunningham.
Fairmont, W. Va.—Retail Merchants' Assn.
Fall River, Mass.—Findlay, O.—B. P. O. E.
Fort Fairfield, Me.—J. P. Manding.
Fort Scott, Kan.—J. I. Sheppard.
Fort Fairfield, Me.—C. O. Harvey, sec.
Frankfort, Ind.—Rural Mail Carriers' Assn.
Frankfort, Ky.—George B. Harper.
Franklin, Neb.—C. Hildreth.
Fremont, Neb.—Gallion, O.—Sunday Schools of Gallion.
Gallipolis, O.—M. J. Kaufman.
Gillete, Wyo.—Greencastle, Ind.—Dedication of Court House.
Hamberg, Ia.—C. B. Stow.
Hampton, Ia.—T. B. J. Robinson, pres. Business Men's Assn.
Hanford, Cal.—A. Goldberg.
Harriman, Tenn.—Hartland, Me.—East Somerset Agrl. Society.
Haywards, Cal.—Henderson, Ky.—B. P. O. E., E. E. Cook, sec.
Hoxie, Ark.—Robert Allen.
Hudson, Mass.—Eagles.
Huntsville, Ala.—Hon. T. W. Pratt, chrm.
Jackson, Mich.—Jackson, O.—Business Men's Assn., F. T. Baldwin.
Jamestown, Ohio.—Matinee Club.
Jamestown, Ky.—Phelps Bros. and Holt.
Janesville, Wis.—Jennings, Ia.—Johnson City, Tenn.—J. O. U. A. M.
Johnstown, Pa.—Chas. Young.
Joplin, Mo.—Red Men's League.
Knoxville, Tenn.—G. G. A. E., W. B. O., and S. of V.
Kokomo, Ind.—Lafayette, Ind.—Russell K. Bedgood.
Lakota, N. D.—Lancaster, O.—W. E. Gray.
Laporte City, Ia.—B. L. Maxwell.

Lebanon, Ind.—C. D. Daily.
Lecsburg, Fla.—Board of Trade.
Lexington, Ky.—L. H. Ramsey, sec.
Lincoln, Col.—Logansport, Ind.—Joe Reitemeler, Logansport Commercial Club.
Lorain, O.—Al. Harden.
Los Angeles, Cal.—Lowell, Mass.—Mr. Fairweather.
Lynnville, Ind.—McArthur, O.—Business Men's Assn.
Manchester, O.—Manchester Progressive Assn.
Frank S. Carroll, sec.
Mankato, Minn.—John Donahue.
Mapleton, Minn.—Auspices Fire Department and Business Men's League.
Marshalltown, Ia.—F. G. Pierce, chrm.
Marysville, Kan.—Geo. Mohrhaecher.
Marysville, O.—Matinee Club. W. F. Brodrick.
Mechanicsburg, Ill.—Menominee, Mich.—Merrillan, Wis.—O. M. Rickard.
Middletown, O.—Richard Dowling.
Miles City, Mont.—A. C. Leighton, sec.
Mitchell, Ind.—Jos. A. Abel.
Montgomery, W. Va.—Business Men's Assn.
Francis Wilson.
Moultrie, Ga.—Mt. Vernon, Ohio.—Col. L. G. Hunt, chrm.
Mt. Vernon, Ill.—At Jefferson Park.
Munger, Mich.—Auspices Maccabees.
Nebraska City, Neb.—F. O. E., M. H. Collins.
Needham, Mass.—William F. Casey.
Ness City, Kan.—Nevada, Ia.—Storey Co. Celebration.
Newark, Ohio.—Business Men's Committee.
New Britain, Conn.—Turners.
Noblesville, Ind.—Harry J. Alexander, chrm.
North Baltimore, O.—S. E. Nicer.
North Manchester, Ind.—Chas. Wright.
Norwich, N. Y.—Y. M. C. A.
Norwood, Mass.—Milton H. Howard.
Olney, Ill.—Paul St. John, Asst. Sec.
Onalaska, Wis.—James E. Evans, mgr.
Paducah, Ky.—Dr. Phil Stewart.
Paua, Ill.—Auspices of Red Men.
Papillion, Neb.—Pine Bluff, Ark.—Capt. J. B. Johnson, Board of Trade.
Piqua, O.—Fort Huron, Mich.—Trades and Labor Council.
Portsmouth, O.—W. O. W. Camp No. 20.
Princeton, Ind.—A. R. Barton.
Randolph, N. Y.—C. S. Booth.
Rhineclander, Wis.—Max Zimmerman.
Richmond, Mo.—Jewell Mayer.
Rockwell City, Ia.—O. L. Hedlund.
Rockville, Ohio.—F. B. Pemberton.
St. Joseph, Mich.—St. Marys, Ohio.—4th of July Committee.
Salineville, O.—San Jval, Ill.—Business Men's Assn., Ed. B. Furnell.
Sidney, O.—Shelby County S. S. Assn.
Sigourney, Ia.—Burton Wertz.
Skowhegan, Me.—R. T. Patten.
Spencer, Ind.—Sterns, Ky.—E. G. Galties.
Sweetwater, Tenn.—Sycamore, Ill.—Tecumseh, Neb.—Terrell, Tex.—Bed Men. A. O. Sage.
Tipton, Ind.—S. L. Bunch.
Titusville, Pa.—N. C. Schoppert, sec.
Tupper Lake, N. Y.—Uniontown, Pa.—James Hadden.
Urbana, O.—Judge Middleton, chrm.
Utica, N. Y.—Henry Scheel, 156 Genesee st.
Vanceboro, Me.—Vandalia, Ill.—Chas. S. Stout.
Warsaw, Ind.—O. W. Scott.
Washington Heights, Del.—Washington Heights Assn.
Watertown, N. Y.—Weatherford, Okla.—Chas. E. Davis.
Wenonah, N. J.—Oliver Lorence.
West Baden Springs, Ind.—Basil B. Decker Post. G. A. E.
W. Medway, Mass.—Y. M. C. A. League.
Winslow, Ind.—Knights of Pythias.
Wytheville, Va.—Woodstock, Vt.—

MISCELLANEOUS CELEBRATIONS.

Baltimore, Md.—Rebuilding Celebration. Sept. 10-16. J. Harry Tregoe, pres.
Baltimore, Md.—Greater Baltimore Exposition. June 12-July 4. E. Brown.
Bonham, Tex.—Annual W. O. W. Log Rolling. Aug. 16-19. Cameron & Turply.
Denver, Col.—Celebration. June 21-July 1. Great Gashill Shows. H. H. Daniels, loc. mgr.
Downs, Kan.—Celebration Twenty-sixth Anniversary. July 27. L. E. Pugh, sec.
Galveston, Tex.—Confederate Veterans' Annual Reunion. July 18-21. W. H. Johnson.
Gouverneur, N. Y.—Old Home Week and Centennial Celebration. Aug. 24-30. H. O. Eogers, chrm.
Indianapolis, Ind.—North American Gymnastic Union National Festival. June 21-28. Randolph Zimmerman, 344 Sixteenth st., Milwaukee, Wis.
Mankato, Minn.—Midsummer Festival. July 3-5. John Donahue.
Mt. Vernon, O.—Centennial Celebration. July 16, indef. H. H. Greer.
Osceola, Ia.—M. W. A. Log Rolling. Aug. 17-19. Ray Wilson, lock box 131.
Portland, Ore.—N. W. Sportsmen's Assn. Tournament. June 22-24. A. J. Winters, sec.
St. Anthony, Minn.—Semi-Centennial of Organization of City Government. July 1. Territorial Pioneers' Assn. Native Sons of Minnesota, Junior Pioneers and the Masonic Lodge.
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.—Semi-Centennial Celebration of Opening of St. Mary's Canal. Aug. 2-4.
Siloam Springs, Ark.—Twenty-fifth Annual Celebration. June 23-24. Dr. J. W. Webster.
Urbana, O.—Centennial Celebration of Cham-paign County. July 4-6.
Wyoming, Ia.—Fiftieth Anniversary of Founding of the Town. Aug. 6-8. Civic Assn.

CONVENTIONS.

The following dates have been contributed since the publication of last issue.

ARKANSAS.

Little Rock—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 3-4. Will A. Gomer, Dardanelle, Ark.

CALIFORNIA.

Santa Barbara—Y. P. S. C. E. State Con. July —. James M. Warren, Santa Barbara, Cal.

COLORADO.

Denver—Eppworth League State Con. July 5. W. H. Brsman, pres., South Bend, Ind.
Montrose—State Editorial Assn. Con. June 26-27. O. E. Adams, care "Press."

GEORGIA.

Atlanta—Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America Con. Oct. 11. Newt. Gresham, natl. sec., Point, Tex.

ILLINOIS.

Aurora—I. O. O. F. Gr. Lodge Con. June 23-24. John H. Sikes, Springfield, Ill.
Chicago—Natl. Truant Conf. of U. S. July 7-8. T. H. MacQuary.
Chicago—Natl. Jobbing Confectioners' Assn. Con. Aug. 8-5.

INDIANA.

Kokomo—State Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 27-30. Prof. F. H. Musmann, Indianapolis, Ind.
LaPorte—B. Y. P. U. Pine Lake Assembly. July 8. George Furves, care Alkin's Saw Works, Indianapolis, Ind.

IOWA.

Des Moines—State Musicians' Society Con. June 20-23. W. H. Heighon.
Ottumwa—State Sheriffs' Assn. Con. July —. J. H. Kelly, Des Moines, Ia.

KANSAS.

Baxter Springs—25th Annual Reunion. Aug. 23-Sept. 2. C. W. Daniels.

KENTUCKY.

Louisville—State Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 4.

LOUISIANA.

Shreveport—A. O. U. W. Gr. Lodge Con. June 28. C. E. Peroncel.
Winfield—Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America Con. July 4-6.

MAINE.

Portland—Supervisors of State Banks' Natl. Assn. Con. July 27-29. Hon. F. E. Tumberlake, Augusta, Me.
Bar Harbor—State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 24-25. John R. Gould, Augusta, Me.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston—Amateur Athletic Assn. of the U. S. Con. June 28.
Boston—Natl. Retail Druggist's Assn. Con. Sept. 18-22. Thos. V. Wooten, Chicago, Ill.

MICHIGAN.

Harbor Beach—State Women's Press Assn. Con. July —. Mrs. Grace Greenwood Brown.

MINNESOTA.

Duluth—State Photographic Assn. Con. July 5-7.
Duluth—Western Passenger Assn. Con. July 19-22. Geo. M. Smith.
Duluth—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 18-20. A. C. LeRiche, pres.
Faribault—State Assn. of the Deaf Cou. July 1-5. J. C. Howard, pres.

MISSISSIPPI.

Oxford—Fraternal Union Supreme Lodge Con. Aug. 8-10. Samuel S. Baty, 365 Lincoln ave., Denver, Col.

MISSOURI.

Carthage—State Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 20-23. W. F. McElroy.
Pettie Springs—Eppworth League State Con. July 18. W. O. Andrews, 405 N. 6th st., St. Louis, Mo.
Albany—Seventh Annual Reunion of the Blue and Gray. Aug. 8-11. James DeBord.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

White Mountains—Maine Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 6-7. M. L. Porter, Danforth, Me.

NEW YORK.

Albany—University of the State of N. Y. Con. June 28-30.
Niagara Falls—Natl. Candy Makers' Assn. of U. S. Con. July 12-14.
Saratoga Springs—State Post Office Clerks' Assn. Con. July 3-4. W. C. Dickerson, pres., Syracuse, N. Y.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Asheville—State Press Assn. Con. July 5-6. J. B. Sherrill, Concord, N. C.
Concord—State Veterinary Assn. Con. July —. Dr. J. W. Petty, Greensboro, N. C.
Lake Toxaway—State Bar Assn. Con. July 5. Z. V. Waiser, Lexington, N. C.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Grand Forks—North Dakota Old Settlers' Assn. Con. June 27. I. R. Gibbs.

OHIO.

Dayton—Daughters of Liberty State Council Con. June 27-28. Mabel Hartzel, Alliance, O.
E. Liverpool—J. O. Rechabites' State Con. July 5.
Columbus—Democratic State Con. June 27-28.

OREGON.

Portland—Idaho Press Assn. Con. June 23. M. S. Parker, Boise, Idaho.
Portland—I. O. R. M. Grt. Snn Council Con. July 7. Roy W. Wither, Pendleton, Ore.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Pittsburg—Natl. Carpet Merchants' Assn. Con. July 10. Cyrus Roberts, pres.
Gettysburg—Natl. Encampment Sons of Veterans Sept. 18. Natl. Sec. Jas. E. Seabert, Dwight, Ill.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

White Stone Springs—State Press Assn. Con. July 11-14. O. C. Langston, Anderson, S. C.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Deadwood—State Medical Society Con. July —. Dr. Wm. Edwards, Bowdle, S. D.

TEXAS.

Cameron—German Catholic Societies' State Con. July —. Rev. P. Blenemann, Burlington, Tex.

College Station—State Nursemen's Assn. Con. July — John S. Kerr, Sherman, Tex.
WASHINGTON
Centralis—J. O. G. T. Gr. Lodge Con. July 18-20. W. F. Bouney, Tacoma, Wash.
Tacoma—State Medical Society Con. July — Dr. Jas. R. Yocum, Tacoma, Wash.
Vancouver—G. A. R. Department Encampment. June 20-22. Willis L. Ames, Seattle, Wash.
WISCONSIN
Palmyra—Wisconsin Old Soldiers' Assn. Con. June 29. E. L. McCarthy.

CONVENTIONS

Reunions, Conclaves, Assemblies

This list is corrected and revised weekly.

ALABAMA

Gadsden—Epworth League State Con. June — Montgomery—Gr. Lodge of the G. U. O. of O. F. Con. Aug. 1. W. T. Breeding.

ARKANSAS

Hot Springs—State Local Fire Insurance Agents' Con. June — J. R. Hampton.
Texarkana—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 11. W. L. Parfiry, Forest City, Ark.

CALIFORNIA

Delmonste—Commercial Law League of America Con. July —
Los Angeles—W. C. T. U. Con. July —
San Francisco—International Presmen's Assn. Con. June 19. J. H. Boxburg, 2482 1/2 Market st.
San Francisco—American Surgical Assn. Con. July 5-7. D. T. Allen, Cleveland, O.
San Francisco—Americas Christian Missionary Society Con. Aug. 17-24. Benjamin L. Smith, Y. M. C. A. bldg., Cincinnati, O.
San Francisco—Natl. Butter Makers' Assn. Con. Oct. 1.
Santa Barbara—State Stationary Engineers' Assn. Con. June 22-25. W. T. Carl, 320 S. Griffin ave., Los Angeles.

COLORADO

Boulder—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 4. Harry E. Niven, Berthoud, Col.
Colorado Springs—State Bar Assn. Con. June 29-30.
Colorado Springs—State Dental Assn. Con. June — Dr. Harry W. Bates, 237 Majestic bldg., Denver, Col.
Denver—Natl. Railroad Agents' Assn. Con. July — N. A. Cottrell, Bismark, Mo.
Denver—Ladies of the G. A. R. Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Mrs. Mary T. Huger, pres., St. Louis, Mo.
Denver—Women's Relief Corps Natl. Con. Sept. 6-7. Helen M. Ayers, Concord, N. H.
Denver—United Commercial Travelers' Gr. Con. June — W. E. Lawlor, Trinidad, Col.
Denver—Fraternal Order of Eagles Gr. Aerie Con. Aug. 15. A. R. Partridge, Kansas City, Mo.
Denver—American Osteopathic State Con. Aug. 15-20. Dr. H. L. Childs, Auburn, N. Y.
Denver—G. A. R. Con. Sept. 4-7. J. E. Gilman, Boston, Mass.
Denver—Natl. Wool Growers' Con. June —
Denver—Epworth League Con. July 5-9. E. M. Randall, 37 Washington st., Chicago, Ill.
Trinidad—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 8. W. S. O'Brien, 210 Continental bldg., Denver, Col.

CONNECTICUT

Bridgeport—Sons of St. George Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 9. W. A. Cate, 83 Bishop st., New Haven, Conn.
Bridgeport—Y. P. O. U. Con. July 12-13. Miss J. B. Strohbridge, 58 Suburban ave., Stamford, Conn.
Hartford—Natl. Y. P. O. U. Con. July 12-13. Miss Emma Barsett, Rich Valley, Ind.
Hartford—Natl. Y. P. O. U. Con. July 12-13.
Stanford—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 23. H. N. Marvix, 53 Globe st., New Haven, Conn.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa.
Washington—Natl. Electionists' Assn. Con. June 23. Robert L. Fulton, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, O.
Washington—O. U. A. M. Natl. Council Con. Sept. 12. John Sever, 1341 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa.

FLORIDA

Jacksonville—Turpentine Operators' Natl. Con. Sept. 12-14. J. A. Hollomon.
Tampa—State Board of Pharmacy Con. June 15. E. Berger, room 14, First Natl. Bank bldg.

GEORGIA

Atlanta—Old Time Telegraphers' Assn. Con. Sept. 20-22. Jno. Brant, 195 Broadway, New York City.
Atlanta—Teachers of Colored Youths' Natl. Assn. Con. June 25-30. F. G. Smith.
Fitzgerald—Retail Grocers' Assn. of Georgia Con. July 11-13. John Bratton, 1436 Empire bldg., Atlanta, Ga.
Forest Park—Veterans' Assn. of 30th Georgia Regimental Annual Reunion. July 23. A. F. Adamson.
Macon—Annual State Horticultural Society Con. Aug. 1. Chas. T. Smith, Concord, Ga.
Macon—League of G. M. Municipalities Con. Aug. (2nd wk.) Bridges, Smith.
Moultrie—H. Y. P. U. State Con. June 30-33. A. M. Bennett.
Savannah—J. O. O. Sup. Lodge Con. July 11-13. W. D. Armstrong, 419 Boltes st.
Savannah—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge (Colored) Con. July 18. F. M. Cohen.
Savannah—State Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. June 21-23. E. L. Almond, Social Circle, Ga.

IDAHO

Boise—Gr. Lodge of Idaho A. F. & A. M. Annual Con. Sept. 12. Theo. W. Randall.

ILLINOIS

Chicago—Advertising Novelty Mfrs.' Assn. Con. Sept. 5-7. Ben S. Strons, Coahocton, O.
Chicago—American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers Con. July 7-8. Secretary, Box 1818, New York City.

Chicago—Natl. Baptist Con. Sept. 12. W. L. Casulin, Nashville, Tenn.
Chicago—Reunion Army of the Philippines Natl. Society. Aug. — T. E. Duncan, Kansas City, Mo.
Chicago—Natl. Archery Assn. Con. Aug. 15-17. Ed. B. Weston, M. D., pres.
Chicago—American Institute of Homeopathy. June 26-July 1. Chas. Getchell, M. D., 100 State st.
Chicago—Natl. German American Teachers' Assn. Con. July — Alexis Mueller, Lockport, N. Y.
Chicago—Natl. Jesuit Alumni. July — J. B. Denver, Equitable Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.
Chicago—American Whist League Congress Con. July 10.
Chicago—American Swedish Singers Union Con. July 20-23. Herman Nordberg, 1614 Belmont ave.
Chicago—Shirt, Waist and Laundry Workers' International Union Con. Aug. 8. John J. Manning, box 11, Sta. 1, Troy, N. Y.
Chicago—Masters' Assn. of U. S. Con. Aug. 1. J. J. Paik, 263 LaSalle st.
Chicago—Daughters of Liberty Natl. Council Con. Aug. 15. Mrs. Jennie Knapp, Whitings, Ind.
Chicago—International Hahnemannian Assn. Con. June 22-24. J. B. S. King, 6718 Westworth ave.
Chicago—Women's Prohibition Club of America Gen. Council Con. June 21-22. Miss Emma S. Walker, Decatur, Ill.
Chicago—Labor Con. June 27. Eugene V. Debs.
Chicago—Amalgamated St. Railway Employees Oct. — W. D. Labon, 221 Mitchell ave., Detroit, Mich.
Chicago—International Glove Workers of America Con. Aug. 1. A. H. Coeselman, 42 First ave., Gloversville, N. Y.
Chicago—Stereotypers and Electrotypers' Union Con. Aug. 8. George W. Williams, 534 Warren st., Boston, Mass.
Chicago—College Editors' Natl. Con. June — H. M. Pratt, Iowa City, Ia.
Joliet—Krieger Societies' Natl. Con. Aug. 25-29. Wm. Grohne.
Joliet—Gr. Observatory North Star Benefit Assn. Con. July 18-19. G. L. Peterson, Moline, Ill.
Joliet—German Army and Navy Assn. of N. A. Con. Aug. —
Mills Shoals—Reunion. Aug. 8-12. Dr. Merich, pres.
Peoria—26th Annual Con. of State Retail Liquor Dealers' Assn. September — M. J. McCarthy, 109 Randolph st., Chicago, Ill.
Rock Island—Natl. Fraternal Tribunes Con. July 11. Robert Bexdale.
Springfield—Y. P. S. E. State Con. July 7-13. H. H. Marcusson, 1221 Assn. Bldg., Chicago, Ill.
Springfield—Y. P. S. E. State Con. July 7-12. H. M. Kilpatrick, Elmwood, Ill.

INDIANA

Anderson—U. A. O. D. Gr. Grove Con. June — Stephen I. Wright, 1622 Lee st., Indianapolis, Ind.
French Lick Springs—State Editorial Assn. Con. July — W. S. Chambers, care Democrat, New Castle, Ind.
Fort Wayne—State Federation of Labor Con. Sept. 29-30. J. W. Peters, 807 LaSalle st., South Bend, Ind.
Indianapolis—Ancient O. Accepted Scottish Rite Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of U. S. Con. Sept. 19-21. James H. Golding, 133 Stewart bldg., New York City.
Indianapolis—Knights & Ladies of Honor Gr. Lodge Con. Sept. 18. Geo. D. Telf.
Indianapolis—Natl. Turn. Teachers' Con. June — Dr. Arthur Knack, Cincinnati, O.
Indianapolis—F. O. S. of A. State Camp Con. Aug. 8. Sam D. Symmes, Crawfordsville, Ind.
Indianapolis—Natl. Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. Sept. — W. F. Tumber, Lockport, N. Y.
Indianapolis—State Dental Assn. Con. June 27-29. Dr. Karl Lucas.
New Albany—Knights of Fidelity Gr. Grove Con. Aug. — J. C. Becker.
Richmond—International Friends Educational Conf. July 31-Aug. 3. Robt. L. Kelly, Earlham College.
Elkhart Sun—Reunion Masonic Assn. June — Robert C. Nelson.
South Bend—Knights of Equity Natl. Con. June 26-27. Wm. T. Dooney, 1006 The Majestic, Detroit, Mich.
Seymour—Indiana Jurisdiction (r. Council) Young Men's Institute. Aug. 22. W. M. Fogarty.
Seymour—Woodmen's Encampment. Sept. 4-8.
Terre Haute—Glass Bottle Blowers' Union of U. S. and Canada Con. July 18. Wm. Lawner, 931 Witherspoon bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
Winchester—Gr. Castle & Gr. Temple K. G. E. & L. Golden Eagle Con. Sept. 5. E. M. Harlan, Gr. Master of Records, Union City, Ind.
Winslow—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 8-12. Address Geo. P. Burch, adjt., P. O. box 108.

IOWA

Arbor Hill—Old Settlers and Soldiers' Reunion. Sept. (2nd wk.) C. C. Stewart, sec.
Burlington—League of Ia. Municipalities Con. Sept. 13. F. G. Pierce, Marshalltown, Ia.
Clinton—State German American Editorial Assn. Con. Sept. — Henry Helms.
Davenport—Carlow Alumni Assn. of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. 23. Rev. John Phelan, Marcus, Ia.
Des Moines—Lutheran Augustana Synod of N. A. Con. June —
Des Moines—Iowa Christian Con. June 22-23. Rev. J. Nichols, Winton, Ia.
Iowa City—Royal Arch Masons' Gr. Chapter Con. Sept. 23. Alfred Wingate, Des Moines, Ia.

KANSAS

Fort Scott—M. W. of A. State Con. June — Topeka—Royal Neighbors of America Sup. Camp Con. June — Mrs. Minnie Fielder, Feoria, Ill.
Topeka—State Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. June 27-29. L. M. Penwell.

KENTUCKY

Ashland—Knights of Pythias Gr. Lodge Con. July 25-28. D. Owen Robinson, care W. A. Gaines & Co., Frankfort, Ky.
Beattyville—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 12. M. C. Baue, state sec., Vanceburg, Ky.
Greenup—Knights of the Golden Eagle Gr. Castle Con. Aug. — F. M. Griffin.
Louisville—United Confederate Veterans' State Reunion. June 14-16. N. E. Tisdal, Rust,

Tex.
Mammoth Cave—State Educational Assn. Con. June 21-23. M. O. Winfree, pres., Middleborough, Ky.
Richmond—Bebekah State Assembly. Sept. 27-28. Mrs. Corinne O. Graham, 1000 Sixth ave., Louisville, Ky.

LOUISIANA

Portland—State Homeopathic Medical Society Con. June — Cora Johnson, M. D., Skowhegan, Me.
Shreveport—State Con. of Y. P. S. O. E. June — Miss Ann M. Watson, Bunkie, La.

MAINE

Orono—Epworth League State Con. June 29-30. Horace B. Haskell.
Portland—Knights of Templars' Sup. Con. Con. Oct. 16. Chas. A. Maxwell, 3 Cedar st.

MARYLAND

Baltimore—Natl. Amateur Carman Assn. Con. Aug. 11-12. Frank Fitzmeyer, box 740, New York City.
Baltimore—Christian Endeavor Workers' Natl. Conf. July 5-10. W. M. Robinson, 231 W. Carrollton ave.
Ballimore—Y. T. S. E. International Con. July 5-10. VanGden, Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.
Hagerstown—State Bar Assn. Con. June 28-30. Secretary, 102 E. Lexington st., Baltimore, Md.
Westminster—P. O. S. of A. State Con. Aug. 8. P. B. Englar, Taneytown, Md.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston—State Electrical Contractors' Assn. Con. July 19. W. H. Morton, 44 Whitesboro st., Utica, N. Y.
Boston—Home Circle Sup. Council Con. June 31. Julia M. Swain, 120 Tremont st.
Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters of the U. S. and Canada Con. Aug. — Thos. H. Cannon, 1227 Stock Exchange, Chicago, Ill.
Boston—Northeastern Federation of Women's Clubs Con. Aug. — Mrs. G. C. Hawkins, Compton pl.
Boston—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Con. Sept. 19. Martin M. Wood, 113 Sixth st., Leominster, Mass.
Boston—Natl. Lockmakers' Assn. Con. Sept. 12. John J. Purcell, 191 Davis st., New Bedford, Mass.
Boston—Catholic Order of Foresters' International Con. Aug. 1. Thos. F. McDonald, 1231 Stock Exchange bldg., Chicago, Ill.
Boston—Photographers' Assn. of America State Con. Aug. 8-11. J. M. Sandtel, Milwaukee, Wis.
Gloucester—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 20-22. J. F. Guerin, Worcester, Mass.

MICHIGAN

Benton Harbor—Order of Patricians Sup. Court Con. July 25. F. H. Platt, Toussier bldg., Benton Harbor, Mich.
Detroit—International Assn. of Factory Inspectors' Con. Aug. 15-18. A. C. Backus, Milwaukee, Wis.
Detroit—International League of Press Clubs July 1. Henry Star Richardson, cr. Daily News, Philadelphia, Pa.
Detroit—Dramatic Order of Knights of Kehr. Assn. Impal Palace Con. Aug. — H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.
Detroit—Eastern Star Benevolent Fund of America Con. Aug. 22. Miss M. E. Crowe.
Detroit—State Dental Assn. Con. June — A. L. LeGro, Three River, Mich.
Detroit—State Gas Assn. Con. Sept. 26. E. W. Douglas, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Detroit—Universal Craftsmen's Council of Magicians' Con. Aug. 14-18. Robt. G. Ingleson, Whitney bldg., Cleveland, O.
Detroit—D. O. E. K. E. Imperial Palace Con. Aug. 15-18. H. W. Belding, 407 N. Broadway st., St. Louis, Mo.
Grand Rapids—Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers' Assn. Con. July 25-27.
Grand Rapids—Master Butchers of America Con. Aug. 1-4. C. Christofferson, Omaha, Neb.
Ironwood—Honor and Temperance Gr. Temple Con. June 23-24. Andrew Nicholls, 8 Maple St., Calumet, Mich.
Jackson—Rathbone Sisters Gr. Temple Con. Sept. 13. Mrs. Ethel A. Hendrick, Middleville, Mich.
Mackinac Island—Natl. Fraternal Congress Con. Aug. 27. M. W. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.
Mackinaw—Natl. Fraternal Press Assn. Con. Aug. 21. A. E. Stevenson, 415 Stevens bldg., Detroit, Mich.
Petoskey—State Medical Assn. Con. June 28-30. Dr. John Reynolds.
Saginaw—State Retail Hardware Assn. Con. Aug. 9-10. A. J. Scott, Marine City, Mich.

MINNESOTA

Duluth—International Assn. of Fire Engineers' Con. Oct. —
Duluth—International Fire Chiefs' Assn. Con. Aug. 16-19. W. R. Joyner, pres., Atlanta, Ga.
Duluth—N. W. Coal Dealers' Assn. Con. June 27-29. G. H. Reeves, Lumber Exchange, Minneapolis, Minn.
Minneapolis—American Camera Club Exchange Con. Aug. 7-11. L. T. Brodstone, Superior, Neb.
Minneapolis—American Institute of Bank Clerks' Con. July 21-22. George E. Allen, New York City.
Minneapolis—American Grain Buyers' Assn. Con. July 11. Ed. Barrett, Atwater, Minn.
Minneapolis—American Local Freight Agents' Assn. Con. June 23-27. G. W. Dennison, Toledo, O.
Minneapolis—Natl. Spiritualists' Assn. Con. Oct. 18-22. Mrs. M. T. Longley, 938 Pa. ave., S. E. Washington, D. C.
Minneapolis—Stamp Collectors' Protective Assn. of America Con. Aug. 7-11. L. T. Brodstone, Superior, Neb.
Minneapolis—State Dental Assn. Con. June — Dr. J. F. McCrea.
Minneapolis—American Opticians' Assn. Con. July 27-29. E. L. Jones, Sandusky, O.
Minneapolis—Universalsists Gen. Con. Oct. 20-25. Rev. G. L. Demaree, Manchester, N. H.
Minneapolis—W. C. T. U. State Con. Sept. 18. Ella F. Hendrix.
New Ulm—Catholic Order of Foresters' High Court Con. June — P. H. Martin, Duluth, Minn.

MISSISSIPPI

Meridian—A. O. U. W. International Con. Aug. 16. Jas. Ehrlich, any Ga.
Vicksburg—Knights of Canaan Sup. Lodge Con. June 30-34.

MISSOURI

Grand City—Old Soldiers' Reunion. Aug. 15-18. F. F. Houser.
Kansas City—Natl. Firemen's Con. Aug. 29-31. Peter B. McCarthy, St. Louis, Mo.
Kansas City—Southwestern Amateur Press Assn. July — G. R. Cutts, 1131 Emerson Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.
Kansas City—United Amateur Press Assn. Con. July 7-9. Frank E. Murphy, Grantford, Ont.
Marshall—State Sunday School Assn. Christian Church Con. June 16-21. W. A. Moore, Mexico, Mo.
St. Louis—International Brick, Tile and Terra Cotta Workers' Union Con. Sept. 11. Geo. Hodge, 56 Fifth ave., Chicago, Ill.

MONTANA

Anaconda—B. P. O. E. State Con. June — Harry O'Gorman.
Butte—J. O. G. T. Gr. Lodge 37th Con. Aug. 28. J. A. Longstaff, Helena, Mont.
Butte—State Baptists' Assn. Con. Sept. 16-19. C. B. Chapman, sec.
Kalispell—State Federation of Labor Con. Aug. 21. H. O. Smith, Helena, Mont.

NEBRASKA

Cambridge—Annual Southwest G. A. R. Reunion. Aug. 25-31. Chas. Monseel.
Lincoln—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 3-4. F. H. Cunningham, South Omaha, Neb.
Omaha—Inter-State Coal Dealers' Assn. Con. June 22-23. B. Harris, New York Life Bldg.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Bretton Woods—Insurance Commissioners' Natl. Con. Sept. 26-28. J. J. Brinkerhoff, Springfield, O.
Concord—Knights Templar Gr. Commandery Con. Sept. 26.
Dover—Catholic Order of Foresters' High Court Con. June — A. L. Pelesiare, Concord, N. H.
Flymouth—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June 27-28. Frank A. Mauseau, Manchester, N. H.
Portsmouth—Y. P. S. E. State Con. Sept. 27-28. Herbert Kendall, Nashua, N. H.

NEW JERSEY

Asbury Park—Natl. Educational Assn. Con. July 8-7. Irwin Shepard, Winona, Minn.
Asbury Park—State Medical Assn. Con. June (last week). W. R. Chandler, S. Orange, N. J.
Asbury Park—State Sunday-School Assn. Con. July 8-15. Rev. E. M. Ferguson, 835 Broad st., Newark, N. J.
Atlantic City—P. O. S. of A. Natl. Camp Con. Sept. 26. F. E. Stees, 524 N. 6th st., Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic City—Fraternal Mystic Circle Sep Baling Con. July 11. J. D. Myers, Title bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic City—Independent Order of Foresters' Sup. Court Con. July 31. John A. McGilivray, Temple bldg., Toronto, Ont., Can.
Atlantic City—Legion of the Red Cross Supreme Council Con. June 12-17. Jno. B. Treibler, 1417 Hollins st., Baltimore, Md.
Atlantic City—National Steam Fitters' Assn. Con. June 12-15. H. B. Gomers, N. Y. C.
Atlantic City—P. O. S. of A. Natl. Camp Con. Sept. 26-27. F. E. Stees, 524 N. 6th st., Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic City—Natl. Photo-Engravers' Assn. Con. June — E. A. LeGros, 347 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.
Atlantic City—American Laryngological Assn. Con. July — Dr. James Newcomb, New York City.
Asbury—Knights of St. John & Malta Con. Sept. 5. Francis Houghtaling, Gr. Chancellor.
Bloomfield—High Court of N. J. I. O. F. Con. Sept. — F. A. Mackenzie, 215 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J.
Bloomfield—L. O. O. F. High Court Con. Sept. — F. A. Mackenzie, 215 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J.
Burlington—State Rural Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. July 4.
Cape May—State Editorial Assn. Con. June 23-26. J. D. Carpenter, Woodbury, N. J.
Millville—Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain of N. J. Aug. 22. Thomas Hans, 110 W. Foundry st.
Newark—International Jewelry Workers' Con. July 10. Wm. F. Shade, 3083 N. 8th st., Philadelphia, Pa.
Newark—Gr. Circle Brotherhood of the Union Con. Sept. 18-19. D. W. Doan, 627 Penn st., Camden, N. J.
Trouton—G. A. R. State Encampment. June 22-23. J. R. Durell.
Woodbury—A. O. U. W. State Council Con. Sept. 8. Morris Bauer, 260 Townsend st., New Brunswick, N. J.

NEW YORK

Albany—Catholic Young Men's Natl. Union Con. Aug. — Jas. H. Fitzgerald, Mechanics Valley, Pa.
Alexandria Bay—American Seed Trade Assn. Con. June 20-22. C. E. Kendall, 115 Ontario st., Cleveland, O.
Auburn—Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paperhangers' State Con. Aug. 7. Jno. A. Goodwin, 15 N. Lexington ave., White Plains, N. Y.
Buffalo—Foresters of America Sup. Con. Aug. 22-26. E. M. McMurtrey, 867 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Buffalo—Natl. Dental Assn. Con. Aug. 1. Dr. A. H. Peck, 92 State st., Chicago, Ill.
Buffalo—Am. Chemical Society Con. June 22-24. W. A. Noyes, Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.
Buffalo—The Gideons U. C. T. Natl. Annual vild, Wis.
Buffalo—Natl. Park Supts. Assn. Con. June 26-30. J. E. Colwell.
Buffalo—Natl. Brotherhood of Operative Fotters' Con. July 10. Edward Menge, East Liverpool, O.
Buffalo—B. F. O. E. Natl. Con. July 11-13. F. O. Robinson, Debuque, Ia.
Corning—Central N. Y. Firemen's Con. July 25-27. Frank M. Spoonmaker.
Delhi—Order of the Golden Seal Con. June 19-21.
Elmira—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Con. Miss Ella Yeakel, 407 Jackson st., Syracuse, N. Y.
Ithaca—I. O. E. M. Gr. Council Con. Aug. 8-10. E. J. Boyd, 875 Bleeker st., N. Y. C.
Ithaca—State Veterinary Assn. Con. Sept. — Wm. Henry Kelly, Albany, N. Y.
Lake George—American Pediatric Society Con. June 19-21. Samuel E. Adams, 1 Dupont Circle, Washington, D. C.

Lake Placid—County Superintendents of the Poor State Con. June 20-23. I. W. Ives, Iowa Village, I. I.

Lockport—O. G. J. Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 22-24. Chas. T. Telford, Delhi, N. Y.

Mt. Vernon—Firemen's Con. June 17-22.

Mt. Vernon—Beta Phi Fraternity of the United States Con. June —. George Upson, Newark, Ohio.

Newbury—Natl. Army & Navy Spanish American War Veterans of N. Y. Con. (3rd Wed.) Sept. John Schumacher, 401 Pulaski st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

New York City—Amalgamated Leather Workers' Union of American Con. July 4. John Roach, 52 Forest Bldg., S. 4th st., Philadelphia, Pa.

New York City—American Society Professors of Dancing Con. P. B. Carpenter, Jr., 23 N. Main st., Providence, R. I.

New York City—United Gold Beaters' Assn. Con. Aug. —. W. Norris Batture, 316 Beckett st., Camden, N. J.

New York City—Delta Tau Delta Fraternity Con. Aug. 22-25. A. J. Jones, 84 Vernon Terrace, E. Orange, N. J.

New York City—Furniture Assn. of America Con. July 18-20. George H. Miller, 423 Lexington ave.

New York City—Natl. Music Teachers' Assn. Con. June 21-23. W. H. Overton, Durham, N. C.

New York City—New England Water Works' Assn. Con. Sept. —. Willard Kent, 715 Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.

New York City—Business Women's League Natl. Con. July 1-8. Isabelle K. Church, 1123 Broadway.

New York City—Assn. of American Railway Accounting Officers' Con. June 23.

New York City—International Acetylene Assn. Con. Aug. 15-17. Nelson L. Litten, 204 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.

New York City—Natl. Negro Business League Con. Aug. 16-18. Mmet J. Scott, Tuskegee Institute, Ala.

New York City—Protestant Churches of America Gen. Con. Nov. —. Rev. W. H. Robertson.

New York City—Catholic Educational Assn. Con. July 1-13. Rev. F. W. Howard, 312 E. Broad st., Columbus, O.

New York City—United States League of Bldg. and Loan Assn. Con. July 26-27. H. F. Cellarius, Cincinnati, O.

Niagara Falls—Natl. Photo-Engravers' Assn. Con. June 19. E. A. LeGros, 850 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.

Niagara Falls—Commercial Law League of America Con. July 31-Aug. 4. O. L. Purves, Bond Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Niagara Falls—Imperial Council Nobles of the Mystic Shrine Con. June 20-23.

Niagara Falls—Templars of Honor Natl. Con. Aug. 5. Rev. C. S. Woodruff, Bloomfield, N. J.

Niagara Falls—American Protestant Assn. Con. Aug. 9-12. Wm. J. McKee, 1234 So. 22nd st., Philadelphia, Pa.

Niagara Falls—Natl. Division Sons of Temperance Con. Aug. —.

Niagara Falls—N. Y. State Railway St. Assn. Con. Sept. 12-13.

Niagara Falls—American Veterans of Foreign Service Con. Sept. —.

Niagara Falls—Natl. Assn. Agricultural Implements and Vehicle Mfrs. Con. Sept. 27-29.

Niagara Falls—Funeral Directors' Assn. Con. Oct. 11-13.

Niagara Falls—Railway Signaling Club Con. Oct. 10-12.

Niagara Falls—Supreme Circle Brotherhood of the Union Con. Oct. 17-19.

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Niagara Falls—N. Y. State Assembly of Mothers. Oct. 10-16.

Oswego—G. U. O. of O. F. Gr. Lodge Con. Aug. 1. W. David Brow, 104 W. 53rd st., New York City.

Poughkeepsie—Master Barbers' State Con. Aug. 15. Jno. R. Bahmer, 417 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

June 27-29. F. H. Shepard, School of Music, Orange, N. Y.

Rochester—Sup. Gr. Lodge Order Daughters of St. George Con. Aug. 29. Mrs. M. L. Setterfield, 24 S. Washington ave., Columbus, O.

Sandvill—Natl. Machine Printers and Color Mixers' Assn. Con. Aug. 14. O. Casey, 425 Tenth st.

Saratoga—Natl. Piano Dealers' Assn. Am. Con. June 23. Curt M. Treat.

Saratoga Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June (last week.) S. V. B. Swann, 918 6th ave., New York City.

Syracuse—American Advancement of Science Assn. Con. July 20. L. O. Howard, 2025 Hillier pl., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Syracuse—G. A. R. Department Encampment. June 21-22. Wm. Sears, care City Hall.

Syracuse—Ladies of the G. A. R. State Con. June 20-27. Mrs. Adelaide L. Titus, Penn Yan, N. Y.

Syracuse—New York Dept. Women's Relief Corps Con. June 20-21. Miss Florence P. Westcott, 236 W. 36th st., N. Y. C.

Syracuse—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 21-22. Mrs. U. O. Fulton, 209 University ave.

Troy—High Court I. O. O. F. Con. Sept. 12. C. B. Fitzgerald, 899 Porter ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Utica—State Protection of Fish and Game Assn. Con. June 12-16. James Brown, 65 Taylor ave.

Watertown—Ladies Aid Society S. of V. State Con. June —. Ray E. Randall, 332 Hillcott sq., Buffalo, N. Y.

Watertown—Sons of Veterans Division Encampment. June 14-16. G. E. Snyder, 16 State st., Rochester, N. Y.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Asheville—American Institute of Electrical Engineers' Con. June 19-23. Ralph W. Pope, 95 Liberty st., New York City.

Asheville—Kappa Alpha Fraternity Con. June 27-29. E. C. Smith, Raleigh, N. C.

Asheville—Southern Student Conf. June 17-25.

Asheville—Virginia Press Assn. Con. July 4-8. J. L. Hart, Farmville, Va.

Morgantown—American Instructors of the Deaf Con. July 8-13. Prof. J. L. Smith, Fairbank, Minn.

Waynesville—State Dental Society Con. June 25-27. J. T. Griffith, Salisbury, N. C.

Whitton—State Firemen's Assn. Con. July 18-20. W. O. VonHaba, Wilmington, N. C.

NORTH DAKOTA.

Fargo—N. D. Assn. Con. E. P. Y. U. July —. H. P. Johnson, Bala, N. D.

Fargo—C. O. F. State Con. June 9. T. E. Dunn.

Grand Forks—F. & A. M. Gr. Lodge Con. June 27. J. F. Thompson.

Grand Forks—Royal Arch Masons Gr. Chapter Con. June 29. F. J. Thompson.

OHIO.

Bowling Green—K. O. T. M. State Encampment. Aug. 20-26.

Cedar Point—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. June —. A. Delang, Cincinnati, O.

Cincinnati—Natl. Sigma Chi Fraternity Gr. Council Con. July —. Judge Howard Ferris, Court House, Cincinnati, O.

Cleveland—Stationary Engineers' State Con. June 23. Chas. F. Roth, 951 E. Court st., Cincinnati, O.

Cleveland—Scandinavian Brotherhood of American Sup. Lodge Con. Aug. 8-10. Jno. Bohner, Bradford, Pa.

Cleveland—Shepherds of America Sup. Con. Aug. 1-2. H. Wilke, 257 Hodge ave.

Cleveland—Natl. Railroad Master Blacksmiths' Assn. Con. Aug. 23. A. L. Woodworth, Lima, O.

Cleveland—Dist. Gr. Lodge of Ohio No. 24 O. U. O. of O. F. Con. Aug. —. J. Harnaday, Yellow Springs, O.

Cleveland—American Bahbi's Central Con. June —. Rev. Adolph Guttmacher, 230 Bolton ave., Baltimore, Md.

Cleveland—American Society of Civil Engineers' Co. June 20-23. Charles Wasra Hunt, 230 W. 57th st., New York City.

Cleveland—Pa. Mutual Agents' Assn. Con. June 21-23. J. E. Quick, Grand Trunk, Toronto, Ont.

Cleveland—Master Car and Locomotive Painters' Assn. Con. Sept. 12.

Columbus—United Commercial Travelers' Natl. Con. June 29-July 1. O. C. Daniel, Park and Russell sts., Columbus, O.

Dayton—Natl. Postmasters' Assn. Con. Sept. 27-29. W. R. Hull, pres., Peoria, Ill.

Delphos—Catholic Knights of Ohio Con. Sept. 12. Chas. E. Anthony.

Findlay—U. S. Spanish War Veterans' Con. Aug. 28-29. O. W. Damon.

Hamilton—Swiss American Saengerfest. July 3-4.

Marion—Y. P. A. State Con. June 27-30. Rev. L. B. Myers, 210 S. High st.

Mt. Vernon—Beta Phi Fraternity of the United States Con. June 29. J. G. Upson, 591 Hudson ave., Newark, O.

Put-in-Bay—International Apple Shippers' Assn. Con. Aug. 2. A. Warren Patch, 17 N. Market st., Cleveland, O.

Put-in-Bay—International Federation of Commercial Travelers' Con. July 24-26. Arthur Sheets, Omaha, Neb.

Put-in-Bay—Natl. Commission Merchants' League Con. Aug. 16-18. A. Warren Patch, Boston, Mass.

Put-in-Bay—State Teachers' Assn. Con. June (last week.)

Springfield—A. and S. E. Masons' Supreme Council Con. Aug. 14-19. A. J. George, 49 Sherman ave.

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Toledo—Ninth Annual Con. of the League of American Municipalities. Aug. 23-25. John Mac Vear, Des Moines, Ia.

Toledo—Natl. Hay Assn. Con. July 18-20. F. E. Goodrich, Winchester, Ind.

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Wauseon—Northwestern Ohio Firemen's Assn. Con. June —.

Xenia—Ladies of the Golden Eagle Gr. Temple of Ohio Con. Aug. 29. Mrs. Lillian Roberts, 607 Williams ave., Bellefontaine, O.

OREGON.

Oregon City—G. A. B. State Encampment. June 20-23. G. E. Caulkin, Portland, Ore.

Portland—Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo Con. Sept. 8-12. J. H. Baird, Nashville, Tenn.

Portland—International Pure Food Congress Con. July 10-15. H. M. Allen, Lexington, Ky.

Portland—Kentucky Press Assn. Con. June —. Robert E. Muringstar, Bowling Green, Ky.

Portland—State Dental Assn. Con. July 17-20. Dr. Arthur W. Chance, Dekum hldg.

Portland—A. O. U. W. Gr. Lodge Con. July 18. Ollie F. Stephens.

Portland—International Irrigation Congress Con. Aug. 21-23. A. King Wilson.

Portland—American Medical Assn. Con. July 11-14. Dr. G. H. Simmons, 108 Dearborn ave., Chicago, Ill.

Portland—American Library Assn. Con. July 4-8. J. S. Weyer, Louisville, Ky.

Portland—Natl. Railroad Commissioners' Assn. Con. Aug. 16. Martin S. Decker, Washington, D. C.

Portland—Natl. Letter Carriers' Assn. Con. Sept. 4-11. Ed. J. Cantwell, Hutchins bldg., Washington, D. C.

Portland—International Anti-Cigarette Assn. Con. July 15-17. Elmer E. Miller.

Portland—Natl. Railroad Agents Assn. Con. July 18. N. A. Cottrell, Bismark, Mo.

Portland—Charities and Corrections Natl. Conf. July 15-22. Alexander Johnson, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Portland—Nebraska Lumber Dealers' Assn. Con. July 17-19. Bird Litchfield, Lincoln, Neb.

Portland—National Good Roads Assn. Con. June 14-17. R. W. Richards, Omaha, Neb.

Portland—America Institute of Instruction. July 10-13. Wm. C. Crawford, 80 Ashford st., Boston, Mass.

Portland—National W. C. T. U. Conf. June 27-29. Mrs. Henrietta Brown, Albany, Ore.

Portland—The Gr. Lodge Degree of Honor Con. July 19-20. Mrs. Ollie F. Stephens, gr. rec.

Portland—Natl. Conf. of Charities and Corrections. Oct. —.

Portland—Natl. American Woman Suffrage Assn. Con. June 29-July 5. Miss Kate M. Gordon, New Orleans, La.

Portland—Natl. Supervisors of State Banks' Assn. Con. June 27-29. M. C. Bargh, Madison, Wis.

Portland—State Press Assn. Con. June 26-27. Albert Toster.

Portland—State Homeopathic Medical Society Con. July 6-8. Ella K. Dearborn, M. D., 800 Union ave., N., Station B.

Portland—Texas State Bankers' Assn. Con. June 23. J. W. Butler, Clifton, Tex.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Allentown—Dames of Malta Sup. Con. Sept. 18. Hattie F. Randolph, 323 Saratoga at., E. Boston, Mass.

Bloomburg—State Lumbermen's Assn. Con. July 18. B. F. Landing, Scranton, Pa.

Bradford—Firemen's Con. Aug. 8-11.

Bedford—State Bar Assn. Con. June 27-29. J. B. Colaharp, 405 Betz bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

Bedford Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. Sept. 21-23. M. Bush, Arch at., Philadelphia, Pa.

Centre Hall—32nd Encampment, Patrons of Husbandry. Sept. 16-22. L. Rhine, chrm.

DuBois—Loyal Temperance Legion Con. June 27-30. Mrs. Emma M. M. Preston, Kennett Square, Pa.

Eric—International Municipal Electricians' Assn. Con. Aug. 29-31. E. P. Foster, Corning, N. Y.

Harrisburg—State Encampment Dept. of Pa. Spanish-American War Veterans. June 30. Allen W. Hagenbach, Allentown, Pa.

Johnstown—A. G. Knights Mystic Chain U. S. State Con. Sept. 12. W. D. Low, 7235 Bennett st., Pittsburg, Pa.

Johnstown—A. O. K. of M. O. Select Castle Con. Sept. 12. J. J. Davis, box 256, Pittsburg, Pa.

Milton—S. of V. State Con. June —. H. Fawney, N. E. Cor. Broad and Arch sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Osterberg—20th Annual Grangers' Encampment. Aug. 15-18. Geo. W. Oster, gen. mgr.

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Philadelphia—Internat'l Brotherhood of Teamsters' Con. Aug. 7. E. L. Turley, 147 Market st., Indianapolis, Ind.

Philadelphia—Knights of the Red Branch Sup. Commandery. Aug. 27-29. P. B. Braser, Troy, Pa.

Pittsburg—Natl. Oymnastic Clubs' Con. June 27-29.

Pittsburg—Lutheran Church Genl. Synod Con. June 14-21. Rev. H. K. Fenner, 23 W. Pearl st., Cincinnati, O.

Ridgeway—I. O. O. T. Grand Lodge Con. July 18-21. A. A. Anderson, McKeesport, Pa.

Slatington—Firemen's Con. June 17.

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Narragansett Pier—American Railway Accounting Officers' Con. Aug. 30. C. G. Phillips, 79 Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.

Natl' Con. Aug. 18. J. E. Davis, 5512 Woodland ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

North Scituate—State Sunday-School Teachers' Summer School Con. July 15-21. Willard B. Wilson, 47 Custom st., Providence, R. I.

Westerly—R. I. S. of Labor Con. Sept. 18. Walter A. Clarke.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

Aberdeen—Sons of Veterans State Con. June 20-22.

Aberdeen—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. Aug. —. E. O. Bent, Dell Rapids.

Aberdeen—Women's Relief Corps State Con. June 21-23. J. H. Hauser.

Bristol—I. O. O. T. Lodge Con. June 22-23. Eva E. Williams, Watertown, S. D.

Deadwood—Natl. Railroad Commissioners' Assn. Aug. 16. Edward A. Moosely, Washington, D. C.

Grand Forks—Order of the Eastern Star Grand Chapter Con. June 26-30. Mrs. Florence M. Hoskins, Bismark, N. D.

Sioux Falls—State Sheriffs' Assn. Con. July 18. Howard H. Cola, Aberdeen, S. D.

TENNESSEE.

Bon Aqua Springs—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July —. H. F. Trolinger, Bell Buckle, Tenn.

Chattanooga—Order of Select Knights Natl. Con. Aug. —. Geo. A. Staples, 325 Hillcott sq., Albany, N. Y.

Lebanon—Epworth League State Conf. June —. Paul B. Kern, 1915 Broad st., Nashville, Tenn.

Lookout Mountain—State Bar Assn. Con. July 15-17. Robt. Laak, Nashville, Tenn.

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TEXAS.

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Bonham—Ninth Annual Reunion Confederate Veterans. July 18-22. A. J. Stevenson.

Galvert—Knights of Honor of the World Gr. Lodge Con. June 27-30. J. H. Foster.

Denton—North Texas Medical Assn. Con. June 20-21. H. L. Moore, Von Alstyne, Tex.

Galveston—International Retail Clerks' Protective Assn. Con. July 11. Max Morris, box 158, Denver, Col.

Gatesville—Confederate Veterans' 7th Annual Reunion. July 18-21. W. E. Johnson.

Galveston—State Cotton Seed Crushers' Assn. Con. June 20-22. E. H. Young.

VERMONT.

Middleburg—Knights of Honor Gr. Lodge Con. July 12. O. S. Piper, Brattleboro, Vt.

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VIRGINIA.

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Richmond—State Local Fire Insurance Assn. Con. July —. H. P. Trice.

WASHINGTON.

Long Beach—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 18-20. W. P. Bonney, Tacoma, Wash.

Seattle—League of American Sportsmen' Con. June —.

Vancouver—Women's Relief Corps Con. of Wash. & Alaska. June —. E. M. Day, Bellingham, Wash.

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White Sulphur Springs—American Fisheries Society Con. July 25-27. Geo. F. Peabody, Appleton, Wis.

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Madison—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Con. July 9-11. Henry Rollman, Clinton, Wis.

Merrill—Sons of Hermann State Con. Aug. 18. Fred Bremer, 300 3rd st.

Milwaukee—State Millers' Assn. Con. July —. E. J. Laehmana, Neenah, Wis.

Milwaukee—State Grain Shippers, Assn. Con. July 20. M. H. Potter, 49 Mitchell Bldg.

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Milwaukee—U. O. of Foresters Supreme Court. July 17. S. W. Dennison, Hathaway bldg.

Milwaukee—Master Sheet Metal Workers' Assn. Con. Aug. 9-11. W. H. Barnard, Norfolk, Va.

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Milwaukee—Northwestern Mutual Life Underwriters' Con. July 18-20. D. E. Murphy, cr. Murphy & Surba.

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Milwaukee—American Gas Light Assn. Con. Oct. 18-20. George G. Ransdell, 530 Broadway, New York City.

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Park List.

The List of Parks is omitted this week on account of the press of advertising matter. The complete list was published in the issue of June 17, and will be published with all the late additions and amendments next week.

WHEN FLOTO COMES TO TOWN

The following effusion, written by James Barton Adams, extolls the merits of the Floto Show. Mr. Adams' enthusiasm may be explained by the fact that he works for Floto:

There's a something doing—something grand,
When Floto comes to town;
It's done to music of the band,
When Floto comes to town.
The people take a day of rest
And dress up in their Sunday best
To see the dazzling circustest
When Floto comes to town.

O! sure it is a gala day
When Floto comes to town.
Enjoyment chases cares away
When Floto comes to town.
The people take a day of rest
Their hearts with pleasure lightly bound,
As hock they to the big show ground
When Floto comes to town.

The girls upon their steadies smile
When Floto comes to town;
And dress up in their gayest style
When Floto comes to town;
The children love their daddies more
Than ever they were loved before,
For well they know the treat in store
When Floto comes to town.

The wives cook better dinners, too,
When Floto comes to town;
No wifely face is ever blue
When Floto comes to town.
They treat their hubbles extra nice
With smiles 't would melt a heart of ice—
Then ask them if they have the price
When Floto comes to town.

The bands will lead the lively airs
When Floto comes to town;
The monkeys monkey with the bears
When Floto comes to town.
The camels from afar come free
Will hump themselves prodigiously,
And rubbernecks at all they see
When Floto comes to town.

The elephants will smiles in glee
When Floto comes to town;
They'll show what beggars they can be
When Floto comes to town.
Their trunks they'll reach toward you fraught
With hope, to see if you will not
Please drop a peanut in the slot
When Floto comes to town.

The steeds will neigh, the ponies prance
When Floto comes to town;
The clown-dogs do a song and dance
When Floto comes to town.
And jungle beasts in savage play
Will roar on that great festival day
For you a jungle opera
When Floto comes to town.

Get ready for the grand display
When Floto comes to town;
Turn out in holiday array
When Floto comes to town.
"The Circus Beautiful!" That name
Is blazoned on the scroll of fame—
A fact you'll help us to proclaim
When Floto comes to town.

Notes from the Great Alamo Shows:
We organized last November and have been out since then, touring the state of Texas until May 2 with the best of success, notwithstanding the severe weather of the winter and spring. The show has not lost a stand, and during the twenty-seven weeks only played three losing stands, they being due to bad weather. The spring season opened under very favorable circumstances and we leave the Lone Star state with an unequalled record. Our roster, with few exceptions, is the same as when we organized: W. H. Rice, general manager; Ed. H. Robinson, general agent; Jos. J. Conley, manager; Geo.

F. Dorman, secretary and treasurer; J. C. Callison, press representative. Free acts: leap the gap, high dive, balloon ascension, high wire act and the Marine Band of Galveston, Tex. The outfit consists of seven paid attractions besides a Merry-go-Round and Ferris Wheel. A seventy foot sleeper was added to the show at Greenville, Tex., April 27. It has been named The Alamo.

Mr. Geo. Smith of the Welder Carnival Co. writes as follows: Last week at Fostoria, Ohio, the Eagles treated the members of this company to a swell supper in their hall after the closing of the performance Saturday night. Messrs. Geo. Yeager, Frank Mercer and Billy Caldwell were on the entertainment committee. "Doc" Campbell, of the company made a brief address of thanks on behalf of the show. Mr. Welder was also offered the next year's contract. Stella, the snake show, was added at Defiance, Ohio, and took top money. The show has a swell front. Mrs. Sprinkle joined the vaudeville show last week. The Martin Sisters, of the vaudeville show, played a special engagement at the park at Defiance.

HOME COMING DAY.

After a lapse of twenty years,
After an age it now appears,
I'm going back to see the fair,
And I'll try to feel and breathe the air
That's wafted up from the peanut stand,
Mixed with the tunes of the old brass band.
I'm going to try to feel that way,
Home Coming Day.

I'm going to hang outside the gate
Like I used to do and wait and wait,
And maybe the man will push me in,
And maybe I'll slip in 'mid the din,
Maybe the man at the peanut stand,
Will know my face if it isn't tanned,
Will give me a job with same old pay,
Home Coming Day.

I'm going back where the farmers tie,
Filch from the wagon a piece of pie;
And hang again on the picket fence;
Watch the farmers in awful suspense;
I'm going to see the hogs o' goah,
I'm going to let old mem'ries sway,
Home Coming Day.

I'm going to let old mem'ries roll
Back to the middle of Time's old scroll,
Back to the ice cream candy joys,
Back to the Punch and Judy noise,
Back to the crack of the target gun,
And lie on the grass where youth once lay,
Home Coming Day.

Guess I'll ride on the merry-go-round
And try to unwind what time has wound;
The cane you ring is the cane you get,
Six rings for five I'll toss 'em you bet.
I'll see the spigot where cider drips
'Till the eyes glow bright and rosy lips
Sweety sip, while smiles and dimples play,
Home Coming Day.

Miss Marie Doro has been engaged by Chas. Frohman to be leading lady for William Gillette, and to create the part of Clarice in Mr. Gillette's play by that name in England and America. Miss Doro has been a member of the ranks. Two years ago she was a chorus girl in The Girl From Kay's. She is now with William Collier in The Dictator, playing at the Comedy Theatre, London.

Mrs. Fiske will revive Tess of The D'Urbervilles next season in New York.
Miss Ellis Jeffreys will appear at the head of the Haymarket Theatre Co., London, next season, after which she will appear in the United States for five seasons under the management of George Tyler. Kyle Bellew, another Tyler star, is booked for a long engagement in London, beginning next Easter, when he will appear in Baines, supported by his American company.

David Belasco will offer a big revival of The Heart of Maryland next season, and will probably present Mrs. Carter in her original role. This indicates that he will abieve Adrea early in the season.

NOTICE

Hoss & Naumann United Shows have open dates next month and would like to hear from good Lodges or Merchants that are going to hold a Street Fair or Carnival. Address Lima, Ohio, 19 to 24; Kenton, Ohio, 28 to 31; St. Marys, Ohio. More to follow. Can use a good Platform, Snake, or Freak Show. Privilege people come on. FOR SALE—Edison Train Robbery Film. Geo. Over Rocker write.

J. A. STERNAD,

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Will Open Books in August.

BUCHANAN, AT DES MOINES, OPENS ANOTHER ONE.

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All privileges will be sold at public auction at Fair Grounds Saturday, August 5th, at 10 A. M. No gambling or liquor. Address LYMAN D. BAIRD, Superintendent of Privileges, Austin, Minn.

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A few first-class shows on percentage. Must be strictly up-to-date and have attractive fronts. 80,000 paid admissions to Pike last year in five days of rain. Address HAROLD A. BUSHEA, Director of Pike, Hotel Frederick, St. Paul, Minn.

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WANTED
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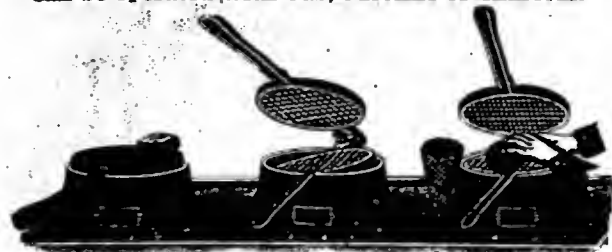
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DR. HORACE GRANT, Erie, Pa., or J. FRANK HATCH SHOWS, Barberton, Ohio, June 19-24. So. Sharon, Pa., June 26-July 1.

Privilege People Attention!

All legitimate attractions wanted for the big celebration given by the Oshkosh Aerie of Eagles on July 4th. Privileges for sale; only exclusives in each line, on percent or outright. Gamblers and gruffers barred, strictly. Tell what you've got, first letter, no time to correspond. 100,000 people will be in attendance; plenty of money for everyone; come and get it. Also want to engage balloon ascensionist, high diver, or slide for life, for free attractions. Address all communications to H. C. DANFORTH, Chairman of Com., Bijou Theatre, Oshkosh, Wis.

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WANTED
Glass Blower with outfit,
Feather Flower Man without
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FOURTH OF JULY

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60 foot Combination, Can be seen at Dayton, Ky.
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Comedians, Soubrettes, Novelty Acts, Character Men and Women.
25—Smart Chorus Women. (I furnish all wardrobe)—25
First-Class Leader. Reliable Carpenter.
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\$4.95 **THE LOCOMOTIVE SPECIAL**
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It's a WINNER
SET R. E. CHALMERS & CO., 256 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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THE BIGGEST 4th of JULY CELEBRATION IN OHIO.

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Week of June 19; then as per route.

LISTEN—A word to the WISE is sufficient.
The Miles-Weaver Showland,

7—REAL TOWNS IN PENNSYLVANIA—7.

Chicora, Pa., July 4th and week; 10,000 visitors in Chicora on the 4th; and, this the first street fair for them. **WANTED—Train Robbery Show, Plantation Show, Merry-Go-Round and Ferris Wheel, High Dive or any good free act, also 8 piece band.** Privilege men this will be a haven for you: \$10 per week. Ellwood City and Grove City, Pa., to follow. Chas. W. Schupp, Jim. Nugent, Spider Balow and John Tracy come on. Shows address G. H. MILES; Privileges address C. E. WEAVER, Chicora, Pa.

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FOR SALE All the canvas now in use by the above shows, including One 50-ft. Top, 40-ft. Middle piece; One 60-ft. Top, 2 30-ft. Middle pieces; One 100-ft. Top, 6 30-ft. Middle pieces; One 33-ft. Canopy, 200 ft. square; all complete, can make delivery July 15; will sell above canvas cheap.

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As per Route in this issue.

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Free Street Fair and 4th of July Celebration
LACON, ILLS., JULY 3rd TO 8th INCLUSIVE.

U. S. CARNIVAL CO. ATTRACTIONS
Add. R. C. CARROLL, Manager, Free Street Fair, June 26 to July 1, Spring Valley, Ill.

WANTED AT ONCE

Vandeville people, man and wife for comedy work, also sister team that can sing, dance and do sketches. Can also place two good door talkers (Corbett write or wire) for plantation and electric show. Tickets advanced to right people. Write or wire, stating all in first letter. Address CLEVELAND & TURNER, American Carnival Co., Basic City, Va., June 19 to 24, Front Royal, Va., June 28 to July 1.

WANTED Calliope Player

For GENTRY BROS. FAMOUS SHOWS. Add. Bloomington, Ind.

WANTED WANTED
FOR COLLINS SOCIETY CIRCUS

Fully organized Band of recognized Musicians. Circus Acts of all kinds. One First-Class Side Show. Can use close Contracting Agent; and will buy or rent Sleeping or Combination Car fully equipped and in good order. Write or wire. **CAPT. B. COLLINS, Mgr. COLLINS SOCIETY CIRCUS, Valentine, Neb.**

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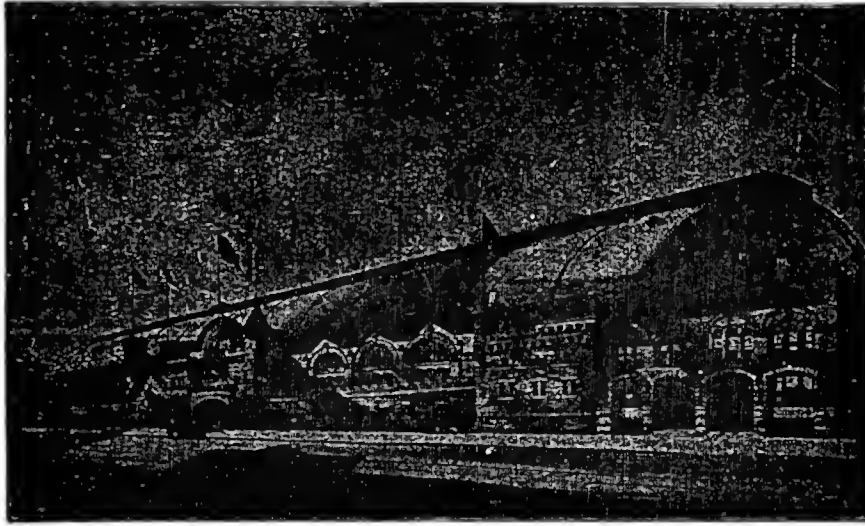
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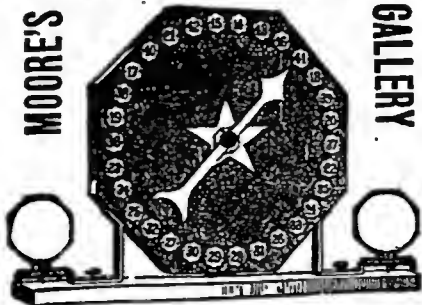
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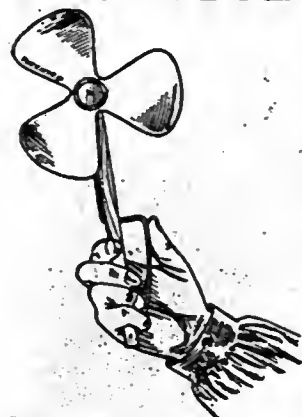
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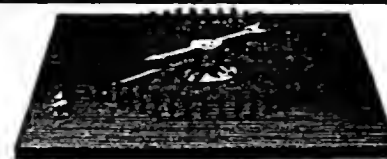
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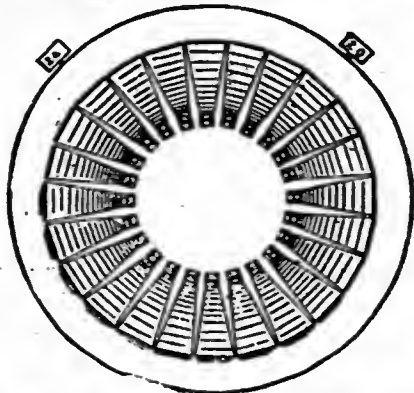
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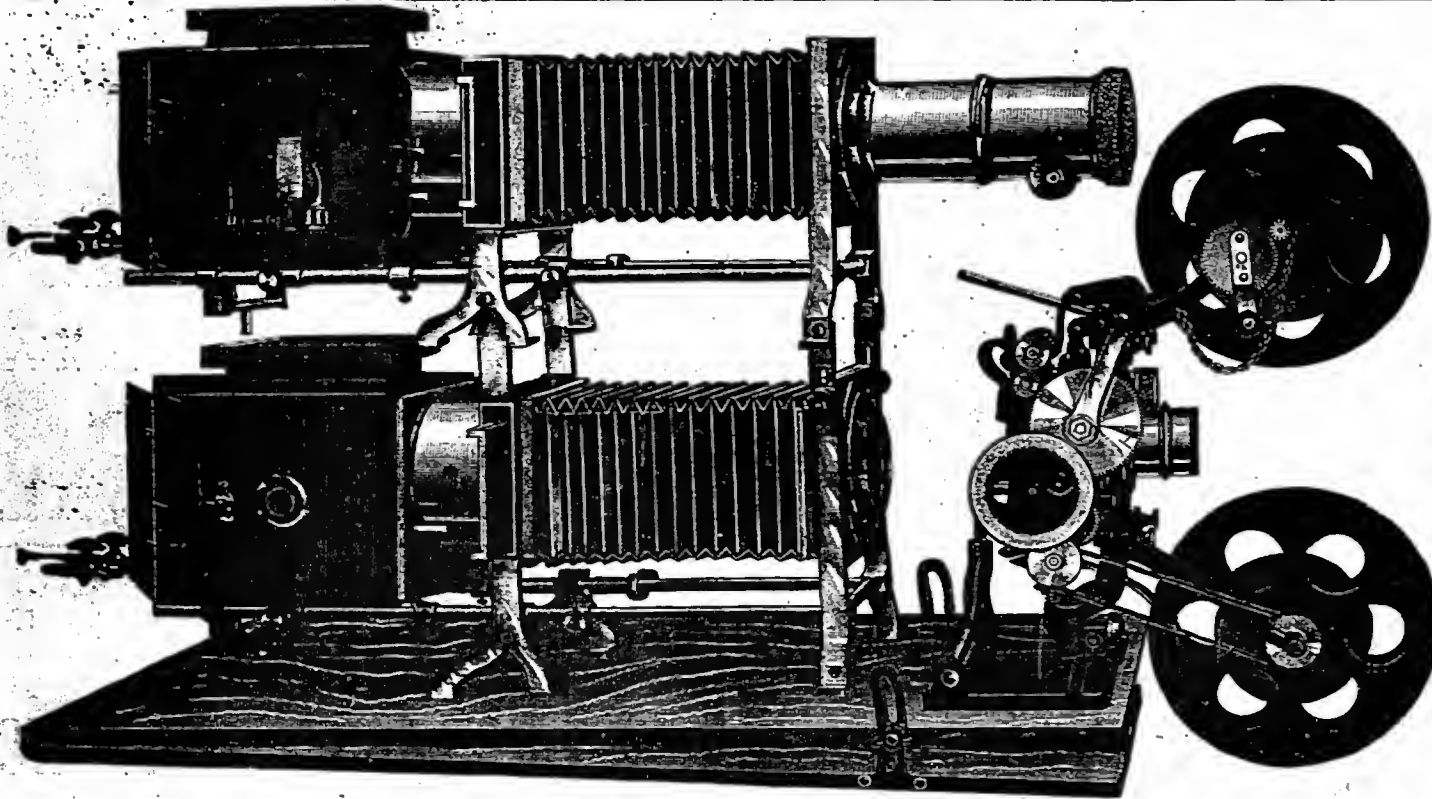
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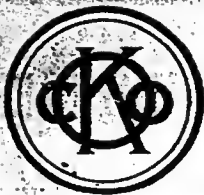
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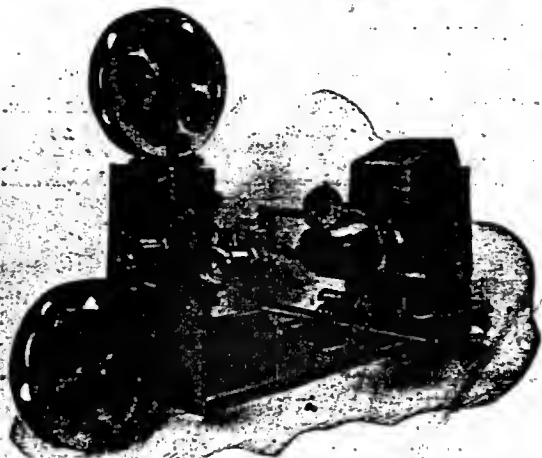
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